

# So you are ready to become a National Board Certified Teacher

First step: Enroll for a Pre-Candidacy course (a prerequisite for funding)



## OPTION 1: DVUSD National Board Pre-Candidacy Class

The DVUSD Pre-Candidacy class will introduce future National Board Candidates to the process of becoming a National Board Certified Teacher (NBCT) through eight modules that includes supplemental online coursework in Spring 2021.

### Learning Objectives:

- Become familiar with the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS).
- Dive into the National Board Core Five Core Propositions.
- Gain knowledge needed to make an informed decision about when to declare candidacy with NBPTS.
- Deepen your understanding of reflective practice and how to analyze your impact on students.

### Class Information:

**Cost: Free**

### Meeting Dates and Times:

Date	Location	Time	Online Homework Via Canvas
Saturday, February 20 <sup>th</sup>	All meetings will be virtual via Zoom	8am – 12pm	2 hours
Thursday, March 4 <sup>th</sup>		4pm – 6pm	1 hour
Wednesday, March 24 <sup>th</sup>		4pm – 6pm	1 hour
Tuesday, April 8 <sup>th</sup>		4pm – 6pm	1 hour
Wednesday, April 21 <sup>st</sup>		4pm – 6pm	1 hour
Saturday, May 1 <sup>st</sup>		8am -12pm	No homework

\*Professional growth is available (optional) and more information will be shared during our first meeting.

## Ready to Register?

Click on the direct registration link or scan the QR code!

Direct Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/afqmArQGG31ihtzG6>



## OPTION 2:

**Interested in a pre-candidacy but unable to be part of our DVUSD class?** An online class is offered by the AzK12 Center, more information can be found here: <https://www.azk12.org/events-management/21-04-10-05-22-national-board-pre-candidacy-class-online/> The cost is \$20, but it will cover the exact material we will be covering! The class is from April 10<sup>th</sup> – May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021.



**\*Important – Remember that completion of a pre-candidacy class (either through the district OR through the AzK12 Center) is required in order to apply for tuition assistance for your National Board components!**

## Have questions?

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