

# Gifted and Talented Training

**Fall 2019**

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## Houston Area Coop (HAC) for Gifted & Talented Training Opportunities

**FOR ALL HAC CLASSES, REGISTRATION CLOSSES 7 DAYS PRIOR TO THE CLASS DATE.  
AFTER THAT TIME YOU CAN NO LONGER REGISTER IN My Learning or Eventbrite.**

**REMEMBER:** For all the Coop classes listed below, attendees must register in [My Learning](#) AND [Eventbrite](#). The link to Eventbrite for each particular class is provided in the **Section** part of My Learning. **If you are not going to attend a class that you registered for, please cancel your registration in both venues to give others an opportunity to attend.**

Date	My Learning SECTION Code	Course Title	GT Hrs./Credit	Location/ Comments
9/7/19	29232	Depth and Complexity Made Easy – Dr. Matthew Campbell	6 – C	Berry Center
9/14/19	29231	Nature and Needs of GT Students – Crystal Wilson	6 – N	Ft. Bend ISD
9/28/19	29233	Identification and Assessment of GT Students – Joyce Juntune	6 – A	Dickinson ISD
10/5/19	29117	Authentic Learning – Todd Stanley	6 – C1	Katy ISD
10/19/19	29118	Creativity and Instructional Strategies -	6 – C	Spring Branch ISD
10/26/19	29119	Why Smart Kids do Dumb Things and other Social/Emotional Issues and Solutions – Colon Seal	6 – N	Alvin ISD
11/2/19	29123	Promising Practices for Talent Development with Multi-Exceptional Populations – Dr. C. Matthew Fugate	6 – C1	Galena Park ISD
11/2/19	29128	Differentiation of Curriculum for GT Students	6 – C	Conroe ISD
12/7/19	29288	Differentiation Strategies for GT Students – Colon Seal	6 – C	Lamar Consolidated
		<b>***** CFISD STAFF ONLY *****</b>		
11/2/19	29256 29290 29291	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nature and Needs with Program Options (N)</li> <li>• Identification and Assessment (A)</li> <li>• Curriculum Differentiation (C)</li> </ul>	6 hours Each Foundation classes being offered (you can only attend one workshop)	Berry Center These workshops are for CFISD Employees who need GT training in at least one of these foundation areas

**NEW THIS YEAR:** Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development classes provide 4 hours of GT training credit. Please take classes listed here ONLY as they are the ONLY ones that earn you GT training credit. **None of the ASCD training is foundation credit.** Register for these classes in My Learning.

#PD110C115M ASCD PD ONLINE	An Introduction, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Edition	4 hrs – C1 non-foundation
#PD110C118 ASCD PD ONLINE	Differentiated Instruction: Creating an Environment That Supports Learning	4 hrs. – C1 non-foundation
#PD110C137 ASCD PD ONLINE:	Differentiated Instruction: Leading and Managing a Differentiated Classroom	4 hrs. – C1 non-foundation
#PD110C117 ASCD PD ONLINE:	Differentiated Instruction: Using Ongoing Assessment to Inform Instruction	4 hrs. – A1 non-foundation
#PD110C138 ASCD PD ONLINE:	Differentiated Instruction: Teaching with Student Differences in Mind	4 hrs. – C1 non-foundation
#PD110C116 ASCD PD ONLINE:	Differentiated Instruction: The Curriculum Connection	4 hrs. – C1 non-foundation
#PD110C111 ASCD PD ONLINE	Multiple Intelligences: Strengthening Your Teaching, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Edition	4 hrs. – C1 non-foundation
#PD140C019M ASCD PD ONLINE:	Assessment and Student Success in a Differentiated Classroom	4 hrs. – A1 non-foundation
#PD150C008M ASCD PD ONLINE:	Designing Assessment for Higher-order Thinking	4 hrs. – A1 non-foundation

## Special Notes:

- **DESTINATION IMAGINATION (DI)** tournament appraisers can receive a total of 9 hours of GT training credit: 3 hours for appraiser training and 6 hours for appraising at the tournament on **TBD**. Participants will receive the full 9 hours of GT credit only if they attend training and appraise at the tournament; no partial credit will be given. **DI** GT hours cannot be used toward the initial 30 hours of GT training. You can substitute **DI** training/appraising for the 6-hour update for two consecutive years only. Then after completing 6 hours of GT credit through another venue, credit for **DI** appraising can be earned again.
- **College Board** AP or Pre-AP course participants will receive 12 hours of GT training credit for attending the full 30 hours of core content during the AP Summer Institutes and other similar training for 3 consecutive years. Hours earned through these programs can be used toward the initial 30 hours of GT training as non-foundation training. After 3 years teachers will need to complete other GT training in order to obtain update hours. **Teachers hired as readers to score exams may not earn GT hours.**

## OTHER LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

**TAGT Learning on Demand AND GT Ignite:** Both of these online companies offer 1, 2, 3, and 6 hour online workshops for a fee. First time users of these sites can take a **1- hour GT training class online for FREE.**

Website Links - <http://tagtondemand.com/free-teacher-trial/> and <https://gtignite.com/>. Access these sites for a free trial. They offer a discount code **VIP33** for a **33% discount on most courses.** These classes can be used towards the 30 hours training or update training. You must submit your certificate through My Learning Out-of-District Credit Request using the Subject Content Code drop down, G/T, All Levels.

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### **FOR MORE INFORMATION ON GT TEACHER TRAINING REQUIREMENTS VISIT**

<http://inside.cfishd.net/curric/gifted/gifted.htm>

- All 30 hours GT training may be taken through an approved online venue.
- As part of the TEA requirement, the initial 30 hours of GT training must include 18 core hours as designated within the following areas:
  - (A) 6 hours Identification and Assessment– core area foundation
  - (C) 6 hours Curriculum/Differentiation and/or Creativity and Instructional Strategies – core area foundation
  - (N) 6 hours Nature and Needs and/or Social & Emotional – core area foundation

**Book Studies cannot be used towards the 18 hours of GT core area foundation training of A, C, or N.**

**Note:** Multiple courses are offered to earn the foundation types (A, C, N). You may accrue a number of hours in each foundation area, but you must meet the minimum 6 hours required within each. You cannot, however, take the same course by the same presenter more than once in 3 years. GT training courses listed as **A1, C1, and N1** are not required training, but they can be used to satisfy the remaining 12 hours needed to complete the 30 hour total.

### **Administrators and Counselors are required by TEA to have 6 hours training in Nature and Needs with Program Options.**

- TAGT On Demand – Nature and Needs of the Gifted and Talented by Joyce Juntune. [https://tagtondemand.com/course-library/? sf\\_s=Nature%20and%20needs%20with%20Program%20Options,](https://tagtondemand.com/course-library/?sf_s=Nature%20and%20needs%20with%20Program%20Options)
- Region 4 - Nature and Needs may be taken online or face-to-face. [https://www.escweb.net/tx\\_esc\\_04/default.aspx.](https://www.escweb.net/tx_esc_04/default.aspx)

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