

Peer Review and Mentoring Grant Mentor Training

Presented by CESA #4
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Grant

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When: January 20th, 2012
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Host Site Location:
La Farge School District Library.
Parking & main entrance are
located at the end of Silver
Street,
La Farge, WI

About Mentoring

PI-34 requires school districts to provide a qualified mentor for initial Educators. A qualified mentor is one who holds an appropriate, valid professional educator license, and has been trained to mentor. Their role is to determine beginning educators' needs, review the Wisconsin Educator Standards, and discuss issues and challenges facing initial educators.

Workshop Components

- Overview of PI 34 with particular attention to the PDP process and Wisconsin Educator Standards
- Focus on teacher standards 3, 4, 5, & 8 (focus on teaching practices)
- Role of the mentor within different mentoring models Understanding needs of beginning educators
- Professional Development Plan Process
- Coaching skills - using the coaching process in working with Initial Educators
- Process of reflection - reflective listening, reflective conferencing, using reflection to analyze teaching practices
- Forming a collaborative relationship - confidentiality in the relationship
- Classroom observation skills
- Development of goals for the working relationship of mentor and Initial Educator (having a "road map" to follow)
- Components of a quality induction program
- Data collection and analysis to assist Initial Educator in gathering evidence of improved student learning for PDPs

Lunch and materials are included.

This workshop is exclusively available to 2011-2012

Peer Review and Mentoring Grant Member Districts:

Alma Center-Humbird-Merrillan, Arcadia, Bangor, Blair-Taylor, Black River Falls, Cashton, Cochrane-Fountain City, De Soto, Hillsboro, Independence, La Farge, Norwalk-Ontario-Wilton, Royall, Sparta, Viroqua, Westby, West Salem, Whitehall and Wonewoc-Center Educators.

Pre-registration is required and can be completed online by visiting the CESA #4 website. Click on the calendar link at the top and it will take you through the process of our new on-line registration system. First time users will be asked to fill out online registration information so that you may then register for this and other CESA #4 workshops. Registration Deadline: January 15th.

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