

## A Guide for the Professional Development Plan

My specific Goals	Rationale	Actions and strategies for achievement	Target dates
<p><b>Short term goals (0-12 months)</b>  <i>My immediate goal is to continue developing and fine-tuning my professional competencies by substitute teaching or taking smaller contracts in Montreal and or Toronto.</i></p>	<p>As I have been studying at the Quebec Education Program for the last four years, I would like to continue my education journey in Canada for the next year or so. As I am originally from Toronto, so I would also like to teach in Toronto and learn more about the Ontario curriculum.</p>	<p>Starting now and during the summer, I need to continue to go through the application process for the English Montreal School Board or Lester B. Pearson School Board. In order to apply to Toronto District School Board, I will need to complete my Ontario College of Teacher's license first. This will depend on when Quebec issues my Brevet in order to continue my application process.</p>	<p>Review Sept. 2023</p> <p>Completion June, 2024</p>
<p><b>Middle term goals (1-3 years)</b>  <i>My intermediate goals are to further develop my creative art skills by completing a Masters in Fine Arts.</i></p>	<p>Since high school, I have always had a passion for the creative arts. During my education journey at McGill, I took interest in any art education classes or art topics discussed within my courses. With that said, I want to return to school to further develop my own skills and practices within the arts. I will continue to substitute teach in Canada, either in Montreal or Toronto depending on where I study. I want to use my art knowledge</p>	<p>I will need to research and apply to Fine Arts programs at different universities or colleges. In the meantime, I want to explore different creative arts by doing drop-in classes or independent research and practice. I will continue to substitute teach depending on my schedule and program.</p>	<p>Review Feb. 2024</p> <p>Completion June, 2025</p>

	and integrate my art skills/degree into my future classroom and teaching practices.		
<b>Long term goals (4 years and more)</b> <i>My lasting goals are to teach abroad in the UK and Asia.</i>	<p>My love for education sparked when I was on a service trip in India in 2019, where I was volunteering at a school for about three weeks. As my interest in education began abroad, so when I decided that I wanted to pursue a degree in education, I knew that I would like to teach abroad in several different countries. I believe the UK is a good starting place as the curriculum is more similar to the Canadian one. I think it will also ease the transition of living in a new country. After Europe, I want to teach at an international school in Asia. As of right now, I am interested in teaching in Thailand, India or Japan. I would also like to eventually return to the school in India, where I initially found my passion for education in Tamil Nadu.</p>	<p>As of right now, I am speaking with UK representatives from different companies that I met through the McGill Education Career Fair. I will keep in close contact with both companies for when I am ready to move to the UK.</p> <p>In terms of teaching at an international school, I will need to do more research and reassess where I would like to live and what elementary school I want to apply to. During my time in the UK, I hope to network and make connections to other international school teachers to learn more about teaching internationally, their experiences, and tips.</p>	<p>Review March, 2027</p> <p>Completion June, 2027</p>