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Teacher Leadership Institute May 19 and 20
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USF St. Petersburg is sponsoring the inaugural Teacher Leadership Institute May 19 and 20. The Institute is a two-day seminar which gives teachers and administrators a chance to participate in interactive sessions as they explore the role of teachers as leaders.

The teacher-administrator teams will attend these seminars that focus on four key roles of teacher leaders, as supported by the extensive research in this area.

- Teachers as Researchers – Explore the changing and empowering role of teachers.
- Teachers as Ethical Decision Makers – Advocate for critical change to improve quality teaching environments and student learning.
- Teachers as Professionals – Reconstruct the profession of teaching, creating system-wide norms and practices that support career-long learning.
- Teacher Leadership in Curriculum and Instruction – Improve teaching and learning for all students because good teaching is what teacher leadership is all about.

Teacher from Pinellas, Hillsborough, Pasco, Hernando or Citrus County are encouraged to apply. There is no cost to attend the seminars. Teams should consist of a site-based administrator and three to five teachers. Snacks and lunch will be provided both days.

For more information or to register visit [http://www.assessmentproject.org/register](http://www.assessmentproject.org/register).

In addition to a leadership team in the College of Education, Progress Energy and Pinellas County Schools are also helping to make this Institute possible.