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# Teacher Leader Corps (TLC) Kickoff

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# Today's Agenda

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# Team Building Activity

# What is the Teacher Leader Corps (TLC)?

The TLC is a team of forward-thinking educators who advocate the use of technology to enrich learning experiences. These are passionate teachers who take up the baton of technology use, empowering their colleagues and driving change across the school campus. They are the innovators who diffuse technology across the campus.

# TLC Perks and Opportunities

- Opportunities to pilot new technology
- Collaborate & innovate to provide powerful learning for students
- TLC peer and community support
- Peer coaching opportunities
- Teacher-led PD opportunities
- Professional learning and growth opportunities!

# What will success look like for our TLC?

Let's reflect on our school goals, transformational action plan, vision, and mission.

Discussion Guiding Questions:

- How can our TLC help support our school goals and our teachers?
- What will success look like for our TLC this year?

# TLC Goals

**Resource:** TLC Action Plan

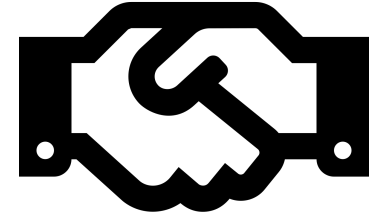


**Ask:** As a group, we will develop 1-2 goals to accomplish over the course of the year. Our goals should:

- Be aligned with the school mission and vision
- Advance digital equity
- Improve the quality of education for students



# Shared Agreements



## Negative Experiences → Positive Commitments

1. Think of a past negative experience you had serving on a team or committee and identify a specific behavior that prevented the group from being effective.
2. For each negative behavior identified, establish a positive commitment statement that your team can adopt that will prevent the negative behavior from recurring.
  - a. i.e., Being disengaged from a meeting through texting/emailing during the meeting  
→ Be fully present and engaged.
3. From the list created, identify approximately 5 norms to adopt as a team. Brainstorm what these norms mean and look like in meetings.

# TLC Commitment



Actively participate in **technology-based learning experiences** throughout the year.



**Open classroom to colleagues** to help model powerful learning with technology and share best practices with others. Commit to one full academic year of participation.



**Support the instructional technology coach with professional learning** through small group learning, PLCs, lesson planning and workshop delivery to help create a culture of continuous learning on campus.

# Open Classroom Details

- **Open your classroom to other teachers to learn from your use of technology.**
- **Ensure lessons focus on powerful learning with technology.**
- Support other teachers with lesson planning and lesson activities to incorporate best practices.



# TLC Roles and Responsibilities

## Teacher Leader Corps Roles



Please sign up for one or more commitments as a member of the [school name] Teacher Leader Corps

**Newsletter Contributor:** Create a 150-200 word tech-related contribution to the monthly staff newsletter.

1. Sept. & Jan. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Oct. & Feb. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Nov. & Mar. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Dec. & Apr. \_\_\_\_\_

**Lifelong Learner:** Complete an external learning opportunity related to technology integration and share what you've learned with 3 or more colleagues.

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3. \_\_\_\_\_



# Reflection

**What most excites you about joining the TLC?**

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# Q&A

**What questions  
do you have?**

# Thank you!

