

**Approval of Memorandum of Agreement between UNT and  
Denton ISD for Teacher Residencies  
September 26, 2023**

**SUMMARY:**

This agreement between the University of North Texas and Denton ISD is for the purpose of establishing or continuing a clinical practice school site where a cohort of qualified students will become teacher residents in Denton ISD classrooms.

**PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:**

No previous Board Action.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

This agreement is part of a collaboration between UNT and Denton ISD as we are both committed to advancing the learning of EC-12 students, teacher candidates, and practicing educators, and to improving public education through collaborative research and development.

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:**

None at this time.

**BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

Denton ISD and UNT will both benefit when expertise and resources are shared in a collaborative partnership to advance the shared mission of continuous improvement of educator preparation.

**PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:**

None at this time.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

None at this time.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:**

*Superintendent recommends approval of the Memorandum of Agreement between UNT and Denton ISD for Teacher Residencies*

**STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:**

Jason Liewehr, Executive Director of Human Resources

**ATTACHMENT:**

Memorandum of Agreement – UNT Teacher Residencies

**APPROVAL:**

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_