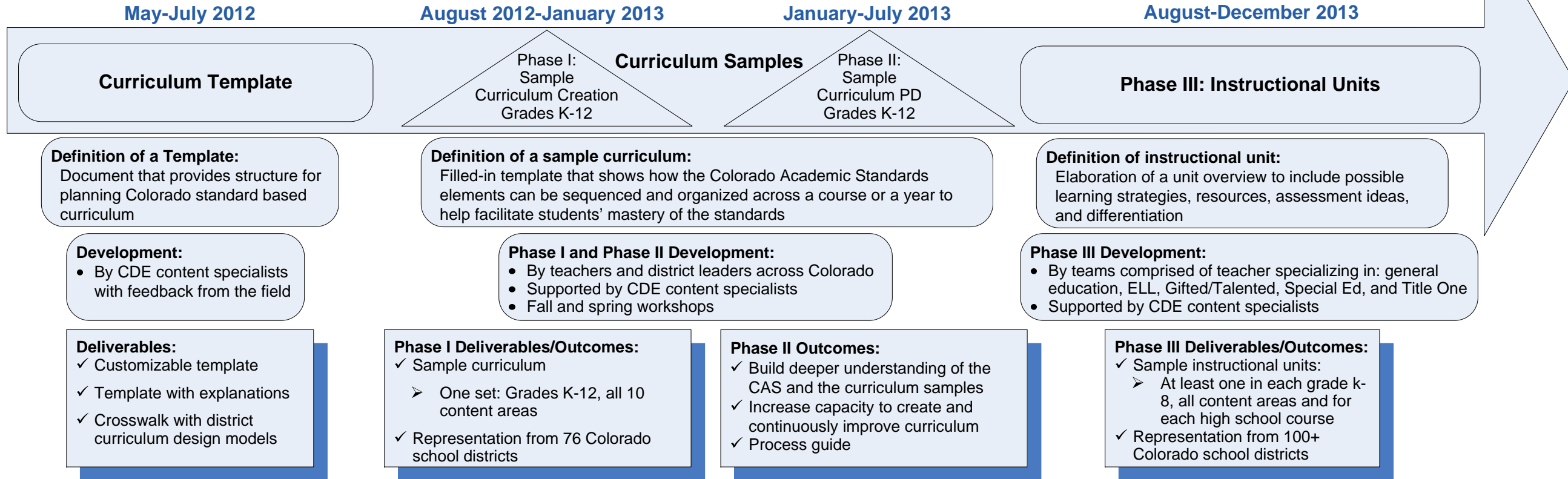


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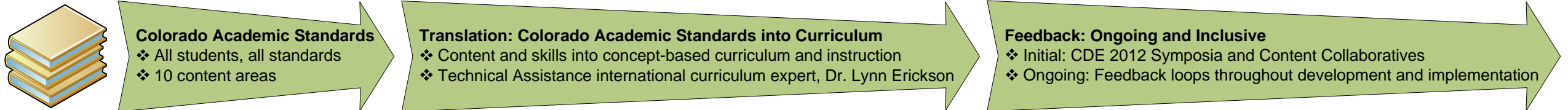
An investment in creating sample curricula is an investment in purposeful and effective instructional design.

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Informed by the Field

Field driven:

- Colorado Association of School Superintendents and Senior Administrators letter
- Colorado Standards Implementation Summit

Field generated:

- Colorado teacher leaders
- Colorado district curriculum specialists

Field relevant:

- Customizable template and processes
- Honors local control
- Diverse curriculum design models

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CDE's Plan for Field Participation, Continuous Feedback, and Revision Opportunities

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Curriculum Template

Deliverables:

- ✓ Customizable template
- ✓ Template with explanations
- ✓ Crosswalk with district curriculum design models

Curriculum Samples

Phase I:
Sample Curriculum Creation
Grades K-12

Phase II:
Sample Curriculum Creation
Grades K-12

Phase I Deliverables/Outcomes:

- ✓ Sample curriculum
 - One set: Grades K-12, all 10 content areas
- ✓ Representation from 76 Colorado school districts

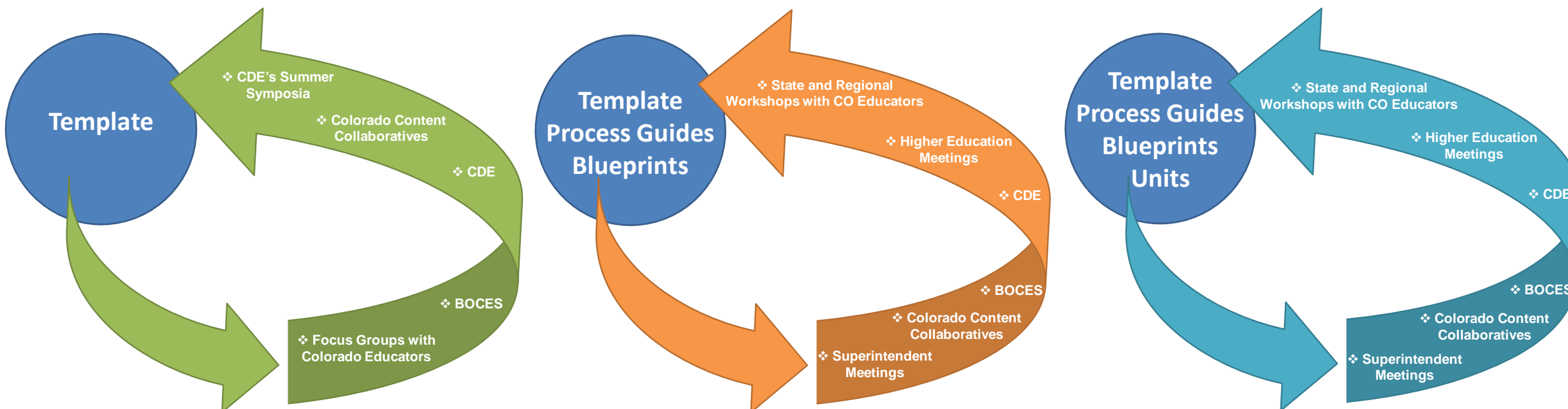
Phase II Outcomes:

- ✓ Build deeper understanding of the CAS and the curriculum samples
- ✓ Increase capacity to create and continuously improve curriculum
- ✓ Process guide

Phase III: Instructional Units

Phase III Deliverables/Outcomes:

- ✓ Sample instructional units:
 - At least one in each grade k-8, all content areas and for each high school course
- ✓ Representation from 100+ Colorado school districts



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