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Project PRIME - Professional Resources in Mathematics Education is a joint effort between SUNY Fredonia’s College of Education and Department of Mathematical Sciences to provide (among other things) professional development for mathematics teachers in western New York State. In this talk, we will present the types of professional development we have provided both on campus and in the local school districts. We will also present some of the ”nuts and bolts” of this operation such as contacting school districts, announcing activities, and securing funding outside the normal alternatives such as grants and university support. We will also discuss some of the research opportunities that such an endeavor provides. (Received September 27, 2004)