Novice Teacher Mentor Qualifications

The following serve as core qualifications to be a novice teacher mentor in Champaign Community Schools.

- Hold a standard or master certificate
- Completed the CFT Mentor Training Foundation training
- Commit to the documentation of the required 60 hours of face to face support for the novice teacher (includes scheduled mentor meetings, staff meetings, observation cycles, grade level collaboration, team meetings, and other professional development/mentoring activities)
- Demonstrate evidence of effective teaching practice, including pedagogy and content knowledge
- Demonstrate strong inter / intra personal skills
- Demonstrate ability to reflect on practice of their own and others (strongly suggest Cognitive Coaching Training)