

State Responses to Vendor Questions for
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Questions	Answers
Are you looking for a single provider statewide?	The state is open to all solutions.
Has the size of the stipends been determined? If not is it our purview to suggest?	This has yet to be determined. It is within your purview to suggest amounts.
RFP states “Training should be provided at introductory, intermediate, and advanced levels.” Could you please explain a bit more about what “levels” are being referenced here? Our guess is this refers to teacher’s CS experience levels. Or is it the CSTA standards levels 2, 3a, and 3b? Something else?	The training should be inclusive of introductory computer science and technology concepts, intermediate computer science and technology concepts, and advanced computer science and technology concepts and topics and in alignment with the CSTA standards.
Is there a need to support an alternative certification pathway such as the Praxis (or state-administered exam) for teachers who do not have the BMIT endorsement?	This is not a specific focus of this project.
Is there any requirement for teachers of this new graduation requirement course to participate in one of these PD programs?	No.
Is there expectation that teachers can or should progress from one level of this PD program to the next within the one year contract?	Teachers should be able to progress from one level to the next should they choose to do so over time, not necessarily within one year.