San Diego Unified
SCHOOL DISTRICT

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 monitor student progress using AIMS Web, DIBELS, and MAP testing. Teachers then use interventions such as 6-minute solution, PALS Reading, Compass Learning Math and ELA, Small Group Guided Instruction while continuing to monitor student progress.

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

Differentiated learning opportunities that challenge individual student abilities and talents

Opportunities to extend learning with depth and complexity throughout the curriculum

Opportunities to develop critical thinking and problem solving skills in all content areas

Students will learn responsible and ethical behavior, while developing leadership skills

Opportunities to develop self-generating, problem-solving abilities, in order to expand the student's awareness of choices

Challenge and engage the GATE student to demonstrate potential

Alternative solutions explored through abstract mathematical concepts

Research projects explored through simulations

When are your two GATE Cluster Parent Meetings scheduled?

Date:	Date:
GATE Program Overview meeting focus:	Newly Identified GATE Student meeting focus: