

# Unpacking the SLO Guide

## Part 5 – Professional Development and Resources

**Purpose:** To identify professional development and resources to help you meet your SLO.

### Guiding Questions:

- What learning opportunities will support your SLO?
- How can your professional learning community support you?
- Is there a course offered at PDC or elsewhere?
- Will the training opportunity be available early enough to assist you in meeting your goal?
- What other resources would help you meet your SLO?

### How to:

- Identify personal instructional needs related to your SLO
- Identify/locate professional development opportunities that address your content
- Identify resources that would help you meet your needs
- Discuss your identified needs during your approval conference with your principal

### Materials/Resources:

- AISD Professional Development Center (PDC)
- Region XIII training
- National/State/Local conferences in your subject area
- Educational books, journals and websites

### Required Documentation/Product(s):

- Complete the **Professional Development** box on your SLO worksheet
- Complete the **Additional Resources** box on your SLO worksheet
- **ENTER ALL INFORMATION FROM SLO WORKSHEET INTO THE ONLINE SLO DATABASE FOR APPROVAL.** Detailed instructions and the rubric that is used by the SLO team to determine final approval are available on the SLO website at <http://www.austinisd.org/inside/initiatives/compensation/slos.phtml>