

Professional Development Unit (PDU) Options

Training Option	PDU Value/ Maximum	Criteria	Verification
College/University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • course for credit • Seminar for credit 	1 semester = 3 PDU 1 quarter = 2 PDU Maximum per license cycle: Unlimited	Coursework must be in education or in a content area directly related to the individual's teaching assignment and/or area of certification. Must be taken through an an accredited college or other approved post secondary educational institution. Must be taken for credit with a grade of "C" or better or a "P" in a pass/fail course.	Official Transcript or original grade report.
Professional Development Presenter <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teaching a course • Teaching a seminar • Teaching an adult vocational or technical course 	1 clock hour = 0.3 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	May be used two times teaching the same course each license /certificatee cycle.	Course Announcement and course syllabus.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional presentation 	1 clock hour = 0.3 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	May be used for the first presentation.	Copy of Presentation
Professional Conference	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	May include only time spent in those portions of the conference program that contribute to the participant's knowledge, competence, performance or effectiveness.	Conference program/ agenda and a report or plan which addresses your IPDP goals.
Professional workshop Professional institute	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	Copy of registration and agenda.	Description of the program reflective journal or actual plan or report which addresses IPDP goals and how information will be shared with other professionals.
Individually Guided Option	PDU Value/ Maximum	Criteria	Verification
Publication of original work in the form of a book, journal article, software, research, innovative curriculum unit.	Varies depending on the product. Maximum per license cycle: 9 PDU	Must be pre-approved by LPDC. Production of a tangible product that enhances teaching and learning.	Copy of book, article, software package, report or curriculum unit.
Educational project that applies educational skills and knowledge towards the development of a final product.	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 3 PDU	Project must have prior and final approval by LPDC.	Copy of the final product or report of the project.
Grant writing	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	Must be pre-approved by LPDC. Grant need not be awarded to receive PDU. Copy of grant proposal.	Copy of the grant proposal and documentation of clock hours for planning and preparation.
National Board for Professional Teaching Standards	Completion and verification in area of assignment during certificate cycle = 18 PDU for candidates	Must be in the subject area of the individual's assignment. Certification must be completed or participation as a candidate must be verified by the expiration date of the certificate or	

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Observation/Assessment Option	PDU Value/ Maximum	Criteria	Verification
Peer Coaching	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 4 PDU	Each session must include pre-observation discussion, observation, and follow-up discussion.	Reflective journal or observation and action plan. Contact hours must be documented.
Mentoring	3 PDU= full year Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU (Both participants are eligible).	Formal district/school mentoring program.	Must include a statement of authorization from a principal.
Cooperating Teacher for student teacher	1.5 PDU per semester Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	Formal college program	Principal/ supervisor participation list and successful completion of contract.
Praxis	Completion and verification Maximum per license cycle: 4 PDU	Formal ODE sponsored training	Valid copy of certificate or documentation of completion and plan which addresses IPDP goals.
Inquiry Option	PDU Value/ Maximum	Criteria	Verification
Action research or educational project.	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 6 PDU	Project must have prior or final approval by LPDC	Copy of final product or report of the project, reflection on learning.
Professional Committee	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 3 PDU	Must be in-serviced on a formal committee organized by an educational agency or organization. Must contribute to the education profession or add to the body of knowledge in the individual's specific field.	Documentation of hours served verified by the president or chair of the committee.
Involvement in Improvement Project Option	PDU Value/ Maximum	Criteria	Verification
Curriculum development	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 3 PDU	Must be serving on a formal committee organized by an educational agency or organization.	Copy of final product or report of the project, reflection on learning
Professional Committee	1 clock hour = 0.1 PDU Maximum per license cycle: 3 PDU	Must be in-serviced on a formal committee organized by an educational agency or organization. Must contribute to the education profession or add to the body of knowledge in the individual's specific field.	Documentation of hours served verified by the president or chair of the committee.