

## Effective/Reflective Teacher

Whether you are a first year, second year or more experienced teacher, the Effective/Reflective Teacher will be a very useful course for you. Using the texts "*Skillful Teacher*" and "*Teach like a Champion 2.0*", participants explore evidence-based practices that successful teachers across the country use. These books will be provided for each participant.

In a class workshop model, you will learn about classroom management strategies of attention, engagement, motivation and discipline. Effective lesson planning strategies are shared and improved. In addition, participants learn how important teacher questioning and clarity is to all students, especially English Language Learners and students with learning disabilities. Finally, teachers discuss the relationship between teacher expectations and student performance and the importance of using assessment to inform teaching practice.

This eight-week course gives time each week to reflect on how teachers can continually improve their instructional practices so that all students master grade-level content standards. Twenty Five PDPs are awarded upon course completion. Participants will only be allowed one excused absence.

*Dates: Thursdays, March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, April 6, 13, 27*

*Time: 3:30 to 5:30pm*

*Location: Worcester Technical High School*

*Presenter: Lee Yonika*

*Class Capacity: 30 participants*

*If you would like to register for this workshop please log on to your TeachPoint account*