

Policy - 5339

Personnel

Professional Development – Certified Staff

McCall-Donnelly School District is committed to supporting its teachers by providing them with opportunity, time, and resources to become exceptional teachers. In an effort to foster an expectation of continuous professional growth, the District shall provide professional development opportunities that include one or more of the following:

- increase a teacher's knowledge and teaching skills.
- are high-quality, sustained, intensive, and classroom-focused.
- advance teacher understanding of effective instruction based on scientifically based research.
- are an integral part of broad school-wide and district-wide improvement plans.

The Board adopts, as guiding principles, Learning Forward Standards for Staff Development and directs the superintendent or designee to maintain and implement a comprehensive professional development plan.

Adoption:

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