**Beginning Educator Support Team**

**www.esd112.org/best/**

**FIRST-YEAR TEACHERS** are matched with well-trained MENTORS to observe and support them in the learning environment.

*The ESD 112 BEST program provides…*

> ⇒ Resources, coaching, and professional learning opportunities to enhance comprehensive learning systems that foster equitable systems for all learners
> ⇒ Support, encouragement and mentoring for first-year teachers in order to strengthen their instructional skills and to retain competent teachers
> ⇒ **Release time** for first-year and second-year mentees and mentors/instructional coaches to observe each other
> ⇒ Funding support for first-years, second-years, and mentors of first-year teachers to support time for learning conversations outside the typical contract day
> ⇒ **Professional Learning Sessions** available to first-year, second-year mentees and mentors designed for just in time learning and connected to instructional frameworks

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**PROFESSIONAL LEARNING**

- Available for all participants
- Focuses on knowledge and skills for effective equitable teaching practices
- No cost
- Clock hours offered

Register for current events at [www.pdenroller.org](http://www.pdenroller.org)

**SUPPORT FOR MENTORING TIME**

**Mentor Academy 101:** Instructional Mentoring Tools & Skills for Mentors

- Required for new mentors
- Develop skills to serve in mentoring and coaching roles
- Find dates and registration information at [https://www.esd112.org/best/?target=mentors](https://www.esd112.org/best/?target=mentors)

**Next Vancouver Area Training:**

October 28-29 2019, January 30 2020

ESD 112 Conference Center

2500 NE 65th Avenue, Vancouver, WA 98661

**Mentor Roundtable Meetings**

- Build knowledge, practice skills, network with colleagues, and reflect on work supporting teacher growth.
- Find dates and registration information at [https://www.esd112.org/best/?target=mentors](https://www.esd112.org/best/?target=mentors)

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