

Surrey Teacher Mentorship Program



Sponsored by the Surrey Teachers' Association

This is an opportunity to participate in a program of support open to Surrey's beginning teachers and their experienced colleagues. It is a known fact that those who mentor gain as much or more than those they mentor. Join this dynamic and successful initiative by signing up and faxing in your registration form today! (see back page)

Learning and working together may be the focus you need to boost your teaching this school year. Be a part of this rewarding and re-vitalizing opportunity.

Who can participate?

- New teachers hired to the district since September 2009 (contract teachers).
- Experienced teachers (those who have taught for at least 5 years).

Expectations of the Mentoring program:

- It is expected that participants will meet on a regular basis.
- It is expected that participants will attend whole group after school sessions on

Wednesday, October 19, 2011 at Eaglequest from 3:30-5:30

Tuesday, January 17, 2012 at DEC room 2020 from 3:30-5:30

Thursday, March 1, 2012 at DEC room 2020 from 3:30-5:30

Tuesday, April 17, 2012 at DEC room 2020 from 3:30-5:30

Monday, June 11, 2012 at Eaglequest from 3:30-5:30

- It is expected that **mentors** will attend a half day training session on **Tuesday, November 1st at DEC from 8:30-12:00** (release time provided)
- It is expected that all information/observations between participants will remain confidential and be non-evaluative in nature.

To join this year's Mentorship program you need to fill in and FAX the following form to the STA office, FAX #604-594-5176 or 604-594-4061. If you have someone in mind you would like to work with please include his or her name on the form at the bottom. **Deadline for registration is Monday, October 3rd 2011**

Application for the Surrey Teacher Mentorship Program 2011-2012

Please check one:

- I am an **Experienced Teacher** (have at least 5 years teaching experience)
I have previously been a mentor yes/no

If you have a new teacher in mind that you would like to work with, please FAX applications in together & clearly indicate with whom you would like to be partnered. Mentors please note that you may be asked to work with a second new teacher, creating a trio. If so you will be given an additional release day.

(Please Print Clearly)

Name: _____ Expected School: _____

Expected Grade/Subject: _____ Home Phone: _____

e-mail address: _____

- I am a **Beginning Teacher** (hired after September 2009)

If you have a mentor in mind that you would like to work with, please FAX applications in together & clearly indicate with whom you would like to be partnered.

(Please Print Clearly)

Name: _____ Expected School: _____

Expected Grade/Subject: _____ Home Phone: _____

e-mail address: _____

Person I would like to work with: _____ School: _____

Home Phone: _____ e-mail address: _____

**For further information please contact:
Lori Riel on First Class or at Riverdale Elementary, 604-588-5978.**