Certificate in

Social Emotional Learning

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SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING CERTIFICATE

The Social Emotional Learning Certificate program connects the theory of the Social Emotional Learning competencies to classroom practice. Participants will learn about the impact of Adverse Childhood Experiences and sociocultural factors on learners' academic achievement and behaviors as well as practical strategies for addressing learner and educator needs. Participants will develop inclusive, comprehensive plans to be implemented in their classrooms.



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PROGRAM FORMAT:

All three classes required for the certificate will be offered in an asynchronous online format. One class will be offered each semester (Fall, Spring, and Summer) and can be taken in any order.



COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:

TEAC470: Trauma-Informed Teaching

This course will examine the impact of Adverse Childhood Experiences and sociocultural factors on learners' academic achievement and behaviors. Classroom methods for addressing Social Emotional Learning and self-care methods to address burnout and secondary trauma will be discussed.

TEAC471: Building Relationships with Students

This course will examine how to build Social Emotional Learning capacities in K-12 students through positive, culturally responsive relationships. Creating a sense of belonging for all students and responding to behavior will be discussed.

TEAC472: Communication and Partnerships

This class will examine how to initiate and maintain positive partnerships between students, families, schools, and the community. Communication within the classroom and among stakeholders will also be discussed.