## APPENDIX I

INDUCTION ACTIVITIES TEACHER
QUESTIONNAIRE

## Induction Activities

## Teacher Questionnaire



## Study of Teacher <br> Induction Programs



Induction refers to a program of professional development and support for beginning teachers. Teacher induction programs consist of various components and activities and often include mentoring and professional development workshops.

The questions on this form ask about your induction experiences during your first year of teaching. For each item, please mark only one answer, unless instructions say to "MARK (X) YES OR NO FOR EACH." Thank you very much for helping us to learn more about teacher induction.

## We want you to know that:

1. We are asking you these questions to gather information about new teachers' career decisions and their experiences with teacher induction.
2. You may skip any questions you do not wish to answer; however, we hope that you answer as many questions as you can. Your answers to questions will not affect your eligibility for any public program.
3. All responses are confidential. Your responses will be combined with those of other teachers, and the answers you give will never be identified as yours.

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## E. BEGINNING TEACHER EXPERIENCES

## YOU MAY USE EITHER A PENCIL OR PEN.

Induction refers to a program of professional development and support for beginning teachers. Teacher induction consists of various components and activities and often includes mentoring and professional development workshops.

E1. Does your school or district provide a teacher induction program for beginning teachers?Yes
$0 \square$No
d $\square$Don't know

Mentoring describes a formal or informal learning relationship, usually between two individuals where the mentor has either experience or expertise in a particular area and provides information, advice, support, and feedback to the beginning teacher.

E2. Do you have a mentor?Yes, one
$2 \square$
Yes, more than oneNo $\rightarrow$ GO TO SECTION F, PAGE 12

E3. Please provide the following information about your mentor.
Mentor 1
First Name: $\qquad$
Position/Title: $\qquad$

IF YOU ONLY HAVE ONE MENTOR, GO TO E4

Mentor 2
First Name: $\qquad$
Position/Title: $\qquad$

Questions E4-E16 ask about the person you named under E3 as Mentor 1.

E4. Is your mentor currently a ...

|  | MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX |
| :---: | :---: |
| Full-time teacher in your school?................................................................................ | $1 \square$ |
| Part-time teacher in your school? ............................................................................... | $2 \square$ |
| Full-time mentor who has been released from teaching? ................................................. | $3 \square$ |
| District office person?.............................................................................................. | ${ }_{4}^{\square} \square$ |
| Someone from a licensing or certification program? ....................................................... | $5 \square$ |
| Other (Please specify) __ ........ | $6 \square$ |

E5. Was this mentor assigned to you?
$1 \square$ Yes
$0 \square$

E6. (IF YES) By whom?

|  | MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX |
| :---: | :---: |
| School or district..................................................................................................... | $1 \square$ |
| Teacher education program ...................................................................................... | $2 \square$ |
| Other (Please specify) __ ........ | $3 \square$ |

E7. Is there a time when you and your mentor usually meet?
$1 \square$ Yes
$0 \square$$\mathrm{No} \rightarrow$ GO TO E12

E8. When do these meetings usually take place?
MARK (X) ALL THAT APPLYBefore school
$2 \square$After school
$3 \square$During lunch
$4 \square$ During planning periodOther (Please specify)

E9. (IF YES) How often do these meetings occur?

|  | MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX |
| :---: | :---: |
| Daily .................................................................................................................... | $1 \square$ |
| 2-4 times per week ................................................................................................. | $2 \square$ |
| Once a week .......................................................................................................... | ${ }^{\square} \square$ |
| 2-3 times per month................................................................................................. | $4 \square$ |
| Once a month ......................................................................................................... | $5 \square$ |
| Several times a year................................................................................................ | $6 \square$ |
| Other (Please specify) __ _......... | $7 \square$ |

E10. On average, how long are these meetings with your mentor?
MARK ( $X$ ) ONLY ONE BOXLess than 15 minutes
$2 \square$ 15 to 30 minutes
$3 \square$30 minutes to 1 hour
$4 \square$1 to 2 hoursMore than 2 hours

E11. Do you feel there is adequate time scheduled for you to meet with your mentor?Yes
$0 \square$

E12. During the most recent full week of teaching, how much informal (not scheduled) contact did you have with your mentor?

## MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX

No timeLess than 15 minutes15 to 30 minutes30 minutes to 1 hour1 to 2 hoursMore than 2 hoursE13. During the most recent full week of teaching, how much scheduled time did your mentor spend ...

|  | MARK ( $X$ ) ONE FOR EACH ITEM |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No Time | Less Than 30 Minutes | 30 Minutes to 1 Hour | 1 to 2 Hours | More Than 2 Hours |
| a. Observing your teaching? ................... | $\bigcirc \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| b. Meeting with you on a one-to-one basis? | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| c. Meeting with you together with other first-year teachers? $\qquad$ | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| d. Meeting with you together with other teachers (excluding time reported in E13c)? | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| e. Modeling a lesson?............................. | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| f. Co-teaching a lesson? ......................... | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |

E14. During the most recent full week of teaching, did your mentor .. .
a. Give you suggestions to improve your practice?
b. Give you encouragement or moral support?
c. Provide an opportunity for you to raise issues/discuss your individual concerns?
d. Provide guidance/information on administrative/logistical issues?
e. Work with you to identify teaching challenges and possible solutions?
f. Discuss with you instructional goals and ways to achieve them?
g. Provide guidance on how to assess your students?
h. Share lesson plans, assessments, or other instructional activities?
i. Act on something you requested the previous week?


E15. During the last 3 months, to what extent has your mentor provided you with guidance in the following areas?
a. Understanding this school's culture, policies, and practices
b. Accessing district and community resources
c. Handling paperwork
d. Working with other teachers to plan instruction
e. Working with other school staff, such as principal, counselors, disability specialist, etc.
f. Working with parents $\qquad$
g. Teaching reading/language arts
h. Teaching mathematics $\qquad$
i. Teaching children with varying levels of achievement/ability
j. Reviewing and assessing student work
k. Implementing classroom management strategies
I. Managing student discipline and behavior
m . Using multiple instructional strategies/techniques to teach students
n. Selecting or adapting curriculum materials
o. Understanding state or district standards
p. Planning lessons $\qquad$
q. Using student assessments to inform your teaching.
r. Motivating students
s. Reflecting on your instructional practices
t. Teaching English language learners
u. Teaching special needs students
v. Teaching students of varying ethnic/racial and socioeconomic backgrounds $\qquad$


E16. During the last 3 months, to what extent have you adjusted your classroom practice in response to advice you received from your mentor in the following areas?

NOTE: If your mentor has not given you advice on a topic, mark (X) "No Advice Given."

|  | Not Applicable | E16. To what extent have you adjusted your practice? |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | MARK (X) ONE FOR EACH ITEM |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | No Advice Given | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Not at } \\ & \text { All } \\ & \text { So Far } \end{aligned}$ | A Little | A <br> Moderate Amount | A Lot |
| a. Teaching reading/language arts................ |  | n口 | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3}^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| b. Teaching mathematics................... |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| c. Teaching children with varying levels of achievement/ability |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| d. Reviewing and assessing student work ..... |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| e. Implementing classroom management strategies |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| f. Managing student discipline and behavior. |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{1} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| g. Using multiple instructional strategies/ techniques to teach students |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| h. Selecting or adapting curriculum materials $\qquad$ |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| i. Understanding state or district standards... |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| j. Planning lessons.................................... |  | n $\square$ | ${ }_{1}^{\square}$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| k. Using student assessments to inform your teaching $\qquad$ |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| I. Motivating students ................................ |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| m . Reflecting on your instructional practices... |  | ${ }_{\mathrm{n}} \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| n. Teaching English language learners.......... | n.a. $\square$ | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| o. Teaching special needs students.............. | n.a. $\square$ | ${ }_{\mathrm{n}} \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| p. Teaching students of varying ethnic/racial and socioeconomic backgrounds. | п.а. $\square$ | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |

Questions E17-E29 ask about the person you named under question E3 as Mentor 2.

## IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A SECOND MENTOR, GO TO SECTION F, PAGE 12

E17. Is your mentor currently a ...

|  | MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX |
| :---: | :---: |
| Full-time teacher in your school?................................................................................ | $1 \square$ |
| Part-time teacher in your school?............................................................................... | $2 \square$ |
| Full-time mentor who has been released from teaching?................................................. | $3 \square$ |
| District office person? .............................................................................................. | $4 \square$ |
| Someone from a licensing or certification program? ....................................................... | $5 \square$ |
| Other (Please specify) ___ ....... | ${ }_{6} \square$ |

E18. Was this mentor assigned to you?
$1 \square$ Yes

- $\square$

E19. (IF YES) By whom?

|  | $\begin{gathered} \operatorname{MARK}(X) \\ \text { ONLY ONE BOX } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| School or district.......................................................................................... | $1 \square$ |
| Teacher education program ...................................................................................... | $2 \square$ |
| Other (Please specify) | ${ }^{\square} \square$ |

E20. Is there a time when you and your mentor usually meet?$\square$ Yes$\mathrm{No} \rightarrow$ GO TO E25

E21. When do these meetings usually take place?
MARK (X) ALL THAT APPLY
$1 \square$ Before school
$2 \square$ After school
$3 \square$During lunch
$4 \square$ During planning period
5Other (Please specify)

E22. (IF YES) How often do these meetings occur?

|  | MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX |
| :---: | :---: |
| Daily .................................................................................................................... | $1 \square$ |
| 2-4 times per week ................................................................................................. | $2 \square$ |
| Once a week ......................................................................................................... | $3 \square$ |
| 2-3 times per month................................................................................................. | ${ }_{4}^{\square} \square$ |
| Once a month ........................................................................................................ | $5 \square$ |
| Several times a year................................................................................................ | $6 \square$ |
| Other (Please specity) __ ........ | $7 \square$ |

E23. On average, how long are these meetings with your mentor?
MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX
$1 \square$
Less than 15 minutes15 to 30 minutes30 minutes to 1 hour
$4 \square$1 to 2 hours
5 More than 2 hours

E24. Do you feel there is adequate time scheduled for you to meet with your mentor?Yes
$0 \square$ No

E25. During the most recent full week of teaching, how much informal (not scheduled) contact did you have with your mentor?

## MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX

No timeLess than 15 minutes15 to 30 minutes30 minutes to 1 hour1 to 2 hoursMore than 2 hoursE26. During the most recent full week of teaching, how much scheduled time did your mentor spend . . .

|  | MARK (X) ONE FOR EACH ITEM |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No Time | Less Than 30 Minutes | 30 Minutes to 1 Hour | 1 to 2 Hours | More Than 2 Hours |
| a. Observing your teaching? .................... | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| b. Meeting with you on a one-to-one basis? | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| c. Meeting with you together with other first-year teachers? $\qquad$ | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| d. Meeting with you together with other teachers (excluding time reported in E26c)? $\qquad$ | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| e. Modeling a lesson? ............................. | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| f. Co-teaching a lesson? ......................... | $0 \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |

E27. During the most recent full week of teaching, did your mentor ...
a. Give you suggestions to improve your practice?
b. Give you encouragement or moral support?
c. Provide an opportunity for you to raise issues/discuss your individual concerns?
d. Provide guidance/information on administrative/logistical issues?
e. Work with you to identify teaching challenges and possible solutions?
f. Discuss with you instructional goals and ways to achieve them?
g. Provide guidance on how to assess your students?
h. Share lesson plans, assessments, or other instructional activities?
i. Act on something you requested the previous week?


E28. During the last 3 months, to what extent has your mentor provided you with guidance in the following areas?
a. Understanding this school's culture, policies, and practices
b. Accessing district and community resources
c. Handling paperwork
d. Working with other teachers to plan instruction
e. Working with other school staff, such as principal, counselors, disability specialist, etc.
f. Working with parents $\qquad$
g. Teaching reading/language arts
h. Teaching mathematics $\qquad$
i. Teaching children with varying levels of achievement/ability
j. Reviewing and assessing student work
k. Implementing classroom management strategies
I. Managing student discipline and behavior
m . Using multiple instructional strategies/techniques to teach students
n. Selecting or adapting curriculum materials
o. Understanding state or district standards
p. Planning lessons $\qquad$
q. Using student assessments to inform your teaching.
r. Motivating students
s. Reflecting on your instructional practices
t. Teaching English language learners
u. Teaching special needs students
v. Teaching students of varying ethnic/racial and socioeconomic backgrounds $\qquad$


E29. During the last 3 months, to what extent have you adjusted your classroom practice in response to advice you received from your mentor in the following areas?

