Professional Development Workshops





Creating engaging PD for your school team is hard! Urban Initiatives' Professional Development workshops create a connected, fun, and supportive environment with staff, weaving together Ul's research-based methodology (developed in collaboration with the Weikart Center for Youth Program Quality), our 20 years of experience in Chicago Public Schools, and your school's SEL priorities to build a stronger and more supportive environment school-wide.

WORKSHOP OPTIONS:

\$250/hour

All workshops are interactive and experiential, providing participants with training and tools to build positive connections with kids while having fun and bonding as a staff.

Standard topics listed below; new content can be created for an additional fee.

Supporting Healing Environments Through Play

(2-hour single session or series) Building experiences into the school environment that support young people who have experienced trauma and help them self-regulate under stress, build transferrable SEL skills, and grow towards independence.



(Two 2-hour sessions OR four 1hour sessions) Building procedures and practices to support a safe, fun recess while learning healingcentered coaching skills to enable structured play, SEL growth, and restorative conversations.

Custom Workshop

(1-2 hour sessions) For an additional fee, UI staff will collaborate with you to develop custom content that aligns with your school's initiatives regarding SEL, restorative practices, and staff collaboration/connectedness.

UI PROVIDES:

- Content
- Facilitation
- Take home training materials for participants

SCHOOL PROVIDES:

- Space
- Participants
- A/V Equipment (projector & sound)

These interactive workshops are essential to us as adults to gain different tactics on SEL that will benefit the students.

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