Funding NTIP Mentoring and PD in 2014-15

- 1. NTIPf unds will support <u>all new NTIPt eachers and NTIPLTO's in their first</u> <u>and second year</u>. Funds can cover release time, travel, meals and accommodations, possibly resources for PD activities and mentoring activities.
- 2. Teachers who are NOT fulltime will NOT be covered for that part of the day that they are <u>not</u> working since NTIP funds <u>cannot be used for wages</u>.

MENTORING Release Time for 2014-15

A) <u>Number of Release Days for New Perm teachers and NEW LTO's</u>:

their goals and strategies on their <u>Annual Learning Plan</u> to help them determine a focus for the release time.

<u>To start</u> with each second year teacher will be given <u>3 days</u> and their mentors will get 3 days as well. Days can be taken as full days or half days if you currently work a full day. They can only be taken as half days if you currently work 0.5 day.

First 1 days: at least one day to be used between Sept 1 and Dec 21.

Second 2 days: to be used bet ween Jan 7 and May 3

After May 3 the budget will be reviewed to determine if more days can be allotted for the time from May 3 through to the end of school. If you require more days at any time please speak to the Board Lead.

On your leave of absence forms you are to <u>indicate the correct code</u> number so that your supply costs get charged to the correct initiative. Discussion of this item and copies of the forms will occur at the board orientation.

CODES:

first year permanent and first year LTO teachers: 1501