

# **Positive Discipline in the Classroom**

A workshop for Teachers, Administrators, Counselors, Social Workers, School Professionals, Aides, Psychologists, Nurses, Youth Workers, and Program Providers who work with young people in group settings.

## Day/Time

Friday and Saturday October 12 & 13, 2018 9:00am – 5:30pm

## Location

Creative Science School 1231 SE 92<sup>nd</sup> Ave Portland, OR 97216

## Facilitators

Steven Foster, LCSW

Julia Tomes, MAT

#### Cost

\$375 (Early Registration received and paid by October 1, 2018)

\$425 (Regular Registration)

(Includes the book, Positive Discipline in the Classroom, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition and the Positive Discipline in the Classroom Teacher's or Leader's Guide.)

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#### Register

Register and pay online www.positivediscipline.org

## **Positive Discipline Focuses on Discipline That Teaches:**

Recent research has shown unequivocally that Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) is vital if teachers and other school personnel hope to increase academic gains for their students of all ages. The abilities of students to manage strong emotions, interact cooperatively with others and resolve problems that come up in their daily lives are quite literally academic survival skills. All SEL programs or curricula strive to teach these skills. As both a trauma informed and restorative practice, Positive Discipline in the Classroom does so in a manner which stresses mutual dignity and respect for students and teachers all the while promoting the democratic values that are at the core of our civic lives.

#### Workshop Participants Will:

- 1. Become familiar with **research-based and trauma-informed tools** that connect with students and/or mediate a conflict.
- 2. Create an **equitable classroom community** based on mutual respect.
- 3. Understand the **belief behind the students' misbehavior** and how to use encouragement to motivate positive change.
- 4. Facilitate **effective class meetings** teaching social skills which promote collaboration and problem-solving.
- 5. Learn how to empower students to **look for solutions** and **do the right thing even when no one is looking.**
- 6. Learn Positive Discipline/Adlerian psychology for use in the classroom and school community.
- 6. Practice the **Teacher Helping Teacher Problem Solving Steps**, an effective tool for ongoing training and support for teachers, administrators, and all support staff.

#### Special Needs

Please contact Julia Tomes at <u>jtomes@artwells.com</u> to request information regarding special needs accommodations.

#### Cancellation/Refund

Workshop Registrations: A full refund (minus \$35 processing fee) will be given when the request for a refund is made up to 30 days prior to the first day of the workshop. Refunds are not available for cancellations less than 30 days prior to the first day of a workshop. However, paid registrants can transfer to another workshop within one year at no additional cost. Refunds are not available after a transfer is made or if you do not provide advanced notice that you will not be attending the workshop.

## About the Trainers

**Steven Foster**, is a licensed Clinical Social Worker and a parent educator since 2001. He is the coauthor of *Positive Discipline for Children with Special Needs*, and the latest manual, *Positive Discipline for Early Childhood Educators*. Steven is a Certified Positive Discipline Lead Trainer. Contact Steven: 971-275-6510 or stevenfosterpdx@gmail.com

Julia Tomes has a Masters of Arts in Teaching and is a former elementary and middle school teacher. She is also trained in Montessori for Pre-Primary children. She has been a parent educator since 2008 and is a Certified Positive Discipline Trainer. Contact Julia: 503-841-9130 or jtomes@artwells.com.

## 13 Continuing Education Credit Hours

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