



Lions Quest

Live Zoom Professional Development Workshop

Module 1 Understanding Social and Emotional Learning

Module 1 is designed to help participants establish a common understanding of social and emotional learning and the five core competencies and skills that have been proven to have a significant, positive impact on students' academic, social, and emotional development.

Participants will explore:

- ◆ *the definition of social and emotional learning;*
- ◆ *the five core SEL competencies that are taught and reinforced in the Lions Quest programs;*
- ◆ *the research that highlights the benefits and value of SEL for students and adults.*

Module 2 Introduction to Lions Quest Materials

Module 2 is designed to help participants learn to use Lions Quest programs to teach students, engage families and community partners, and support positive school climate.

Participants will explore:

- ◆ *the social, emotional, and academic needs of their students;*
- ◆ *the Lions Quest program instructional materials included in each grade-level kit;*
- ◆ *the five program elements that support the school-family-community structure of the Lions Quest social and emotional learning program.*

Module 3 Relationship-Centered Learning Community

Module 3 is designed to equip participants with strategies for creating and sustaining a safe, supportive, equitable, and inclusive classroom learning environment.

Participants will explore:

- ◆ *welcoming, community-building, and inclusion activities;*
- ◆ *sustaining a Relationship-Centered Learning Community using Shared Agreements;*
- ◆ *other rituals and traditions for creating an environment that supports the development of social, emotional, and academic skills.*

Module 4 Teaching Lions Quest Lessons

Module 4 is designed to introduce the Lions Quest instructional pedagogy and the supporting instructional strategies for effectively implementing the classroom curriculum.

Participants will explore:

- ◆ *the Lions Quest researched based 4-Phase lesson design;*
- ◆ *instructional strategies used in Lions Quest that teach, model, and reinforce social and emotional competencies and skills.*

Module 5 Implementation

Module 5 is designed to introduce a variety of curriculum implementation options and best practices for schoolwide implementation that support high quality, systemic implementation.

Participants will explore:

- ◆ *several implementation models and plans;*
- ◆ *guidelines and best practices for schoolwide implementation;*
- ◆ *ways to modify and adjust the program to meet the needs of diverse student populations.*