WHAT IS PDSA?

PDSA (Plan, Do, Study, Act) refers to a four-step improvement cycle for organizing and managing change and continuous improvement. This cycle was developed by Dr. Walter Shewhart in the 1920s and put into business practice in Japan and the United States by W. Edwards Deming. (Embedded in the PDSA cycle are quality tools to facilitate the process.) It is a strategy used to encourage groups to determine goals, monitor progress, and make rapid changes when results are not achieved.





CESA 8 PRESENTS:

# NORTHERN WISCONSIN CLASSROOM PDSA

**FEBRUARY 5, 2015** 

## CESA 8 PDSA BOOTCAMP



This course provides participants with the basic understanding of PDSA

## Learning Objectives:

- Improve Quality
- Improve Performance
- Improve Satisfaction
- Improve Engagement
- Improve Effectiveness
- Ensure Innovation

#### Presenters:

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Date: February 5, 2015 Time: 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Location: CESA 8 Office

## PDSA INTRODUCTION:

During the *plan phase* of the PDSA teachers are partnering with students to set short term plans with students that will link directly with the overarching yearly goals referenced earlier. These goals are measurable and written in student-friendly language. They are the critical things that students should know or be able to do as a result of the course work.

In the second phase of the PDSA teachers and students collaborate to discuss what they will do to accomplish the goal. When done well students and teachers will both identify the specific actions and activities that they can do to master the outcomes discussed.

The third component of the PDSA requires students and teachers to study the results. In this phase teachers discuss the results with students and reflect on what all parties might have done to achieve at an even higher rate.

The final step of the process is the Action. This is the crux of the entire PDSA process and the very essence of continuous improvement. Based on the study phase and the student reflection teachers make the necessary changes to instruction.



### Audience:

Members of the CESA 8 Leadership Team, Area Superintendents, Principals, **Teacher Leaders** 

## Cost:

\$100.00 per person for any participant from a CESA 8 School District. \$200.00 per person for all other participants.

## **Registration:**

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