ACCEPTABLE DOMAINS OF PROFESSIONAL GROWTH
FOR ADVANCEMENT ON THE SALARY SCHEDULE

• A subject, or subjects the credential holder teaches.
• A field of specialization in which the credential holder serves, or reasonably expects to serve in a non-administrative position.
• Concepts, principles and methods of effective teaching, curriculum and evaluation.
• Concepts and principles of physical, intellectual, social and emotional development among children and youth.
• Concepts and principles of human communication, learning, motivation, and individuality.
• Languages and cultural backgrounds of groups of children and youth who attend California schools.
• Concepts and principles of effective relationships among schools, families and communities.
• Roles, organization and operation of public education, including professional development institutes and workshops sponsored by local teachers’ associations.