



# Novice Teacher Academy-Year 1 2016-2017 Professional Development Agreement

Dear NTA-Year 1 Teacher:

The Conroe Independent School District Novice Teacher Academy (NTA) is designed for novice teachers in their first full year of teaching. Conroe ISD is committed to developing your knowledge and skills as a teacher. The professional development path on which you will embark as a first year participant is composed of courses that have been selected to help you grow as a teacher and reinforce the district initiatives. Each component will require specific documentation and should be completed by the listed due dates. Below you will find a list of the steps that will need to be completed.

<b>Print Name</b>	Last: _____ First: _____		
<b>Years of Teaching Experience:</b>	<b>Assigned Campus:</b>	<b>Teaching Area:</b>	<b>Grade Level:</b>
<b>NTA-Year 1 Requirements</b>	<b>Description</b>		<b>Due Date</b>
<b>Step One Orientation</b>	Attend "Introduction to Conroe ISD for New Hires"		August 8-10, 2016
<b>Step Two Required Classroom Management</b>	"PBIS: Effective Classroom and Behavior Management" is a requirement of the NTA ( <i>offered on July 26, September 27, and November 9, 2016, and February 7, 2017.</i> )		February 10, 2017
<b>Step Three Required Ongoing Professional Development</b>	Must attend "Foundations of Differentiated Instruction" ( <i>offered on June 20 and September 29, 2016, and January 12, 2017</i> ) plus six (6) hours of Recommended Content Area Professional Development. A list of recommended courses has been provided to you in Eduphoria under the NTA icon; however, you are not limited to these programs.  <i>NOTE: It is highly recommended that professional development hours be earned prior to December 31, 2016.</i>		April 3, 2017

Your professional development coursework will be audited in Eduphoria twice a year. Prior approval and certificates of attendance will be required if the professional development occurs outside of Conroe ISD.

*I have read and understand the purpose and criteria of the CISD Novice Teacher Academy-Year 1.  
I understand that I must complete all the steps listed above by the due dates posted.*

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_