NOTE: If your mentor has not given you advice on a topic, mark (X) "No Advice Given."

|  | Not Applicable | E29. To what extent have you adjusted your practice? |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | MARK (X) ONE FOR EACH ITEM |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | No Advice Given | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Not at } \\ & \text { All } \\ & \text { So Far } \end{aligned}$ | A Little | A <br> Moderate Amount | A Lot |
| a. Teaching reading/language arts................ |  | n口 | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3}^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| b. Teaching mathematics................... |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| c. Teaching children with varying levels of achievement/ability |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| d. Reviewing and assessing student work ..... |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| e. Implementing classroom management strategies |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| f. Managing student discipline and behavior. |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{1} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| g. Using multiple instructional strategies/ techniques to teach students |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| h. Selecting or adapting curriculum materials $\qquad$ |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| i. Understanding state or district standards... |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| j. Planning lessons.................................... |  | n $\square$ | ${ }_{1}^{\square}$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| k. Using student assessments to inform your teaching $\qquad$ |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | $3 \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| I. Motivating students ................................ |  | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| m . Reflecting on your instructional practices... |  | ${ }_{\mathrm{n}} \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| n. Teaching English language learners.......... | n.a. $\square$ | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| o. Teaching special needs students.............. | n.a. $\square$ | ${ }_{\mathrm{n}} \square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }^{\square} \square$ | $4 \square$ |
| p. Teaching students of varying ethnic/racial and socioeconomic backgrounds. | п.а. $\square$ | n $\square$ | $1 \square$ | $2 \square$ | ${ }_{3} \square$ | $4 \square$ |

## F. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Professional development activities are those in which teachers participate to enhance their pedagogical and content knowledge in a variety of areas, such as teaching strategies, education standards, student assessment, applications of technology to instruction, and classroom management. Professional development activities include in-service workshops, study groups, seminars and continuing education courses and can include activities other than school or district offerings.

F1. In the past 3 months, for each of the topics listed below, indicate (a) if professional development was offered on the topic, (b) if you attended, and (c) the amount of time spent on the topic.

EXCLUDE those activities that involve you working one-on-one with a mentor.
NOTE: Workshops may cover multiple topics. Estimate how much time was spent on each topic.

