

NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS IN TEXAS

TEACHER INCENTIVE ALLOTMENT

Texas NBCTs with an active National Board certification and Texas teaching certificate may be eligible to earn an automatic Recognized designation

Designation expires July 31 following the expiration of the National Board certificate

NBCT directory listing must be updated to ensure accurate designation and payout

NBCT must be employed as a teacher (PEIMS Role ID 087) and complete a creditable year of service to generate annual allotment funding

Amount of funding will vary depending on the campus(es) of employment



Annual Allotment Funding

- Calculated annually based on Class Roster Winter Submission
- Districts are not required to have a local designation system to receive TIA funding
- Districts notified of allotment funding by teacher and campus in April 2021
- Districts must expend scheduled allotment funds by August 31, 2021. First allotment funds arrive in September 2021
- Regular payments through FSP thereafter based on projections from the prior year
- 90% or more of funds must be spent on teacher compensation on the campus where the designated NBCT works



Fee Reimbursement

Districts may request reimbursement of fees paid to NBPTS on behalf of eligible NBCTs

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Reimbursement Guidance

Districts may request reimbursement of fees paid to the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) for eligible NBCTs earning certification in 2019 or later. Districts must submit a completed request for reimbursement by March 31, 2021 at 5:00 CST.

Application will be posted with additional guidance in the fall of 2020.

Provisions:

- NBCT must have an active National Board certificate
- If fees were paid by the NBCT, the district must reimburse the NBCT prior to submitting the request for reimbursement
- TEA will verify district reimbursement requests with financial records from NBPTS
- Districts may request up to:
 - o \$1900 for initial certification
 - o \$1250 for renewal
 - o \$495 for maintenance of certification
 - o Registration fees not eligible for reimbursement

JAN-MARCH

New NBCT certifications

Class Roster Winter Submission snapshot of designated teacher campus placement

Districts submit reimbursement requests for NB fees

APRIL

New designations placed on SBEC certificates retroactive to beginning of school year. Allotment funds calculated based on designated teacher CDCNs reported in Class Roster Winter Submission.

Districts notified designated teacher of allotment funding for that school year

AUGUST

8/31 Deadline for expending scheduled allotment funds

8/31 District annual reporting of designated teacher compensation

SEPTEMBER

Allotment funding for new designations and fee reimbursement through FSP

Continued funding throughout school year based on April allotment report

Settle-up of allotment funding for designated teacher movement
District Identifies designated teacher movement to and from the district

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