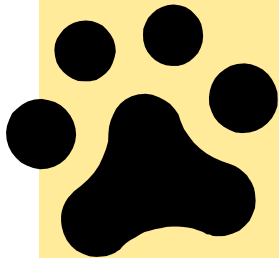


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## District-Approved Strategies and Techniques Utilized in GATE Cluster Classrooms

### Acceleration:

Pacing students through the curriculum at a rate commensurate with their advanced ability, allowing them to go as far and as fast as is appropriate.

### Curriculum Compacting:

A process that allows students who demonstrate mastery through pre-assessment, to omit portions of assigned curriculum. Students are able to use that instructional time for independent study, accelerated content, or to pursue enrichment activities.

### Differentiated Instruction:

This process matches curriculum components to learners' needs, interests, and abilities by making modifications in complexity, depth, and pacing. It may involve the use of classroom management techniques, varied models of instruction and strategies, pre-testing, flexible grouping, and differentiated assignments/homework.

### Independent Project:

Under teacher supervision, students are allowed to follow individual or self-selected areas of interest and specific aptitude by designing and producing their own project.

### Enrichment:

Activities that supplement the core curriculum by providing opportunities to explore a topic in more depth and breadth.



## Personalized Education Plan

Each GATE student will have a Personalized Educational Plan, PEP, enacted during the first trimester. This PEP will be completed and reviewed by the student, classroom teacher, GATE Coordinator, and the parents twice during the academic school year.

## The Lion Pride

Through participation in The Lion Pride, students will be exposed to various enrichment opportunities that will enhance and supplement the academic instruction taking place within the classroom. The following list highlights areas of academic focus for Lion Pride activities taking place throughout the school year.

- Reading
- Writing
- Oral Expression
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies
- Fine Arts
- Technology

To ensure that each year provides adequate enrichment, no two consecutive years will have the same activities.

### Past Activities have included:

*Student-developed interactive whiteboard flipchart development and presentations for charity research & school-wide voting, testing strategies presentations, and internet research on Dr. Seuss for Read Across America. Other activities have included staff art representations, Battle of the Books, math labs, forensic science & crime scene investigations, First Flight art contest, "garbology" environmental unit, chemistry & biology hands-on science investigations, digital photography, & Lego Mind Storm.*