

LISD Secondary G/T Service Model Professional Learning Requirements

Counselors are required to complete 30-hour G/T initial training and annual 6-hour G/T update.

Required Initial Foundational G/T Training		30 hours required once in your career
1	The Nature & Needs of Gifted Learners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sessions offered in summer, fall, and spring. ● Available Trade Credit 	6 hours
2	Identification & Assessment of Gifted Learners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sessions offered in summer, fall, and spring. ● Available for Trade Credit 	6 hours
3	The Unique Social & Emotional Needs of Gifted Learners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sessions offered in summer, fall, and spring. ● Available for Trade Credit 	6 hours
4	Differentiating Instruction for Gifted Learners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sessions offered in summer, fall, and spring. ● Available for Trade Credit 	6 hours
5	Additional G/T Learning Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Region 11 G/T or content area courses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Please submit course credit in STRIVE after completing the course. ● LISD Content-Area Professional Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Please request customized G/T Initial credit from your Content Administrator after completing the course. ● LISD G/T Update Courses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Please request customized G/T Initial credit from your Content Administrator after completing the course. 	must earn a total of 6 hours to complete initial series credit

Counselors and Administrators are required to complete 6 hours of G/T professional learning annually.

Annual Secondary G/T Updates		
Select ONE from the options listed below.		
1	LISD G/T Update Courses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Offered summer, fall, and spring ● Available for Trade Credit 	6 hours
2	LISD G/T Initial Series: Teachers are welcome to complete any LISD Secondary G/T Initial series course and request customized credit. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sessions offered in summer, fall, and spring. ● Available for Trade Credit 	6 hours
3	LISD Content-Area Professional Learning Courses Offering G/T Update Credit	6 hours
4	Serve on a District G/T Selection Committee (by invitation only)	6 hours
5	Serve on Campus G/T Selection Committee (by invitation only) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● must attend training session prior to serving ● must serve all year (2 selections--fall and spring) ● G/T administrator will create course in Eduphoria for scheduled dates 	6 hours
6	Region 11 G/T Update Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● ESC Region 11 Workshop Registration - Subject: Gifted & Talented/Adv.Aca. ● must submit in STRIVE for credit approval 	6 hours

General Information

Please register in Canvas or Eduphoria for Secondary G/T courses. Sessions will be offered in the fall, spring, and summer months.

All out of district G/T credit requests must be submitted through Eduphoria STRIVE including documentation of completion. Once approved by Advanced Academics, credit will post to individual portfolios. **Only submit current year documents through Eduphoria STRIVE.** Be sure to request the credit category needed: **“Initial G/T Credit”** or **“G/T Update Credit.”**

Educators with previous (outside of district) documentation demonstrating completion of the 30-hour initial G/T training may submit your certificates through STRIVE. Once reviewed and approved, your transfer credit will be posted on your Eduphoria STRIVE portfolio. If you cannot produce documentation of initial series completion, we require that you renew your training to remain current with best practices in gifted education.

Please refer all requests or questions about Secondary G/T initial and update training to Tammy Williams, Secondary Advanced Academics Administrator.

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