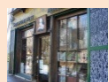


Professional Learning and Support for Board NTIP Teams

As the school year begins, we look ahead to continuing and deepening our collaboration with you. In this spirit of collaboration, the Teaching Policy and Standards Branch (TPSB) has created a “1 stop shop” for all board NTIP teams. All of the resources from the clickable chart below can be accessed directly at: <http://mentoringmoments.ning.com/group/mentoring-mentors/page/ntip>



NTIP Evaluation and Research

- Summary of all of our learning from and with beginning teachers since the inception of NTIP including year 2 results of longitudinal research from Christine Frank and Associates



NTIP Survey Tool for Boards

- Streamlined survey templates for beginning teachers, mentors, and principals linked to the core goals of NTIP



NTIP Board Visits

- Emerging learning themes from NTIP focus groups in 45 school boards and a schedule of boards to be visited this spring as part of the 5 year cycle



NTIP Adobe Connect Strategy Harvests

- Practical ideas and resources shared by board NTIP teams via our Adobe Connect professional learning sessions over the last 2 years



Professional Learning Resources for Mentors

- Mentoring modules, videos of mentoring conversations, slidecasts, monographs and even an [updated eBook for mentors](#)



Mentoring Moments Monographs

- Archive of 27 monthly “quick reads” with practical ideas and resources to support mentorship

NTIP Networked Learning – Request for Input

NTIP Coordinators, Superintendents and Steering Committee members from each board are encouraged to complete a brief 3 question [survey](#) regarding their professional learning needs for the 2014-15 school year. The survey can be accessed at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ntip>

Thank you for sharing your voices with us. Your input will directly inform both the content and structure of the supports provided by TPSB this year.



New for 2014/15

Enhancing Teacher Development (ETD) Fund – NTIP

School boards will have the opportunity to apply this fall to the Teaching Policy and Standards Branch for in-year funding to support teacher development in three key areas of focus:

- New Teacher Induction Program / Annual Learning Plan / Associate Teacher Support

For NTIP, boards can apply if **any** of the criteria listed below apply:

- Significant hiring of new Long Term Occasional Teachers 97+ days compared to number of new permanent hires
- Significant increase in number of new permanent hires from previous years
- NTIP required permanent hires past Year 2 on the Teacher Qualifications and Experience Grid

Applications are due to TPSB by Oct 31, 2014. A detailed overview which includes timelines and the [application form](#) can be accessed at:

<http://mentoringmoments.ning.com/group/mentoring-mentors/page/etd>

NTIP Orientation Voicecasts

TPSB has developed a series of Adobe Voicecasts in order to provide orientation for “new to role” board NTIP leads (e.g., designated NTIP Superintendent, NTIP contact). All of the voicecasts are available at:

<http://mentoringmoments.ning.com/group/mentoring-mentors/page/voicecasts>



- [NTIP Context and Goals](#) (3 min 14 sec)
- [NTIP Funding for 2014/15](#) (3 min 47 sec)
- [NTIP Professional Learning and Support for Board Teams](#) (3 min 14 sec)
- [NTIP Board Visits – Listening & Learning](#) (1 min 32 sec)
- [NTIP Longitudinal Research Year 2 Highlights](#) (1 min 59 sec)

TeachOntario



- In collaboration with OTF and our TPSB team here at the Ministry, TVO has begun to develop [TeachOntario](#); an online platform to support sharing, collaboration and knowledge exchange amongst educators across Ontario
- We encourage you to share this resource with both new and experienced teachers in your district

<http://tvo.org/teachontario>