



Substitute Teacher Training and Supports Saint Louis Public Schools

School Year 2021-2022

Since the 2019-2020 school year, substitute teachers have been involved in professional development and professional learning designed and delivered by SLPS Induction Coaches and former Consultant Teachers of STL Plan. This school year three cohorts of substitute teachers will receive professional development.

Cohort 1: 2019 –

- There were 98 members in the original cohort of substitute teachers. They were part of a yearlong effort to increase the effectiveness of St. Louis Public Schools substitute teachers. They received 24 hours of intensive training prior to the Covid-19 interruption.
- On October 27, 2021, they will continue their training with a 2-hour refresher session.

Cohort 2: Summer 2021 –

- There are 45 members of the second cohort of substitute teachers. The second cohort began their professional development with 12 hours of in-person sessions between July 19 – 22, 2021.
- They will receive an additional 16 – 22 hours of training over the course of the 2021 – 2022 school year.

Cohort 3: November 2021 –

- The anticipated number in the third cohort of substitute teachers is 65. This cohort will be comprised of the all substitute teachers hired after August 9, 2021.
- They will have their first in- person training in November 2021.

This training will continue each month from 6 – 12 hours until May of 2022.

Additional Support for School Year 2021-2022 –

- ***Substitute Teacher Professional Learning Community (PLC)*** and ***Substitute Teacher Mentors*** facilitated by SLPS teacher leaders.
- All substitute teachers hired after August 9, 2021 to be invited to participate. To begin in late November 2021

- ***Curriculum / Curricula Supports (outside of PK-8 ELA)***
 - Access the Frontline Professional Learning and Growth System to sign up for the ongoing District Booster sessions that are available to support you in your own personal development. You can access your login by clicking the following link (and clicking on the calendar and/or District Catalog once logged into the system): *Frontline - Sign In (frontlineeducation.com)*

 - Ongoing curriculum content sessions, taught by SLPS Curriculum Specialists, available for continuous learning and improvement. Access the schedule for content sessions [HERE](#).