



Special Education Practices for Community Schools Series

Presented by Region 10 Consultants

SERIES Tuesday, October 5, 2010
DATES: Thursday, January 13, 2011
Wednesday, March 9, 2011

TIME: 8:30 a.m.. - 3:30 p.m. (1 hour lunch on your own)

LOCATION: Miami Valley Regional Center
4801 Springfield Street
Dayton, OH 45431

CREDIT: 18 Contact Hours
1 or 2 Semester Hour(s) through Ashland University
(pending)

It is critical that you send a team that will be able to address your required special education programs and policies. Participants will be expected to meet in between sessions with their Building Leadership Team (BLT) to review and revise the building's Ohio Improvement Plan in order to support students with disabilities in areas of compliance and academic achievement. The team should consist of principals, administrators and general and special education representatives.

October 5, 2010: Compliance Requirements: This session will focus on critical areas of compliance to which all community schools must adhere to as related to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 and goals of No Child Left Behind Act of 2001. Participants will review the rules, regulations and policies required by the State's *Operating Standards for Ohio Educational Agencies serving Children with Disabilities*. Presenters will provide an overview of data submission.

January 13, 2011: Responsibilities: This session will focus on your responsibilities for serving children with disabilities including prior written notice, timelines, Evaluation Team Reports, Individualized Education Programs and *Whose IDEA Is This*.

March 9, 2011: Strengthening Systems of Support: This session will focus on strategies that will strengthen systems of academic and behavior support to meet the needs of students with disabilities in the least restrictive environment, working as teams, data collection, transition and working with families.

All registrations for the State Support Team - Region 10 professional development trainings must be completed through the Ohio Department of Education (ODE) website in STARS.

To access STARS you must set up an individual Secure Application For Enterprise (SAFE account). Please use the following link and follow procedures listed. <https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal>.

Click "I am a new SAFE user" or sign in using your already created account name and password. You will then be directed to an application screen where you will click on STARS V2.0. You will then be directed to the STARS Dashboard where you will click on Event Search. That link will direct you to the event search screen where you should search by **DATE ONLY**.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Dena Shepard, Consultant or Kelli Cook, Secretary at (937) 236-9965 or via email at dena.shepard@mcesc.org or kelli.cook@mcesc.org.