Professional Development Committee



Mentorship Program 2023 - 2024

As teachers reflect on the beginning of their teaching careers, they often think of one colleague who helped them with planning, assessment, shared their resources or coached them. To help support and formalize these relationships, your ATA Local, in collaboration with the provincial ATA, sponsors the Teacher Mentorship Program for beginning teachers and seasoned teachers to collaborate, further each other's learning, and foster career-long professional relationships.

For each pair in the program, we offer a total of three sub days, two coffee cards, and three in-person PD sessions.

Dates/Location	 There will be three after school sessions included for both mentors and mentees. Thursday October 5, 4:30pm dinner, 5:00pm – 7:00pm program at the CT Centre (2336 53 Ave SW) Thursday February 1, 2024 4:30pm dinner, 5:00pm – 7:00pm programs, location TBD Thursday May 23, 2024 4:30pm dinner, 5:00pm – 7:00pm programs, location TBD
Participants	Mentors are current classroom teachers with a minimum of 5 years teaching experience. Proteges are teachers who are preferably entering their first, second or third year of teaching in the classroom and wish to be included in the Mentorship Program. We encourage teachers to pair up with their partner of choice. If you need assistance to find a partner, either mentor or protégés, please make a note when signing up and the PD Committee will help match you up with a suitable partner. To make it equitable, we urge the protégé applicants to apply for this program ONCE.
Registration	Registration is limited to 70 pairs. Should this program be oversubscribed, final registration will be determined by a random draw. Email confirmation will be sent Monday, September 25
Deadline	Monday September 25 at noon.

Register here:

https://bit.ly/2023-2024MentorshipPD

