



Call for proposals in curriculum

THE TEACHER
LEARNING CO-OP (TLC)
USES AN INQUIRY-BASED
LEARNING MODEL AND
IS SUPPORTED BY THE
ONTARIO MINISTRY
OF EDUCATION.



TLC 2017

2017 TLC focus

Supporting teachers in implementing curriculum with focus on these areas:

- deepening equity and inclusive education practices;
- encouraging students' pursuit of non-traditional occupations and vocations;
- exploring 21st Century Learning/global competencies (critical thinking and problem-solving; innovation, creativity and entrepreneurship; learning to learn/self-aware and self-directed learning; collaboration; communication; and global citizenship);
- increasing competency in assessment for learning;
- integrating financial literacy/learning;
- infusing Indigenous perspectives;
- supporting inquiry-focused teaching and learning; and
- harnessing information and communications technologies (ICT) to support learning.

OTF appreciates that teachers should direct their own learning and have ongoing face-to-face interactions with colleagues to accomplish this.



What the TLC can do for you

- involvement in ongoing self-directed learning
- collaboration with colleagues
- teamwork on a project in curriculum of your determination
- release time to carry out your collaborative learning research and initiatives
- development and implementation of your project over a period of several months
- professional learning and teaching enhancements generated through your research and discussion
- sharing of your knowledge and resources with colleagues in your board and across the province



What the TLC program offers

- support for 20 teams of two to four teachers per team to focus on curriculum
- mentorship program to provide ongoing assistance and expertise to the TLC teams

Examples of projects

- develop new strategies for using technology in relation to the curriculum
- develop strategies and resources for ICT in social sciences
- development effective implementation tools and resources for curriculum

Teachers need release time to work together to reflect on their professional learning goals which could best enhance practice.



Getting started

- assemble a TLC team (colleagues who have a similar interest and work ethic)
- determine the specific area of curriculum for your project
- discuss some of the inquiries/ professional learning goals you might like to explore
- zero in on just one or two for your proposal
- submit your TLC proposal at tlc@otffeo.on.ca



For more information or to apply

Click on **TLC Curriculum** to apply.

Fill out the application form and email it back to OTF at tlc@otffeo.on.ca

**Deadline for submissions:
September 15, 2017**

