



TDES Weekly Updates 2018-19

5.17.19

TDES School Committee

Each school will need to select a TDES Committee. The TDES Committee should be comprised of the Principal, Chapter Chair, and one (1) to three (3) classroom teachers mutually selected by the Principal and Chapter Chair. The TDES Committee will be trained in the redesigned TDES system and provide on-going school-level training. Information around summer training will be sent out to team members. Please send the names of your committee to Megan Scully, megan.scully@clevelandmetroschools.org by close of school today.

eTPES

All teachers and RSP providers will need to log in to eTPES to see their final rating summative rating from the state at the end of the year. The ratings should be available by mid-June. If you are a new teacher and have not received your activation email, please email the TDES mailbox. All teachers and RSP providers must:

- Log in to eTPES to see their SGM & summative rating.
- Print a copy of their final rating sheet for their records.
- Verify their name in eTPES matches their name in the TDES portal for accuracy reporting.

New teachers are currently receiving activation emails from eTPES. eTPES is the state's evaluation portal. The email comes from no-reply@ohiotpes.com. Please click the link in the email to activate your account.

TDES Appeals

TDES Appeals The appeals process for teachers is outlined in the CBA, Article 13, Section 1, H. Appeals should be sent to the Academic Superintendent (Network Leader) first for resolution, then to the Steering Committee Co-Chairs if desired. Teachers please state in your email to TDES@clevelandmetroschools.org what aspect(s) of the process you are appealing so the Network Leader or the TDES Co-Chairs know what to review. If you are appealing to the Co-chairs it is helpful to have your network leaders' response.

H. Appeals process – Following the first formal announced observation event and any subsequent event, a teacher may request the intervention and/or support of the Network Leader within ten (10) working days. The Network Leader will review the evidence regarding the events to date, and may take one or more of the following actions: 1. Co-evaluate the next event or events; 2. Assign a new evaluator to conduct a new evaluation to replace the prior event(s); 3. Uphold the evidence of the event; 4. Provide intervention, including more training, for the evaluator. The Network Leader shall submit an electronic record of the request, his/her response, and the outcome of the appeal within ten (10) working days. The teacher may appeal the Network Leader response to the TDES Steering Committee co-chairs within ten (10) working days via the TDES Mailbox tDES@clevelandmetroschools.org. Professionals must appeal to the Network Leader by **today**.