



Teaching & Learning Dept Teacher Leaders/Mentors

<i>Title & Contact</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Highlights</i>	<i>District Participation</i>
Adaptive Schools Training Julie Mushing	<p>The training not only explores what makes teams effective but also how to develop skills as facilitators and informed group members in informal and formal settings, in small and large groups. It takes participants beyond the idea of professional learning communities to the actual implementation.</p> <p>"Adaptive Schools" is the "how" of professional learning communities: how to behave in groups, how to lead them, and how to facilitate them for improved leading, teaching, and learning.</p>	<p><u>2022-23 Offerings!</u></p> <p>Registration Open Now: <u>August 1-4, 2023</u></p> <p><i>Testimonials</i></p> <p>"Everyone should take this course!"</p> <p>"This seminar was phenomenal."</p> <p>"I have already implemented strategies in my classroom, and I cannot wait to use them with my department!"</p> <p>"I would love it if my entire building could take this training!"</p>	<p><u>2021-2022 District Participants</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Byron Center • Creative Technologies • Grandville • Hope Academy • Kent City • Kent ISD • Rockford
Cognitive Coaching Julie Mushing	<p>The goal of Cognitive Coaching is to develop individuals who can think for themselves and possess the cognitive ability to excel both independently and as part of a community. Studies have shown that teaching is a complex intellectual activity. When teachers think at higher levels, their students achieve more,</p>		

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	<p>collaborate better, and have stronger problem-solving skills. The thinking processes behind instructional decisions are the key to superior teaching, and Cognitive Coaching is a research-based model that enhances these cognitive processes.</p>		
<p>Mentoring Foundations Online Learning</p> <p>Katie Momber</p>	<p>Learn how to make your mentoring partnership more impactful as you work through self-paced learning sessions.</p>	<p><u>2025-26 Dates</u> Fall Session: August 12-October 3 Winter Session: December 16-February 6</p>	
<p>Mentoring and Induction Consultation</p> <p>Katie Momber</p>	<p>Consultation on how to best meet the needs of your new teachers through mentoring and induction.</p> <p>Learn what Kent ISD has to offer to support your current program.</p> <p>Coaching for mentors In-district Training</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sparta • Kenowa Hills • Grand Rapids CDC • Caledonia • Kentwood • East Grand Rapids • Forest Hills
<p>PLC Support</p> <p>Katie Momber</p>	<p>Consultation on the design and implementation of PLCs in your building/district.</p> <p>Coaching for PLC facilitators.</p>	<p><u>PLC Resources</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rockford

<p>Teacher Leader Deep Dive Courses</p> <p>Katie Momber</p>	<p>Kent ISD's Deep Dive courses are blended learning opportunities that provide asynchronous online study and in-person application sessions. Develop skills as you gain a deep understanding of content and build capacity to lead the work in your school setting. Participants will leave each course with goals and resources for implementation.</p>	<p><u>2025-26 Offerings</u></p> <p>Mentoring Leadership</p> <p>Professional Learning Leadership</p> <p>Leading Teams</p> <p>Instructional Coaching</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
<p>Professional Learning Coordination and Delivery</p> <p><u>Teacher Leaders/Mentors PD Offerings</u></p> <p><u>2023-2024 Professional Learning Plans</u></p> <p>Curious about what Kent ISD is planning for PD in the coming school year. Check out the 2023-2024 PL Plans.</p>	<p>Coordination that helps ensure systemic delivery of professional learning that is relevant, evidence-based, and efficient.</p>	<p><u>2024-2025</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 49 Educators Attended 4 Virtual and In-person Professional Learning Opportunities • 640 Hours of Training • 547 SCECHs Earned by 41 Educators 	<p><u>2024-2025 District Participation</u></p> <p>Participants include educators from 19 districts and PSAs in Kent County and educators from 6 other counties in Michigan.</p>

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