• 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.