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TEACHER DEVELOPMENT INSTRUCTION – 01/2021

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DATE : 3 NOVEMBER 2021

PROVINCIAL TEACHER DEVELOPMENT COURSES SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 2021 TO MARCH 2022

1. In 2021 the Eastern Cape Department of Education (ECDOE) published a provincial Prospectus including all the provincial Teacher Development courses scheduled to take place in 2021/22.
2. The East Cape Department of Education has now re-prioritized teacher development programmes to accommodate the challenges Covid -19 had brought about in 2021. With the reduction of Covid-19 restriction levels and to make up for lost ground, the Teacher Development Chief Directorate is now able to present a recovery plan in November 2021 to March 2022.
3. The courses on offer are to be run during weekdays and over school holidays, target key curriculum content and teaching methodology in the prioritized subjects as listed on the attached flyers issued by each of the Teacher Development Institutes.
4. All courses are SACE endorsed which means that teachers who attend and complete a course will be awarded CPTD points for their participation.
5. Training courses will be decentralized to districts to bring the training as close as possible to the trainees.
6. Note that some smaller subjects will be hosted by Institutes and required accommodation will be supplied, but for those subjects that will be offered in districts and CMC's, educators need to note that **no accommodation** will be afforded.



7. Teachers are further encouraged to attend the course(s) which they consider relevant to their own professional development as this will assist them in improving their teaching practice.
8. To attend these trainings, interested teachers **must register online** for any course(s) of their choice, through the registration details for the courses contained in the issued flyers by each Institute (see: attached flyer for each Institute).
9. District officials, Subject Advisors and Principals of all schools are kindly requested to bring this Teacher development Instruction to the attention of all teachers in the courses contained in the flyers.

Yours in Quality Teacher Development and Training

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