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Professional Development Topics \& Was professional development offered on this topic? \& If the topic was offered, did you attend? \& How much time was spent on this topic? \\
\hline \& MARK (X) YES OR NO FOR EACH TOPIC \& MARK (X) YES OR NO ONLY FOR TOPICS OFFERED \& MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOX \\
\hline a. Human resource policies/procedures \& \begin{tabular}{l}
1  \\
\(0 \square\) 
\end{tabular} \& \begin{tabular}{l}
1 Yes \(\longrightarrow\) \\
\(0 \square\) 
\end{tabular} \& Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours \\
\hline b. Parent and community relations \&  \&  \& ```
1\square Less than 30 minutes
2\square }30\mathrm{ minutes to 1 hour
3\square 1 to 2 hours
4\square More than 2 hours
``` \\
\hline c. School policies on student disciplinary procedures \& \begin{tabular}{l}
\\
- \\
Yes \(\qquad\)

 \& 

Yes <br>
$0 \square$
\end{tabular} \& Less than 30 minutes

30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours <br>

\hline d. Instructional techniques/ strategies \&  \&  \& | 1 $\square$ Less than 30 minutes |
| :--- |
| $2 \square 30$ minutes to 1 hour |
| ${ }_{3} \square \quad 1$ to 2 hours |
| 4 $\square$ More than 2 hours | <br>


\hline e. Understanding the composition of students in your class \& | 1 Yes $\qquad$ |
| :--- |
| 0 | \& | 1 Yes |
| :--- |
| 0 No $\downarrow$ | \& Less than 30 minutes

30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours <br>

\hline f. Content area knowledge (language arts, mathematics, science) \& | 1 Yes $\qquad$ |
| :--- |
| 0 | \&  \& | 1 $\square$ Less than 30 minutes |
| :--- |
| $2 \square 30$ minutes to 1 hour |
| ${ }_{3} \square \quad 1$ to 2 hours |
| 4 $\square$ More than 2 hours | <br>


\hline g. Lesson planning \& | 1 Yes $\longrightarrow$ |
| :--- |
| 0 | \& | $\square$ Yes $\longrightarrow$ |
| :--- |
| $0 \square$ | \& Less than 30 minutes

30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

F1. (continued)

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Professional Development Topics \& Was professional development offered on this topic? \& If the topic was offered, did you attend? \& How much time was spent on this topic? \\
\hline \& MARK (X) YES OR NO FOR EACH TOPIC \& MARK (X) YES OR NO ONLY FOR TOPICS OFFERED \& MARK ( \(X\) ) ONLY ONE BOX \\
\hline h. Analyzing student work/ assessment \&  \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& 1 \square \quad \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
\& 0 \square \quad \text { No } \square
\end{aligned}
\] \& \begin{tabular}{l}
1 \(\square\) Less than 30 minutes \\
2 \(\square 30\) minutes to 1 hour \\
\({ }_{3} \square 1\) to 2 hours \\
4 \(\square\) More than 2 hours
\end{tabular} \\
\hline i. Student motivation/ engagement \& Yes \(\qquad\) ○ \(\square\)
No \(\downarrow\) \& \({ }_{1} \square\) \& 
Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours \\
\hline j. Differentiated instruction \& \(1 \square\) \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& 1 \square \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
\& { }^{1} \square \\
\& \\
\& \\
\& \\
\& \text { No } \longrightarrow
\end{aligned}
\] \& 
Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours \\
\hline k. Using computers to support instruction \& 1 ㅁ \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& \text { 1 } \square \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
\& { }^{1} \square \quad \text { No } \longrightarrow
\end{aligned}
\] \& \begin{tabular}{l}

Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours <br>
$4 \square$ <br>
$\square$ More than 2 hours
\end{tabular} <br>

\hline I. Classroom management techniques \& Yes $\qquad$

No \& \[
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\begin{aligned}
& \begin{array}{l}
\square \\
{ }^{1} \\
0 \\
0 \\
\text { Yes } \\
\text { No }
\end{array}
\end{aligned}
$$

\] \& \begin{tabular}{l}

Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours <br>

- More than 2 hours

\end{tabular} <br>

\hline m. Accessing school, district, or community resources \& $$
\begin{array}{ll}
1 \square & \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
0 \square & \text { No } \longrightarrow
\end{array}
$$ \& \[

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
1 \square & \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
0 \square & \mathrm{No} \\
\\
&
\end{array}
$$

\] \& \begin{tabular}{l}

Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours <br>

- More than 2 hours

\end{tabular} <br>

\hline n. Administrative paperwork \& Yes $\qquad$ $\circ \square$

No $\downarrow$ \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& 1 \square \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
& { }^{1} \square \mathrm{No} \longrightarrow \\
&
\end{aligned}
$$ \& Less than 30 minutes

30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours <br>

\hline o. Handling non-classroom duties and responsibilities (e.g., supervision of lunch room, back to school night) \& 1 ㅁ \&  \& \begin{tabular}{l}
Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours <br>
$\square$ More than 2 hours

\end{tabular} <br>

\hline p. Assigning grades/record keeping \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& \square \quad \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
& 0 \square \mathrm{No} \square
\end{aligned}
$$ \& \[

$$
\begin{aligned}
& 1 \square \text { Yes } \longrightarrow \\
& 0 \square \text { No } \square
\end{aligned}
$$
\] \& Less than 30 minutes

30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours <br>
\hline q. Preparing students for standardized testing \&  \&  \& Less than 30 minutes
30 minutes to 1 hour
1 to 2 hours
More than 2 hours <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

F2. On average, I would characterize the usefulness of the professional development activities I attended in the past 3 months as...

MARK (X) ONLY ONE BOXPoor
$2 \square$
Mostly Poor
$3 \square$
Mostly GoodGood

