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is pleased to offer...

Behavior Management Training

For all K-7 Teachers

Presenters: Anthony Cacace and Justin Jarvis, Behavior Specialists for the Southern Worcester County Educational Collaborative

Purpose: This educator training is a workshop-based experience which focuses on identifying and remediating a number of factors associated with student behavior. Participants will be asked to reflect on current practices of behavior intervention and management, with specific emphasis on the role of the educator in setting rules or expectations. Other key area of focus will be:

- The perception of behavior as a communication rather than defiance or opposition
- Identifying a behavior versus a manifestation of a diagnosed disability
- The need to dedicate instructional time to teaching about behavior
- Establishing the value of a given classroom rule such that students feel a vested interest in abiding by it
- Review of surface behavior management techniques applicable to various styles of learners and circumstances.

When: Saturdays, March 6 and March 13 from 8:00 A.M-1:00 P.M

Where: Northbridge Elementary School, Whitinsville, MA

10 PDP's will be awarded for completion of workshop

Light snacks will be offered the first day.

Registration: Please return the completed form to your MECA representative by February 11, 2010. A \$25 fee made payable to Marlborough Public Schools is required to reserve your spot. This is non-refundable unless the workshop is cancelled.

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Name _____ Grade Level _____

School _____ e-mail _____