



# Transforming Mathematics Classrooms Through Number Talks: A Leadership Academy in Colorado

*Letters of Commitment*

## **Thank you for your interest in writing a Letter of Commitment to support the participation of mathematics educators in this project!**

The Letter of Commitment should be addressed to MEC and include the following information:

- Name of district, school, individual, or other entity committing to financially support the participant(s),
- Name and contact information for contact person of supporting entity,
- Number of participant(s) committing support for,
- Statement of commitment to pay \$1700 per participant per year (for three years) plus pay for travel and stipends (if needed) for 4 days of professional development each summer, and stipends for four 2-hour webinars each school year (*note: We don't yet know the location of the summer professional development days as that will be determined based upon committed participants. We will make every effort to minimize travel*).

Finally, while strict commitments for each of the following items are not required, these supports are strongly recommended in order to fully realize the potential of the Number Talk Support Team (NTST) leadership work within a region:

- Support NTSTs to work with teachers in their schools/districts/regions;
- Support additional classroom teachers to attend a 2-day Number Talk Institute alongside NTSTs who will be mentoring the teachers during the three years of the project. (The cost of an institute for a non-NTST participant is \$275.)

**Letters of Commitment need to be received by February 28, 2017.**

**Please email Letters of Commitment, and refer all questions, to [sandie.gilliam@comcast.net](mailto:sandie.gilliam@comcast.net)  
Teams will be notified by the end of March.**