



The Francis Marion University Center of Excellence to Prepare Teachers of Children of Poverty

FALL 2010 WORKSHOP

Important Work: Teaching Children of Poverty

Saturday, September 25, 2010

7:45AM – 12:00PM

Chapman Auditorium, Francis Marion University

The Center of Excellence Fall Workshop is an event designed to provide participants with **practical, research-based information focusing on the needs and abilities of children of poverty**. The workshop will feature over 25 break-out sessions that will focus on research-based classroom strategies and best practices in the following areas as they relate to the **needs and abilities of children of poverty**:

- Life in Poverty
- Language and Literacy
- Family and Community Partnerships
- The Classroom Community
- Curriculum Design, Instructional Strategies & Assessment
- Teachers of Children of Poverty as Learners, Leaders, and Advocates
- Strong and Supportive School Leadership
- Purposeful Instruction: Guiding each student with a destination in mind



Here are a few comments about previous workshops from fellow educators:

“All sessions were excellent. I wish I could have attended them all!”

“I really enjoyed ALL of the classes I had today! Very informative!”

“Each session was extremely enlightening and insightful!”

“Wonderful... Why travel hundreds of miles... COE is wonderful!”

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND NOW!

Schedule of Events

7:45 – 8:15	Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:15 – 8:30	Welcome and Opening Remarks
8:30 – 9:30	Workshop Sessions
9:30 – 9:45	Break
9:45 – 10:45	Workshop Sessions
10:45 – 11:00	Break
11:00 – 12:00	Workshop Sessions

*Registration is **FREE** to COE Partner District Educators and all SC university/college students.

*Other Participants: Please note there is a **\$10.00 Registration Fee** payable by cash or check on-site.

Reservations accepted through the Center of Excellence at 843-669-3391, Ext. 28, or by email at coe@fmarion.edu.

Visit our website for more information www.fmucenterofexcellence.org.

**South Carolina DSS credit awarded for Early Childhood Education sessions.
Professional Development Recertification hours will be awarded to all participants!**