



## Elementary GATE Cluster Program Summary 2015-2016

25% of each GATE Cluster Class identified in PowerSchool (e.g. E3\_G.4, or E5\_MG.17) is comprised of students identified as GATE; the remainder of the students in the class **must** reflect the diversity of the school's population.

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According to your site's Assignment Book, which teacher(s) is/are not District GATE Certified and teaching a GATE Cluster class for the 2015-2016 school year? None

How, and when, do the GATE Cluster classroom teachers identify academic skill levels and provide direct instruction, interventions, and/or acceleration for students identified as GATE Cluster?

Teachers review data regularly and base academic decisions regarding direct instruction, interventions and acceleration based on that data. Students have access to many software programs that allow for differentiation of levels in reading and writing as well as for math. For Science and Social Studies students are allowed multiple formats to show their learning when it comes to investigations and projects.

In addition to mastery of CCSS, what are your GATE program goals?

Students are provided access to Common Core State Standards materials and curriculum. Within that students are allowed differentiation based on their ability or inability to access the curriculum. Our goals are to have GATE students make progress within their grade level standards and be allowed to go above and beyond if achievable. As GATE professional development opportunities arise information is passed onto GATE teachers so they have the opportunity to attend.

When are your two GATE Cluster Parent Meetings scheduled?

Date: 9/17/2015	Date: 6/2/2016
GATE Program Overview meeting focus: The two GATE classes provide information to families at Back to School Night how they differentiate instruction and expectations for the year.	Newly Identified GATE Student meeting focus: Newly Identified GATE families are invited to a separate meeting to hear what the GATE test is all about, what it may mean to be cluster or seminar identified, what their options are for the coming school year and what they can do at home to provide support.