



Texas law requires that educators providing services to gifted/talented students have the following qualifications as stated in the Texas Administrative Code §89.2 ([http://ritter.tea.state.tx.us/rules/tac/chapter\\$89/ch\\$89a.html](http://ritter.tea.state.tx.us/rules/tac/chapter$89/ch$89a.html)). The Region One Education Service Center (ESC) provides the full scope of required training to meet state mandates. Below are listed service offerings for your consideration.

**Institute for New Teachers of the Gifted Purchased through the G/T Coop Slots**  
Basic 30 hours to be offered in School Year 2017-2018 for teachers who provide instruction to gifted students as required by (19TAC§89.2 (1)).

- Day 1 Nature and Needs of Gifted and Talented Students
- Day 2 Assessment of Gifted and Talented Students
- Day 3 Curriculum Differentiation for Gifted and Talented Students Part I
- Day 4 Curriculum Differentiation for Gifted and Talented Students Part II
- Day 5 Curriculum Differentiation for Gifted and Talented Students Part III

**Institute for Teachers of the Gifted 30 hours available ONLINE**

**Advanced Professional Development Purchased through the G/T Coop Slots**  
Continuing 6 hours of professional development for teachers of the gifted (19 TAC§89.2 (2)).

Each topic listed represents an individual professional development opportunity.

1. Integrating Art and Creativity into the Elementary Science Curriculum
2. Building Critical Thinking, Depth, and Complexity into a Differentiated Pre-AP Classroom
3. Implementing the Texas Performance Standards Project in your Classroom
4. Independent Investigation Method (7 step process for conducting research)
5. Twice Exceptional Students: Gifted and Learning Disabled

**G/T 6-hour update available ONLINE**

Services Purchased	Fee	# of Slots	Amount
G/T Co-op slots (1 day of training per G/T Slot) (19TAC§89.2 (1), (2)).	\$100.00 per slot		
On-line Institute for Teachers of the Gifted (30- hours) (19 TAC§89.2 (1)).	\$100.00 per day per teacher	# of days/ teachers	
On-line G/T 6-hour update (19 TAC§89.2 (2)).	\$100.00 per day per teacher	# of days/ teachers	



## On-Site Professional Development Opportunities

### Institute for Teachers of the Gifted (30-hours)

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### Continuing 6 hours of professional development for teachers of the gifted (19 TAC§89.2 (2)).

1. Creativity and Innovation: Encouraging Creativity Using the DOK
2. *Extending Achievement: Adding Rigor and Relevance*
3. Real World Applications of Critical/Creative Thinking Skills
4. Implementing the Texas Performance Standards Project
5. Independent Investigation Research Method
6. Twice Exceptional Students: Gifted and Learning Disabled
7. Customized services-contact Patty Rendon to learn about how you can request custom services not listed in this document. Pricing will be determined based on service requested.

Services Purchased	Fee	# of Slots	Amount
<b>On-Site Professional Development</b>			
Institute for Teachers of the Gifted (Basic 30 hours) (19TAC § 89.2 (1)).	\$1,500.00 per day for 40 teachers	# of days	
On-site Professional Development (G/T 6-hour update) (19 TAC§89.2 (2)).	\$1,500.00 per day for 40 teachers	# of days	

### Gifted and Talented Professional Development for Administrators and Counselors

Services Purchased	Fee	# of Slots	Amount
Gifted and Talented Training for Administrators and Counselors who have authority for program decisions (19 TAC§ 89.2 (3)).	\$200.00 per person		
<b>ONLINE</b> G/T Training for Administrators and Counselors	\$150.00 per person		
<b>On-Site Professional Development</b> Gifted and Talented <b>Refresher</b> Course for Administrators and Counselors	Available <b>onsite</b> for up to 40 people	\$1,500.00 Per day	



## Gifted Students' Opportunities for Engagement

Gifted students participating in the Texas Performance Standards Project will experience cooperation and collaboration with students from other districts who are also working on TPSP Projects. They will engage in hands-on activities as they practice asking questions at the highest level of the taxonomy to help guide their research. A TPSP task will be demonstrated as a catalyst for the kinesthetic activities to be used throughout the workshop.

Services Purchased	Fee	# of Slots	Amount
Gifted Students' Opportunities for Engagement Gifted Student Seminars Grades 3-5	\$50.00 per student	# of students	
Gifted Students' Opportunities for Engagement Gifted Student Seminars Grades 6-9	\$50.00 per student	# of students	
Onsite (3-5) or (6-9) Gifted Students' Opportunities for Engagement	\$50.00 per student	# of students	

## Opportunities for Engagement for Parents of the Gifted Students

Districts may select topics to be presented as determined by G/T Program Evaluation. Some possible topics include: *Nature of Needs of the Gifted Students, Bright Child vs. Gifted learner, Assessment Procedures, Raising a Gifted Child, The Texas State Plan for the Education of Gifted/Talented Students, or others as determined by district needs.*

Services Purchased	Fee	# of Sessions	Amount
Orientation and periodic updates for parents of identified gifted/talented students	\$750.00 per session		

\* A maximum of 40 participants will be permitted in each workshop. Additional Participants will incur an additional fee.

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Total

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Superintendent Signature

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Date

Please return form to Patricia Rendon, G/T Coordinator  
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