

# PROJECT SUCCESS ENRICHMENT

## LANGUAGE ARTS 1

Project Success is a language experience method of teaching. This research-based program was developed in a rural school district in Kitsap County, WA. It was first used with gifted & talented children, including a Native American population. PSE employs program flexibility allowing multilevel cross-curriculum activities to be used with students of all abilities. Project Success has been validated nationally by the U.S. Department of Education and has been a member of the National Diffusion Network.

The Project Success Enrichment training session for Browning will be a two-day adventure. The PSE sequences provide multiple opportunities for differentiating curriculum to support students in many areas; ADD, ADHD, ELL, SPED, G & T.

PSE promotes reading, writing and thinking through active and **sequential activities** that will be immediately applicable in classrooms. The language skills are taught in a **simple-to-complex** sequence that promotes cooperative learning, creativity, questioning strategies, whole-brain thinking and academic vocabulary. We will begin with **vocabulary development**, then using those strategies, the sequence moves into **sentence fluency** developing grammar and conventions. Finally, after strategies are stronger, **paragraph development** will wrap up the scope & sequence.

Mrs. Colleen Wilson has been a PSE Certified Trainer since 1996. I am certified in Language Arts Level 1 & 2 and Integrated Art & Language Arts. I am proposing the Level 1 training for KW Bergen, Vina Chattin, and Browning Elementary School (grades K-3).

Day One involves the research and rationale for the program & training. Day One also begins the learning sequence for *Word Expansion* and *Sentence Expansion* with hands-on experience. Day 1 involves setting up strategic layers of development that will progress in to Day 2.

Day Two incorporates *Figurative Language*, *Setting Descriptions*, *Character Descriptions* and *Poetry* into deeper writing with paragraphing. Day Two also begins the development of *Portfolio Assessment*. Every component of PSE integrates specific RUBRIC development based on the skill taught and the skill levels of the students. Each program component supports the *6-Trait Writing* that Browning Public Schools has based all its writing assessments on for many years.

- ✓ OCTOBER 19 & 20 are suggested dates. This allows teachers to attend the full two days without interfering with regular school as this is teacher convention weekend.
- ✓ Work with Curriculum Director to facilitate Renewal Units for participants.

Follow-up sessions will be provided, to these participants, to monitor and improve their usage of PSE. The goal of Project Success Enrichment is to have all the teachers/staff trained in Language Arts 1 within the 2023-2024 school year. Ideally, another training in the winter will ensure a fully trained staff at each school. The 2023 participants are encouraged to present AWARENESS SESSIONS as Extended Day PD for their staff (this will facilitate their development as trainers for the district).

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Mrs. Colleen Wilson

Certified Trainer/Consultant

Mrs. Wilson will provide two days of training. Manuals will be provided to each participant and Mrs. Wilson will guide participants through the manuals along with hands-on applications of each step. Mrs. Wilson will support the training with proven research and 6-trait writing components. Mrs. Wilson will be available, to the participants after the training is concluded for any needed support.

Consultant Fee = \$1000.00 per day

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