

First Step Training



February 13, 2014

**Broadway Rose Theatre - 12850 SW Grant Ave.
Tigard, OR 97223**

Morning Session: *Positive Behavior Management in the Classroom*

This workshop will include establishing and teaching expectations, classroom organization, student and classroom motivators, creating a sense of community in your classroom, transition tips, and effective and meaningful consequences.

Afternoon Session: *First Step to Success Program*

The program was developed for K-1 students identified by teachers as at-risk for behavior issues. The intervention works with the child, family, teacher and classmates

First Step to Success is a school and home-based intervention. Services are coordinated by a Coach, who plays a behavioral game in the classroom with the child and works with parents to provide a supportive collaboration for early school success. The intervention uses positive reinforcement, behavior cues, practice of appropriate behaviors, group classroom rewards, and communication with parents. The school-based component lasts about 30 classroom days and the home-based piece includes seven one-hour meetings with the Coach and parent/s.

Judy Arthur, M.S. is Washington County's First Step to Success Trainer and Clinical Advisor. She is Tigard/Tualatin School District's First Step to Success Lead Coach and has been implementing this program for nine years. She has over 20 years experience working with behaviorally challenged youth and will share practical and effective strategies that work with this population.

Agenda:

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM....Positive Behavior Management
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM....Lunch (on your own)
1:00 PM – 4:00 PM....First Step to Success Development”

To Register:

Tigard/Tualatin teachers must register on the “Professional calendar in the “Employee Portal of the TTSD website.

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7 hours of Professional Development Units Available