

Marshall University Early Education Outreach Program 2008-2009 Inquiry Support System

Overall ISS Year II Institute Evaluation

*Inquiry Support System for W.V. Early Childhood Professional Development
August 12-13, 2008*

Did the team fulfill what you expected to gain from this institute?

Yes	No
100%	0%

Why or why not?

- *“Not much new material.”*
- *“Somewhat. I am a first year Pre-K teacher, so it is a little overwhelming.”*
- *“Yes! Very informative!”*
- *“Yes, more helpful info regarding the digital camera.”*
- *“Yes, the materials are great!”*

How much of the information do you feel you will be able to use?

All	75%	50%	Very little to none
60%	33%	7%	0%

Please rate the following:

Indicator	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
Organization of Presentation	68%	32%	0%	0%
Team’s knowledge of Material	76%	24%	0%	0%
Team’s Style of Presentation	62%	30%	8%	0%
Team’s Ability to Answer Questions	69%	28%	3%	0%
Team’s Ability to Relate to Audience	65%	33%	2%	0%
Overall Rating of Team	63%	35%	2%	0%
Usefulness of Modules and Resources	65%	28%	7%	0%
Usefulness of Audio-Visual Aids	65%	33%	2%	0%
Usefulness of Hands-On Activities	67%	28%	3%	2%
Overall Rating of Your Facilitator	67%	30%	3%	0%
Comfort of Facility	63%	27%	8%	2%

I liked:

- *“The training on the computer.”*
- *“All the hands on and technology.”*
- *“Hands-on training.”*
- *“Camera.”*
- *“Learning new things to help with our classrooms.”*
- *“All of it.”*
- *“Learning how to use the wiki program.”*
- *“The technology put with useful shortcuts.”*
- *“Hearing from Clayton.”*

- “Webbing.”
- “Step by step learning to download.”
- “The new camera, bag, and website.”
- “The facility.”
- “The fact it wasn’t a week long.”

My expectations for the second year of participation in the ISS are:

- “First year.”
- “Become more knowledgeable with technology; promote 21st century skills.”
- “To be a better teacher.”
- “Learning more.”
- “Going to be an adventure.”
- “Hoping to get a jump start this year.”
- “High.”
- “To have better parent communication.”
- “To be able and complete 2 projects.”
- “To work on projects my class is interested in.”
- “To implement camera in my classroom.”
- “To do better than I did with year I--implementing the camera earlier.”

The most important thing I got from this institute was:

- “Clarification of what project work entails and that the project does not drive the curriculum.”
- “Ideas for what to do in the classroom.”
- “Information on downloading pictures; project study.”
- “Making files and creating a wiki.”
- “Computer knowledge and module project.”
- “All.”
- “Communicating with other teachers through the wiki.”
- “Teaching children more about the camera.”
- “Step to do project.”
- “Digital camera and project information.”
- “Working in groups on projects.”
- “Listen to the children.”
- “Projects are not the biggest aspect of the curriculum/program.”
- “Importance of Pre-K.”
- “Let the children be a more important part of the curriculum.”
- “When planning have the end in mind.”
- “Use babysteps.”

The aspect(s) I’d like to see improved/enhanced with the ISS:

- “Not sure.”
- “More technology training.”
- “Letting the students guide me.”
- “More projects.”
- “New material to view/discuss and warmer facilities.”
- “Updating information.”
- “Site and don’t read to us!”

Other comments that would be helpful:

- “The training needs to be a little slower.”
- “It was great!”
- “Some things were much too redundant.”