Teacher Professional Development in SD#71

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Professional Learning in SD71 is an active, ongoing, career –long experience.

We encourage teachers to seek out various Pro-D opportunities that meet their interests and needs.

IMPORTANT DATES 2025-2026

Aug 27 & 28 (Flex days - non-mandatory)

Complete 10 hrs PD on your own time to offset 2 paid days of spring break

Complete online form for your principal 10 hours PD

→ LINK TO ANNUAL Profession Learning Plan Form

Sept 2nd Non-instructional school (mandatory based team)

September 3rd School begins for all

October 24th Provincial Pro-D day (mandatory) February 17, 2026 District Pro-D day (mandatory)

The Joint PD committee

A group of teachers and admin that meet to help make decisions about Teacher PD policies and direction within the district. We meet once per month and are responsible for facilitating and planning Teacher Pro-D as well as the Teacher Pro-D District Day held every February.

Get to know your school Pro-D Rep!

Pro-D reps are the conduits of pro-d information to the school. They meet as a group usually once a month to assist in the planning of their teacher Pro-D. They provide ideas / opportunities and feedback for teachers' PD within our district.

WHAT ABOUT PRO-D FUND\$?

Teachers in an assignment for the school year will be eligible for personal pro-d funds, prorated based on their FTE.

Approx, \$130.-annually gets allocated to your teacher PD account and may be reimbursed for PD activities /resources. This amount accumulates over years and can be used for pro-d workshops & travel, training resources, book, tuition and even I.T. devices for your pro-d.

New Teacher / TOC?

The Professional Learning Supplemental "please" (PLS) Fund can provide up to \$100 to cover expenses for new teachers in a full year assignment, once approved by the PD chair.

Book Clubs & Local Specialist Associations (LSAs)

You may qualify also, for book clubs/ study groups, etc. in the beginning of the school year (limited funds) as well as teachers who organize an LSA group can qualify for \$250./yr.