

Your Professional Development



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- **Join your local association/TSTA/NEA** and take advantage of the many professional development opportunities available to you.
- Reflect on your practices and behaviors as a part of professional development.
- Use resources to identify meaningful professional development.
- Continue learning about the subject you teach and how to teach. Stay current in practices and content.
- Mentor and learn from a new teacher.
- Learn as much about technology as possible as it has a profound impact on how students learn.
- Subscribe to professional journals.
- Participate in professional learning communities.
- Build professional relationships with the larger education community: other teachers, education support professionals, professional support staff, school board members, other elected officials, and administrators.
- Accept mentoring and be a mentor!
- Keep a journal about your classroom and review it regularly.