Western Illinois University  
Student Teaching Program

Mentor Teacher Orientation Workshop  
Spring 2011  
Agenda

Presenter/Facilitator- University Student Teacher Student Teacher Supervisor  
Participants- Mentor Teachers, Student Teachers, University Liaisons  

Resources- Mentor Teacher Folder (hard copies today, also on the CPEP website), student teaching textbook- First Days of School, by Harry Wong, Western Illinois University Libraries (Malpass Library and Curriculum Library).

Training Sites- There will be multiple sites/dates available for this workshop.

Objective- Provide in-service training for Mentor Teachers who have agreed to host WIU student teacher in their classrooms. Content will include a review of the Mentor Teacher folder contents plus other terms specific to the University Supervisor and the geographic area.

Discussion Topics

- Student Teaching Model-summary
- Competencies of Effective Student Teacher Mentors
- Student Teaching Syllabus
- From Novice to Expert- Developmental Phases in Becoming a Master Teacher
- Suggested Guidelines (time frame) for Student Teaching Responsibilities and Mentor Evaluations
- FAQ-Mentoring Student Teachers
- FAQ- Student Teaching
- Candidate Dispositions
- Student Teacher Midterm Evaluation
- Student Teacher Final Evaluation
- Mentor Teacher Paperwork Deadlines
- Clinical Experience-overview
- Responsibilities (of each of the parties in the student teaching experience)
- Physical Restraint and Crisis Intervention Policy
- Tuition Waiver Usage Procedures
- WIU Work Sample
- Contact information for supervisor and program coordinator

Discussion with Q and A.