

The UMKC Professional Development Center presents . . .



Working with Students with Autism (WASS)
with
Ms. Suzette Southwick, M. S.
Project ACCESS

This four-day training is divided into 2 two-day sessions to allow participants practice specific ways to analyze and alter environment, develop effective programs, adjust curriculum through IEP writing and analyze behavior data to determine appropriate interventions. During the four days, participants will learn:

- Specific ways to analyze and alter environment,
- Analyze behavioral data to determine appropriate interventions,
- Develop effective programs through IEP writing,
- Create a system for organizing educational strategies,
- Teach new skills and behaviors to students, and
- Work in collaborative teams.

Discover information about behavior and reinforcement through social skills training, augmentative and alternative communication, and functional communication training. Target audience: Any educator or school staff member working with school-aged students with autism, and administrators.

*Please note *attending the Introduction to Autism training or For the Regular Teacher, Including the Very Special Child training is a prerequisite.*

What is IDAC? At the school district's request, Project ACCESS trains certified teachers to consult with colleagues serving students with autism in their own districts. These In-District Autism Consultants (IDACs) have completed six days of autism-specific training and an additional three days of consultant training. IDACs serve in a consulting capacity at the direction of the school district and only within their local district.

Where: UMKC Professional Development Center
30 West Pershing Rd. Ste. 401
Kansas City, MO 64108

When: April 1 & 2 and April 26 & 27, 2010

Registration: 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. (coffee and pastries)

Workshop: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Cost: \$180.00 (Lunch provided)

Park in garage west of Union Station. Tickets will be validated at workshop.

To register for this workshop, please go to the UMKC PDC web site at <http://education.umkc.edu/kcrpdc>

- Click on PDC Calendar of Events
- Search by month and day to find the workshop you wish to attend
- Click on **Register Here**
- Sign in as a
 - **registered user** if you have already created an account and password
 - **new user** if this is the first time you have used the on-line registration system
 - **MyLearningPlan user** if your district subscribes to MyLearningPlan.com

After you register for this workshop, you may send a Purchase Order to Linda Smothers at KCRPDC, 30 West Pershing Rd., Ste. 401, Kansas City, MO 64108 or by fax to 816 283-8523. **Do not send checks** until you are invoiced after the workshop.

For questions, contact Judy Johnson at 816 235-6129.