

DIGITAL TEACHER ACADEMY

A year-long professional development opportunity designed to support **classroom teachers** as they implement digital instructional practices in their classrooms and become technology leaders in their schools.



WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

- ▶ Receive digital learning training, supports, and resources
- ▶ Gain experience delivering digital learning professional development
- ▶ Pursue/earn a certification in a digital platform [Google or Microsoft]
- ▶ Earn 3.4 CEUs
- ▶ Receive a Mississippi Connects Digital Teacher Academy badge to proudly share your accomplishments
- ▶ Participate at no cost to you or your school/district

Apply at mdek12.org/DTA by September 24.

Applicants will be notified of acceptance by October 8.

REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ Be a full-time classroom teacher
- ▶ Submit **Approval to Participate form** signed by your administrator
- ▶ Attend and fully participate in all virtual and in-person meetings
- ▶ Pursue a digital platform certification during the fall semester [*Google Educator or Microsoft Innovative Educator Trainer*]
- ▶ Lead two digital learning PLCs for your school/district during the spring semester



MEETING DATES & TIMES



October 19, 2021	Virtual meeting + asynchronous work	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
November 9, 2021	Virtual meeting + asynchronous work	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
January 25, 2022	Virtual meeting + asynchronous work	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
February 10, 2022	In-person meeting* (regional location)	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
March 4, 2022	In-person meeting* (regional location)	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
June 6, 2022	In-person meeting* (Jackson location)	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Teacher will be reimbursed travel expenses for in-person meetings.*

**School/district will be reimbursed sub fees for in-person meetings.*

QUESTIONS?

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