



National Board Teacher Newsletter

November

Greetings NBCTs,

It hardly seems possible that there are actually less than two months left in the first semester of this academic year. As I reflect on the new month of November, what comes to mind is the need to express my appreciation and gratitude to each of you. Please know that I have gotten to know many of you, and some for over a decade. During that time, I have seen and experienced the impact of your commitment, expertise and ability to guide and lead so many new teachers as they sought to establish themselves as a member of the LAUSD Instructional Team. I would be remiss, if I failed to take my hat off to each of you and to express my sincere thanks! As highly qualified and committed teachers, please allow me to take a moment to share a suggestion. I realize that many of you fall within the category of "overachievers". It is meant as a compliment as I apply the term to myself as well. However, as we enter this busy time of year, please consider the following:

Ways to Stay Healthy At Work

1. Enjoy your lunch away from your classroom/instructional space.
2. Do something new each and every day.
3. Get outdoors.
4. Be Creative
5. Engage in a grounding technique
<http://www.healthline.com/health/grounding-techniques>
6. Have fun!

Wishing you the best,

Peggy

"When we focus on our gratitude,
the tide of disappointment goes out
and the tide of love rushes in."

-Kristin Armstrong

Holidays

Nov. 11th- Veterans Day
Nov. 24th-Nov. 25th- Thanksgiving
Holiday

Due Dates

(Optional)

Fall Log Submission – Nov. 6th

NBC Information Meetings

Please check your transcript on MYPLN for your certificate of attendance.

- The Task 2 Log has been sent to those who attended the required meeting.
- **Did you miss the required NBC Info. meeting?**
- The last opportunity to meet this requirement is January 19th. Register on MYPLN

Log Submission

★ Fall- Nov. 6th (optional)

Reminder: Completion of the NBC Information Meeting is required to submit the Fall Log.

Spring- May 7th

Office Hour Drop-In

for Fall Log Submission from

3:30pm-4:45pm

On: Monday, Oct. 24th,

Wednesday, Nov. 2nd

Thursday, Nov. 3rd

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://lausd.zoom.us/j/82617492667>

This issue:

- Fall Submission Info.
- State Incentive Update
- Mentoring information

Fall Submission Information



The 22-23 NBC Task Logs and Guidelines are currently available to you via Schoology.

Access code: MP4D-WX3X-2GKQG

If you intend to utilize the

Optional Fall Log Submission and you have completed the requirement of attending the NBC Information meeting, the Log Submission Folder is open for Tasks 1,2,3,4, and 5. In the Spring, you can turn in all eligible hours not yet reported for all Tasks. Please keep in mind that Logs are reviewed at different times by different liaisons so, not all of your Task(s) will be reviewed at the same time or by the same person. If a message is left for you in Schoology reply to the comment or, direct your inquiry to the person who messaged you on the platform.

We appreciate your patience and request that you check Schoology intermittently for possible requests should your submission require additional attention.

Reminders:

The Cover Page and Online Hours Overview are required. Once you have submitted the electronic Online Hours Overview create a PDF of the first page of the confirmation and upload it to the Schoology assignment.

For each Task Submission you will upload 1 document. Combine all completed (with signature where required) Task Logs and evidence for the Task in one combined PDF and upload it into the corresponding Folder. Only the top document will be reviewed.

The NBC Mentor Information meeting for Task 1 is waived for the Fall Submission.

State Incentive

Reminder

Did you miss the first round? The date is approaching

2022-23 California NBPT Teacher Incentive Award Application for active National Board Certified Teachers working in high-priority schools. Application will open in December 2022. If you would like to receive updates via e-mail notification, subscribe to the California National Board Incentive listserv by sending a "blank" message to: Join-california-national-board-listserv@mlist.cde.ca.gov

NBPTS Cert Incentive Program 2021-26 FAQs <https://www.cde.ca.gov/pd/ps/nbptsprogramfaq.asp>

Mentoring

Is there someone at your school site that you would like to mentor? Do you know if the support you offer is eligible for NBC Mentor hours? Check their credential status on the CTC website.

<https://www.ctc.ca.gov/>

Then, review the NBC Task 1 Guidelines, found in Schoology. There, you will see if they are eligible under one of Task 1's subsections.

Mentors for Provisional Teachers are facilitated by Barbara Scott and Mentors for University Interns by Miko Dixon. The list is generated each month and Mentors are needed year round.

Remember to complete the online Mentor Monthly log for your mentee (all except Task 1f and TGI candidates).

The online link is located in Schoology Task 1.

Fundamentals of Mentoring

The optional 10hr series for next semester is available for registration via MYPLN. The opportunity is presented to NBC Mentors who have not taken the Fundamentals of Coaching within 5yrs. Sign up on MYPLN **search:** *Fundamentals of Mentoring* (Thursday and Saturday cohort offered) Space is limited.

Optional Fall Log Submission

February 5 pay

Log Submission



November 6, 2022 (11:59pm)

Revisions

NBC Teachers are required to check for comments—usually you have 1 week from the review date

Date indicated in comments on Schoology

NOTIFY NBC OFFICE OF ANY SCHOLOGY DISCREPANCIES

January 9-13, 2023

NOTIFY NBC OF PAY DISCREPANCIES

February 9, 2023



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