

Lee vs. Macon 2008-2009

WHY? Terms of the Lee v. Macon Consent Decree for the state of Alabama include the requirement that all certified personnel receive training provided by the State Department of Education on instructional and behavioral intervention strategies. Watching the 90-minute Making Sense video and CD and working through two more CD's with an assessment for each will complete this training. Each person will receive certificates for 6 hours of Professional Development training.

Instructions for Part 1

Step 1: View the 90-minute video "Makes Sense Strategies: Connecting, Teaching, Learning, and Assessment." See your Principal for instructions.

Instructions for Part 2

Step 1: Work through the CD that goes with the video that is available on line at www.opelikaschools.org. Log into the teacher website and double click on "Makes Sense Strategies: Connecting, Teaching, Learning and Assessment".

Step 2: Fill out the assessment that goes with this CD. It is available by double clicking on "Lee vs Macon Assessment Tool".

Step 4: Turn in your assessment to your Principal.

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Instructions for Part 3

Step 1: Work through the CD "Foundations of Positive Behavioral Support". This CD is also available on line.

Step 2: Choose one of the critical questions from the "Lee vs Macon Critical Questions" for Part 3 and using the CD "Foundations of Positive Behavioral Support", write a one page reflective response. Do not copy the text, but summarize in your own words. Your paper will be a reflection of you and our school system. **Your response should be typed, double spaced, and a font size of 12 with your name, date, school year and school name at the top. Also include the name of the CD and type the number and question you are answering.** If your responses do not meet the requirements or expectations, they will be returned, and you will be asked to try again.

Instructions for Part 4

Step 1: Work through the CD "Intervention Strategies" that is available on line.

Step 2: Choose one of the critical questions from the "Lee vs Macon Critical Questions" for Part 4 and using the corresponding information available on the CD, write a one page reflective response following the same instructions as listed for Part 3 above.

Turn in both of your one-page responses to your Principal. When all responses have been approved, you will receive a 6-hour credit in STI PD for Professional Development.

****A copy of all your responses will be made for your Personnel folder and one will be sent to Dr. Rickett to be forwarded to the State Department. Be sure you keep a copy for yourself.**