

Restorative Justice Training Suite

Fundamentals of Restorative Justice	
Introduction to Restorative Justice	This training provides an essential foundation in Restorative Justice in Education (RJE), clarifying what RJ is—and what it is not. Participants will explore RJE within a multi-tiered system of support and examine its transformative impact on school communities. Through engaging discussions and practical applications, this course equips educators with the knowledge to foster a more inclusive, supportive, and accountable school environment.
Restorative Dialogue	Effective communication is at the heart of a restorative school culture. In this training, participants will develop skills in compassionate and empathetic listening and using restorative questions. Participants will also learn to use affective statements to address challenging behaviors without shame or blame.
Restorative Games and Teambuilding	This interactive training explores the power of games and team-building in fostering a Restorative School Culture. Participants will learn a variety of activities across different levels of R.I.S.K. and discover how to bring intentionality to these experiences. Through hands-on practice, educators will gain tools to build trust, strengthen relationships, and create a more connected and supportive learning environment.
Advanced Restorative Justice Training	
Community Building Circle Facilitation	Learn how to create and facilitate meaningful Community Building Circles that foster connection, belonging, and trust. This training explores the purpose of each phase of the Circle process, the essential role of facilitators, and the impact of identity and power on equitable practices. Participants will gain the knowledge and skills to design and lead Community Building Circles that strengthen relationships and build a more inclusive and supportive learning community.
Harm and Conflict Facilitation	This in-depth training equips participants with the skills to address harm and conflict through restorative practices. Participants will explore the harm and conflict continuum and learn how harm manifests in learning communities. Participants will gain expertise in the formal Harm & Conflict Circle process, including preparation, facilitation, and maintaining its integrity. Additionally, participants will develop restorative micro-skills, learn motivational interviewing techniques, and understand how to conduct a student centered re-entry process.
Trauma Informed Restorative Practices	This training equips educators with the knowledge and tools to support students impacted by trauma through restorative, relationship-centered approaches. Participants will gain a deeper understanding of how trauma influences behavior, learning, and relationships, allowing them to reframe their responses to meet student needs. Finally, participants will explore strategies to build resilience in students while prioritizing their own self-care to sustain this essential work.