

# Supporting Cooperating Mentor Teachers

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# Cooperating Mentor Teacher Forums (MbTEP)

Response to feedback from fall 2016 regional cooperating teachers' forums.

1. Training; Mentoring is a different skills set than teaching
2. Value
3. Invested in the process

# Partnership Design Team

- Lindenwood University
- Missouri State University
- Southeast Missouri State University
- University of Central Missouri
- University of Missouri-Columbia
- University of Missouri-Kansas City

# OUTCOMES

- Enhance the understanding, skills and input of Cooperating Teachers supporting our teacher candidates
- Design a Cooperating Teacher Training that can be used by all institutions beginning 2018-2019
- Provide a library of resources for training facilitators

Ultimately the goal is that IHEs share the responsibility of providing training for all teacher candidates/cooperating teachers in a region or part of a region instead of training institution by institution.

Whom will these workshops serve?\*

- Teacher Candidates
- University Supervisors
- Cooperating Teachers

## Cooperating Teachers University Supervisors

MEES Training  
Calibrating Scoring  
Building Relationships  
Providing Ongoing Feedback  
Role in the MoPTA  
Coaching and Mentoring  
Addressing Concerns

## Teacher Candidates

MEES Overview  
Accepting Feedback  
Setting Goals  
Coop. Teacher & Univ. Supervisor  
MoPTA  
Professionalism  
Stress & Time Management

Personality Profiles  
Collective Commitments  
Co-Teaching  
Lesson Planning  
Difficult Dialogues  
Scheduling

## Essential components\*

1. Pairs/co-teaching training
2. Mentoring skills
3. Interrater reliability/MEE System training

# More than one way to skin a cat

Three different approaches with the same outcomes:

- Southeast Missouri State University (all day training)
- University of Central Missouri (half-day training)
- University of Missouri-Columbia (whatever works!)



# Triad Feedback

Feedback



# Formative/ Summative

Video [1.5](#) [1.75](#). [2](#) [3](#)

Lesson plans

Communication

Dispositions

Mentor teacher feedback

# QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, FEEDBACK

