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An MSAA Professional Development Workshop for: K-12 Classroom Teachers, Special Educators, Department Heads, Curriculum Leaders, Principals, and Assistant Principals

Implementing Inclusive Practices and Co-Teaching

INCLUSION

and
Co-Teaching



Featuring **TEACHERS21** Presenter:
Abby Hanscom

Monday, December 3, 2018
at the MSAA Office, Franklin

Sign-In: 8:00am-8:30am
Workshop: 8:30am-3:00pm

PD Hours: 6
Content Area: Curriculum and Instruction

Fees: Member \$215 / Non-Member \$285

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Co-teaching is an ever popular and intriguing approach to instruction. But how much do you know about the different sub-types of co-teaching and how to match a specific approach to your instructional goals? This workshop is intended to broaden and deepen the conversation on co-teaching from the "professional marriage" stereotype to the specific skills and grouping approaches that are the foundation of a varied and strategic co-teaching philosophy.

Attendees will gain skills in:

- Diagnosing the instructional intent of the lesson and pairing it to appropriate co-teaching approach
- Managing the day to day realities of two people sharing planning, instruction, and assessment responsibilities
- Considering and crafting a communication plan for all constituencies in the school/classroom
- Developing a personal co-teaching philosophy and plan that you can take back to your school and use immediately

This workshop is appropriate for all grade levels and does not presume that co-teaching is only a special education/general education approach. Current co-teaching teams are welcome to attend and use the opportunity to review and revise current practices and structures as well as educators who are "new" to the co-teaching approach.

Abby Hanscom has worked in the field of special education for the past twenty years. She has held positions as a learning center teacher, curriculum specialist, special education administrator at the middle school level, and Assistant Director of Student Services at the District level. For the past three years, Abby has worked as the Director of Student Services in the Westwood Public Schools. She holds a CAGS in Educational Administration, an MSW (clinical focus) and M.Ed. in Special Education, and a BA in Elementary Education.

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