



# September 2019

## Newsletter for First-Year Teachers

Welcome to the 2018-19 school year! What an exciting time of possibilities!

I hope you are doing well and you've had a chance to begin your work with your mentor. If your mentor has not attended the Mentor Training, that will happen later this month and then s/he will have a lot more information to share with you.

Being enrolled in the Mentoring Program shows that your building administrator has prioritized providing you with a proven structure of support. [Click here](#) to read quotes from first year teachers who participated in the program last year.

Each month you will receive a newsletter in your email from me.

### Mentoring Activities:

#### **Things that probably have happened OR will happen soon**

- You and your mentor have watched the screencast to help you understand the program. [Click here for the screencast.](#)
- You have met with your mentor and administrator for a Triad meeting.

#### **Things that should happen during September:**

- One on One conferences with your mentor
- Your mentor will observe you
- You might start observations of other teachers

### Something to think about:

You are invited to sign up for an optional online class. This is wonderful way for you to earn 2 credits each semester for things you are doing in the mentoring program as well as a couple hours of additional online work.

- [Link to register](#) Use Code: **20190521**

### Just for fun:

- Click for a short article from Edutopia [The Biggest Lesson of My First Year Teaching](#)

Have a good month and remember, we're here to help.