

WSU Extension and the North Central ESD have partnered to offer a dynamic training that addresses the #1 influence on student success,

'The Learning Community.'

Current educational research has shown that there are necessary skills, attitudes and competencies that are required for students to achieve at high levels. Join us in gaining the knowledge and skills needed to build these capacities through a safe and supportive learning community.

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Presents

Building Successful Learning Communities WSU training provides teachers with tools that build safe and supportive learning communities, preparing students for success through the development of social/ emotional intelligence and healthier relationships with peers and adults.



Educators will gain specific tools that will allow them to:

- Recognize the social and emotional needs of individuals and their class.
- Formulate and implement a plan to create learning opportunities that target learning needs.
- Effectively draw out student learning that has resulted from intentionally designed experiences.
- Assist students in transferring this learning to new experiences in the classroom and life.

Research-based Outcomes:

Research shows that programs that focus on Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) result in

- Increased student motivation
- Increased student attendance
- Increased positive school climate
- Increased time on task
- Increased mastery of subject material
- Increased teacher retention rate Malecki & Elliot, 2002



The new three "R's" in education: <u>Relationships</u> <u>Rigor</u>

Relevance



<u>1 Day In-service:</u>

"Intro to Successful Learning Communities" (Theory and Tools)

2 Day Workshop:

"Exploring Successful Learning Communities" (Theory, Tools, and Implementation Strategies)

<u>3 Day Training:</u>

"Developing Successful Learning Communities" (Theory, Tools, Facilitation Techniques, and Implementation Strategies)

For a list of open enrollment trainings, costs, or to schedule a training at your school, visit:

www.ncw.wsu.edu/learningcommunities or contact aahansen@wsu.edu (509) 667-6540

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