

Professional Development Opportunity for Educators

(1 graduate credit optional)

"Fine Tuning Your School to be an Emotionally Safe Place for ALL"

Schedule	<p>June 16 & 17, 2008 Sturgeon Bay Middle School Commons 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM (Registration for credit option 3:30- 4:00 PM June 16) - lunch provided on-site at no cost to participants -</p>
Audience	School Administrators, Counselors, Teachers, and Support Staff
Presenter	<p>Kathleen Leadley, Trainer for National Education Association Safe Schools, Bias and Gender Issues, Facilitator for Tribes Strategies, Diversity, Staff Development/Professional Learning Trainer Shirley Senarighi, Instructor of Record for the optional Silver Lake one graduate credit</p>
Description	<p>"Fine Tuning Your School to Be Emotionally Safe for All" will provide training to school teachers, counselors, administrators and support staff. Participants will examine their assumptions about diversity and school safety. Diversity encompasses more than race. In today's classrooms there are different kinds of family structures, diverse learning styles, varied socio-economic means, students with disabilities, and Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender issues. Understanding and differentiating learning to address these diversities will maximize student potential and create inclusive and safe school and classroom environments.</p>
Resources	<p>Workshop participants will receive: The Top Ten Ways to Make Your Schools Safer - For All Students. The Respectful School: How Educators and Students Can Conquer Hate and Harassment. Readings and website explorations as recommended by the presenter. Resource materials to use in their school and/or classroom.</p>
Standards	<p><u>Wisconsin Administrator Standards:</u> 2. The administrator leads by facilitating the development, articulation, implementation, and stewardship of a vision of learning that is shared by the school community. 3. The administrator manages by advocating, nurturing and sustaining a school culture and instructional program conducive to pupil learning and staff professional growth. 5. The administrator models collaborating with families and community members, responding to diverse community interests and needs, and mobilizing community resources. 6. The administrator acts with integrity, fairness, and in an ethical manner. 7. The administrator understands, responds to, and interacts with the larger political, social, economic, legal, and cultural context that affects schooling. <u>Wisconsin Teacher Standards:</u> 2. Teachers know how children grow. 3. Teachers understand that children learn differently. 6. Teachers communicate well. 9. Teachers are able to evaluate themselves. 10. Teachers are connected with other teachers and the community.</p>
Registration	<p>Registration form & \$25 fee paid to PFLAG Door County by June 1 (form attached) One graduate credit option fees - \$255 total. Register & pay credit fees on June 16. \$175 to Silver Lake College and \$80 to Sturgeon Bay Schools Maximum - 30 participants</p>

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