SUGGESTED TIMELINE FOR INVOLVING THE TEACHER CANDIDATE DURING FULL INTERNSHIP

Component	Description of Activities	8 Week Placement	16 Week Placement
Observation Clinical faculty always present	 Orientation to the school & classroom Learn layout of school Learn routines, procedures, schedules Learn procedures for emergencies/drills Review school/district handbooks & other policy statements focusing on teachers and students Establish rapport with faculty/staff Discuss arrival/departure & planning time 	Week 1	Week 1
	 Participate in faculty meetings & professional development activities Observe parent-teacher-student conferences Review clinical faculty's lesson plans Identify instructional & classroom management strategies used by clinical faculty Learn student's names Observe for individual learning strengths Observe for student developmental levels Learn about technology tools for teaching 		
Introduction to Teaching Clinical faculty always present	 Teacher candidate begins to practice professional interactions with students Assist clinical faculty with non-instructional duties Assist in organizing & preparing materials/supplies Work with individuals/small groups using clinical faculty prepared plans Discuss observations of students & lessons with clinical faculty Focus on relationships between lesson objectives & activities within lesson Discuss student assessment & evaluation procedures Establish a pattern for feedback with the clinical faculty Practice using technology systems 	Week 2	Week 2

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Part-time Teaching Clinical faculty always present	 Teacher candidate assumes partial or full responsibility for one class or subject Begin providing lesson plans for clinical faculty to critique & approve prior to implementation Teach approved lessons Focus on relationships between lesson objectives and activities within the lesson Discuss observations of students/lesson with the clinical faculty Maintain necessary records for class or subject being taught 	Week 3	Week3
Additional Involvement Clinical faculty usually present	 Teacher candidate should accept additional classes or subjects, usually one added per day. Increase responsibility for planning Assume responsibility for teaching at least two or three classes or subjects Review classroom management strategies with clinical faculty Review long & short-term goals for instruction Use technology tools for teaching, presentations, and/or record keeping 	Week 4	Weeks 4-5
Full-time Teaching Clinical faculty in and out of room as appropriate	 Teacher candidate should have total responsibility within the classroom Review and, with clinical faculty's guidance, implement an instructional approach not previously utilized (optional) invite building administrator to observe, evaluate, and review a lesson plan use technology tools for teaching, presentations, and/or record keeping 	Weeks 5-7	Weeks 6-14
Shared Teaching/Observation Clinical faculty present	 Begin returning teaching duties to clinical faculty to facilitate a smooth transition for the teacher candidate's departure plan for observation of other teachers in the host school and/or in other schools discuss observations with clinical faculty prepare for closure with the clinical faculty and the students 	Week 8	Weeks 15-16