

### PEER MENTORING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT: MENTOR PERSPECTIVES IN TEACHER EDUCATION

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### INTRODUCTIONS

### PURPOSE

- 1. Reflect about peer mentoring and professional development
  - 1. Personally
  - 2. As a teacher
  - 3. As a graduate student

### CONTEXT: ACTIVITIES AND TASKS

- support to teacher candidates through one-on-one meetings
- planning and hosting of workshops
- creation of resource for the Scarfe Digital Sandbox

# QUESTIONS & EXPERIENCES

1. WHAT ARE SOME OF THE KEY TAKEAWAYS YOU HAVE FROM YOUR WORK AS A PEER MENTOR?

2. HOW HAS YOUR EXPERIENCE AS A PEER MENTOR IMPACTED YOUR CAREER OUTSIDE OF UBC?





3. CAN YOU SHARE AN EXAMPLE OF A MOMENT AS A PEER MENTOR THAT EXPLICITLY SUPPORTED YOUR **IMPROVEMENT?** 



## 4. WHAT ARE THE DIFFICULTIES TO BE A PEER MENTOR?

5.1 SHOULD PARTICIPATION IN A MENTORING PROGRAM BE MANDATORY FOR NEW TEACHERS?

5.2 SHOULD EXPERIENCED TEACHERS BE EXPECTED TO ACT AS MENTORS?





6. HOW CAN A PEER MENTOR EXPERIENCE BE COMPARED WITH A COURSE FOR THE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF TEACHERS?



# CONCLUSION Q&A



# THANK YOU!

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