Middle School Core Course Package

Responsive Classroom Middle School Core Course
In this interactive and engaging four-day course, you’ll learn how to design and implement a middle school experience that’s responsive to the developmental strengths and needs of young adolescents—while helping your students develop the academic and social skills they need to be successful. You will also have the opportunity to:
- Discover how to create a safe, positive, and inclusive community with the Responsive Classroom approach to discipline
- Practice and plan for holding Responsive Advisory Meetings—a core practice for middle school
- Develop your teacher language to encourage student engagement and help students become more responsible and respectful
- Learn new strategies for effective classroom management

Kaleidoscope Annual Subscription + Consultant Observation and Feedback Visit
In order to extend our foundational four-day course into actionable, ongoing professional development for teacher and school improvement, you will have access to Kaleidoscope. Kaleidoscope is a suite of observation and feedback tools that analyze the results of observations to create a school growth profile and provide customized resources and solutions. In addition, a Responsive Classroom consultant will visit your school to conduct one set of inventories for classroom and nonclassroom spaces.

COURSE RESOURCES: 30 copies each of the Middle School Core Course Resource Book, Yardsticks, and Building an Academic Community

IMPORTANT DETAILS:
- Suitable for teachers of grades 5–8
- No prerequisite

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:
Empowering Educators: A Comprehensive Guide to Teaching Grades 6, 7, 8
This book provides valuable insight and guidance to help educators apply the Responsive Classroom approach to navigate new challenges.

The Mindful Student Curriculum
This grade-specific mindfulness curriculum gives students strategies to identify, name, and manage emotions.

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Call 800-360-6332, option 3, to schedule this package