

PRAXIS GROUP EDUCATIONAL TRAININGS CATALOG 2018

More Professional Development Offerings will be added in February.

- Each Workshop is 2 hours
- Workshops are held at your program's facility.
- Trainers will be matched up with programs based on each trainer's expertise.
- Dates and times are booked at your program's convenience.

Workshop Descriptions:

*Mindfulness as a Behavior Management Strategy*****

- *Discover what Mindfulness is.*
- *Explore the benefits of cultivating Mindfulness into your everyday life.*
- *Learn to create a classroom atmosphere based on mindful principles.*

*Developing Positive Behavior Management***

- *Learn how to use positive behavior management practices that reflect current research regarding child development.*
- *Examine effective strategies for responding to antisocial behavior.*
- *Develop ways to prevent disruptive behavior.*
- *Develop social and emotional learning activities that promote community.*

Supporting LGBTQ Children and Families in educational programs

- *Learn how to integrate positive, non-threatening LGBTQ topics into your program.*
- *Learn how to effectively support LGBTQ children.*
- *Develop an ethos of caring for sll children.*

Developing Positive Professional Relationships with Young Children in Your Program**

- *Understanding the power of positive relationships and how early relationships impact children's growth and development*
- *Learn ways to promote children's language, social-emotional, and cognitive development through relationship.*
- *Discover strategies build positive relationships throughout your program environment through daily routines.*

Reducing Gender Bias in Educational Programs**

- *Learn how children learn gender stereotypes.*
- *Reflect on your role in their understanding on gender.*
- *Learn how to answer children's questions about GB in age appropriate ways.*
- *Develop activities that promote tolerance, respect and appreciation of differences*

Enhancing Workshop Skills for Educators***

- *Explaining the difference between a presentation and an interactive workshop*
- *Explore the elements of effective workshops*
- *Examine adult learning needs and develop methods that will best help workshop participants*
- *Increase your confidence in conducting workshops through proper preparation*

*Building the Library: Selecting Books for the Young Children in your Program ******

- *Learn to match the reading level of the children with the reading level of book.*
- *Learn other criteria for choosing books to purchase for your program.*
- *Understand how to organize the classroom library.*
- *Identify ways that reading can be incorporated into the curriculum.*

*Building Positive Parent Partnerships ******

- *Identify the elements in developing trusting, productive relationships with parents*
- *Learn strategies to enhance your communication skills*
- *Gain confidence in your ability to communicate effectively with parents*

Designing Effective “Student Advisory” in Your School (NEASC)

- *Explore the theory, history and origin of the advisory period.*
- *Discover ways to enhance an existing advisory program.*
- *Learn to prepare for launching an advisory program.*
- *Moving beyond compliance: Why do advisory?*

*** EEC Core Competency: Guiding and Interacting with Children*

**** EEC Core Competency: Professionalism and Leadership*

***** EEC Core Competency: Health, Safety and Nutrition*

****** EEC Core Competency: Partnering with Families and Communities*

****** EEC Core Competency: Learning Environments and Curriculum*

(NEASC Requirement): The New England Association of Secondary Schools & Colleges requires members to have these programs, use these methods and for faculty to be trained in these areas.

DESE approved PDP workshop are coming soon.

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