

Professional Development for Teachers

Sample Evaluations and Comments

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Method: Full-day in-service training for teachers

Topic: Introduction to The Drama Game File curriculum program

Participants: Elementary teachers (K-5)

Presenter: Mr. Jonas Basom

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Staff Development Evaluation



Workshop Title Drama Game File Date 6/15/10 School Caldwell
 Grade(s) You Teach K Subject(s) All Years Teaching Experience 10

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Because of this workshop, I have a greater understanding of the educational value and benefits of drama games	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
The workshop was engaging and held my interest	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
The workshop helped me reflect and grow as a teacher	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
I now plan to use drama games in new ways in my teaching	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
I learned new methods of classroom management I plan to use	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
I learned new methods of assessment I plan to use	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
I now feel comfortable and ready to use The Drama Game File	SA	<u>A</u>	DN	D	SD
The material covered was age-appropriate for my students	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD
I recommend this workshop to other teachers and schools	<u>SA</u>	A	DN	D	SD

Describe what you enjoyed about the workshop.

very interactive, safe place to learn,
*best workshop I've ever been to! No wrong answers

What comments do you have about the workshop leader, Mr. Jonas Basom?

very enthusiastic, energetic, captivating,
Knowledgeable

*needs to go on Oprah!!!

Staff Development Evaluation Con.

What useful ideas about teaching with drama games did you learn from this workshop?

- classroom management
- grouping for activities
- rhymes & chants

will incorporate a lot of the 1st day of school!

Describe what you like most about The Drama Game File Kit (CD, Book, Character Cards Box Set)

- print versions
- posters
- mini lessons
- outline of vocabulary
- integration
- skills

- higher level of thinking

What do you want to learn more about (topics, a certain aspect of The Drama Game File materials)?

- how to use this with existing curriculum requirements (schedule management)

What suggestions can you give to improve the workshop (topics, time, style, games, etc.)?

not as much standing time for those with health issues
(I knew I could sit - just didn't)

Staff Development Evaluation



Workshop Title Drama Game Date 6/16/10 School Jack
 Grade(s) You Teach 1st Subject(s) All Years Teaching Experience 10

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I recommend this workshop to other teachers and schools

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Describe what you enjoyed about the workshop.

the movement, acting out, actually doing the exercises

What comments do you have about the workshop leader, Mr. Jonas Basom?

very engaging - easy to follow

Staff Development Evaluation Con.

What useful ideas about teaching with drama games did you learn from this workshop?

great classroom management
procedures
provides connections/experiences for
all learners

Describe what you like most about The Drama Game File Kit (CD, Book, Character Cards Box Set)

CD - character cards

What do you want to learn more about (topics, a certain aspect of The Drama Game File materials)?

great - covered procedures, behavior
management, integrated all subject/
content areas, and great for all students.

What suggestions can you give to improve the workshop (topics, time, style, games, etc.)?

I really enjoyed this!
Can't wait to use it with my
students!!

we want
MORE! on
our campus
training

5/12/11
way on campus
level

Staff Development Evaluation



Workshop Title Drama File Games Date 6/11/10 School Owens
 Grade(s) You Teach 2nd Subject(s) All Years Teaching Experience 2

SA=Strongly Agree A= Agree DN= Don't Know D= Disagree SD= Strongly Disagree

Before this workshop, I frequently used drama games as a teaching tool in my classroom	SA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> A	DN	D	SD
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Describe what you enjoyed about the workshop.

The way to set up and reinforce the rules and how it helps with class management. Way to get the kinesthetic learner up and moving so it makes meaning and learning fun, as well as getting students up and out of their chair.

What comments do you have about the workshop leader, Mr. Jonas Basom?

Awesome - full of ideas - knows his topic and how to help the audience (teachers) to implement in their class-

Staff Development Evaluation Con.

What useful ideas about teaching with drama games did you learn from this workshop?

Practice, practice routines + procedurals
Neat way to include all students for
listening and speaking skills as well as
teaching cooperation and patience. I
can't wait to use it in class.

Describe what you like most about The Drama Game File Kit (CD, Book, Character Cards Box Set)

User friendly -

What do you want to learn more about (topics, a certain aspect of The Drama Game File materials)?

Need to look over material first -
Would be a great workshop to build
and add too!

What suggestions can you give to improve the workshop (topics, time, style, games, etc.)?

N/A

Staff Development Evaluation



Workshop Title Drama Game File Date 6-16-10 School Dixie

Grade(s) You Teach 5 Subject(s) Reading/ELA/SS Years Teaching Experience 9

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I now feel comfortable and ready to use The Drama Game File

SA A DN D SD

The material covered was age-appropriate for my students

SA A DN D SD

I recommend this workshop to other teachers and schools

SA A DN D SD

Describe what you enjoyed about the workshop.

I was already looking for a way to improve my students' speaking skills.
Does great with Making Meaning (Literacy curriculum). Builds community, speaking skills, & literacy skills.
will help me reach more students more effectively!

What comments do you have about the workshop leader, Mr. Jonas Basom?

Excellent speaker, good examples, great modeling and I'm so glad we engaged in the games ourselves

Staff Development Evaluation Con.

What useful ideas about teaching with drama games did you learn from this workshop?

- Finally, something substantial + practical to use with our kinesthetic learners.
- Also goes hand in hand with "Students from Poverty" workshop. They need the concrete, visual, kinesthetic bridge from the concrete to abstract.

Describe what you like most about The Drama Game File Kit (CD, Book, Character Cards Box Set)

so incredibly user friendly!

What do you want to learn more about (topics, a certain aspect of The Drama Game File materials)?

I need to get in there and try it all out.

What suggestions can you give to improve the workshop (topics, time, style, games, etc.)?

Skype - ~~1~~ ① campus
② or a few grade levels such as 3rd - 5th.

Staff Development Evaluation



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I recommend this workshop to other teachers and schools

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Describe what you enjoyed about the workshop.

Learned strategies that I can actually use with my students, starting ~~DAY~~ DAY 1. Great classroom management strategies.

What comments do you have about the workshop leader, Mr. Jonas Basom?

Great at modeling strategies and he was very engaging during training.

Staff Development Evaluation Con.

What useful ideas about teaching with drama games did you learn from this workshop?

- great activities
- strategies
- variety of uses for each activity

Describe what you like most about The Drama Game File Kit (CD, Book, Character Cards Box Set)

I like the ^(box set) flashcards and CD

What do you want to learn more about (topics, a certain aspect of The Drama Game File materials)?

Ways to integrate the lessons into Kinder Curriculum.

What suggestions can you give to improve the workshop (topics, time, style, games, etc.)?

It was GREAT. I felt like I was at summer camp as a child. Very rewarding staff development.