

Abstract

CREATIVE PROJECT: Incorporating Social-Emotional Learning into a Preschool Curriculum

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This Creative Project addresses the problem of a local preschool that is expanding their program from three to five days per week and lengthening each day by 30 minutes. The goal of the project was to assist the director of the preschool in the expansion of their program by reviewing the early childhood education literature and providing suggestions for a revised curriculum. From my review of the literature, I developed a revised, five-day curriculum spanning four weeks, which is based on the Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) curriculum. The activities I developed are meant to enhance children's social and emotional development, and will be implemented each day during the art and story time sessions in their revised curriculum.