F3. During the past 3 months, did you . . .

|  | MARK (X) YES OR NO FOR EACH |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Yes | No |
| a. Keep a written log or record of reflections on your teaching practices?................... | $1 \square$ | $0 \square$ |
| b. Keep a portfolio or record of student work and an analysis of that work?................. | $1 \square$ | $0 \square$ |
| c. Work with a study group of new teachers? ........................................................ | $1 \square$ | $\bigcirc \square$ |
| d. Work with a study group of new and experienced teachers?.................................. | $1 \square$ | $0 \square$ |
| e. Observe other teachers teaching in their classrooms? ....................................... | $1 \square$ | $\bigcirc \square$ |
| f. Observe someone else teaching your class? ...................................................... | $1 \square$ | $0 \square$ |
| g. Meet with the principal to discuss your teaching?............................................... | $1 \square$ | $\bigcirc \square$ |
| h. Meet with a literacy or mathematics coach or other curricular specialist? ................ | $1 \square$ | $0 \square$ |
| i. Meet with a resource specialist to discuss needs of particular students? ................. | $1 \square$ | $0 \square$ |

F4. During the past 3 months, how often were you ...
a. Observed teaching your class by your mentor?
b. Observed teaching your class by your principal?
c. Given feedback on your teaching (not as part of a formal evaluation process)?
d. Given feedback on your teaching as part of a formal evaluation process?
e. Given feedback on your lesson plans?


## G. FIRST YEAR TEACHING EXPERIENCE

This section is about your experiences during your first year of teaching.

G1. At this point in the school year, how well prepared do you feel you are to ...
a. Handle a range of classroom management or discipline situations?
b. Use a variety of instructional methods?
c. Teach reading/language arts?
d. Teach mathematics?
e. Assess your students?
f. Select and adapt curriculum and instructional materials?.
g. Motivate students?
h. Work effectively with parents?
i. Work with students who have special behavioral, emotional, developmental or physical challenges?
j. Work with other teachers to plan instruction?
k. Work with the principal or other instructional leaders?
I. Plan effective lessons?
m. Work with English language learners?
n. Be an effective teacher? $\qquad$
o. Address the needs of a diversity of learners?

G1. How well prepared are you?

| MARK ( $X$ ) ONE BOX ON EACH LINE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Not at all Prepared | Somewhat Prepared | Well Prepared | Very Well Prepared |
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G2. Did you receive the following kinds of support during the past 3 months?

|  | G2. Did you receive support? |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | MARK (X) YES OR NO FOR EACH |  |
|  | Yes | No |
| a. Reduced teaching schedule..................................................................................... | $1 \square$ | ${ }_{0} \square$ |
| b. Common planning time with teachers at your grade level .............................................. | $1 \square$ | ${ }^{\circ} \square$ |
| c. A teacher's aide to assist you .................................................................................. | $1 \square$ | ${ }^{\circ} \square$ |
| d. Regular communication with your principal, other administrators, or department chair focused on your teaching practice | $1 \square$ | ${ }^{\circ} \square$ |

G3. Were the following duties part of your teaching assignment in the past 3 months?

|  | MARK (X) YES OR NO FOR EACH |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Yes | No |
| a. Extracurricular assignments....................................................................................... | ${ }_{1} \square$ | ${ }_{0} \square$ |
| b. Move between classrooms ........................................................................................ | ${ }_{1} \square$ | ${ }_{0} \square$ |
| c. Travel to more than one school to teach...................................................................... | $1 \square$ | ${ }_{0} \square$ |
| d. Administrative duties including lunchroom, hall, and recess duties (but not staff meetings)... | $1 \square$ | ${ }_{0} \square$ |

## H. SATISFACTION

H1. At this point, how satisfied are you with EACH of the following aspects of teaching at THIS SCHOOL?
a. Support from administration for beginning teachers
b. Availability of resources and materials/equipment for your classroom
c. Your input into school policies and practices
d. Autonomy or control over your own classroom
e. Student motivation to learn
f. Student discipline and behavior
g. Opportunities for professional development
h. The principal's leadership and vision
i. Professional caliber of colleagues
j. Supportive atmosphere among faculty/collaboration with colleagues
k. School facilities such as the building or grounds
I. Parental involvement in the school $\qquad$
m. Your grade assignment.
n. The students assigned to you
o. School policies
p. Salary and benefits
q. Professional prestige
r. Intellectual challenge
s. Emphasis on standardized test scores
t. Workload $\qquad$

| H1. How satisfied are you? |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MARK ( $X$ ) ONE FOR EACH ITEM |  |  |  |
| Very Dissatisfied | Somewhat Dissatisfied | Somewhat Satisfied | Very Satisfied |
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The survey you completed involves brief follow-ups during this academic year. Please provide information to help us contact you. MPR will mail your check to the address below.

I1. Please PRINT your name, home address, and telephone number.


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Please record the date you completed the survey and mail it to MPR in the envelope provided.

DATE COMPLETED: $\qquad$ Month $\qquad$ Day $\qquad$


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