NATIONAL BOARD

for Professional Teaching Standards®



## **What is National Board Certification?**

- Recognized as the "Gold Standard" in teacher certification.
- Provides a framework for what accomplished teachers should know and be able to do.

### **Why Become a National Board Certified Teacher?**

- Students taught by NBCTs show greater gains.
- Impactful Professional Development
- All Students in ECISD deserve to be taught by accomplished teachers
- Teacher Incentive Allotment of \$3,000 to \$9,000

# Who is Eligible?

- Teachers, counselors and media specialist that have:
  - A Bachelor's Degree (except some CTE teachers)
  - 2 Years teaching experience in the U.S.
  - A state teaching certificate

### **What is the Certification Process?**

- Submit 4 Components to National Board over 2 years
  - Component 1: Content Knowledge ("The Test")
  - Component 2: Differentiation in Instruction
  - Component 3: Teaching Practice and Learning Environment
  - Component 4: Effective and Reflective Practitioner

## What is the Cost to the Teacher?

- Teacher is responsible for a \$75 registration fee each of the two years.
- Thanks to the Permian Strategic Partnership (PSP), component fees are paid for all 4 components (\$475 x 4 = \$1,900).
- PSP provides tutoring through the National Board Resource Center. (\$1,200 per year)

# **Who to Contact for More Information?**

