

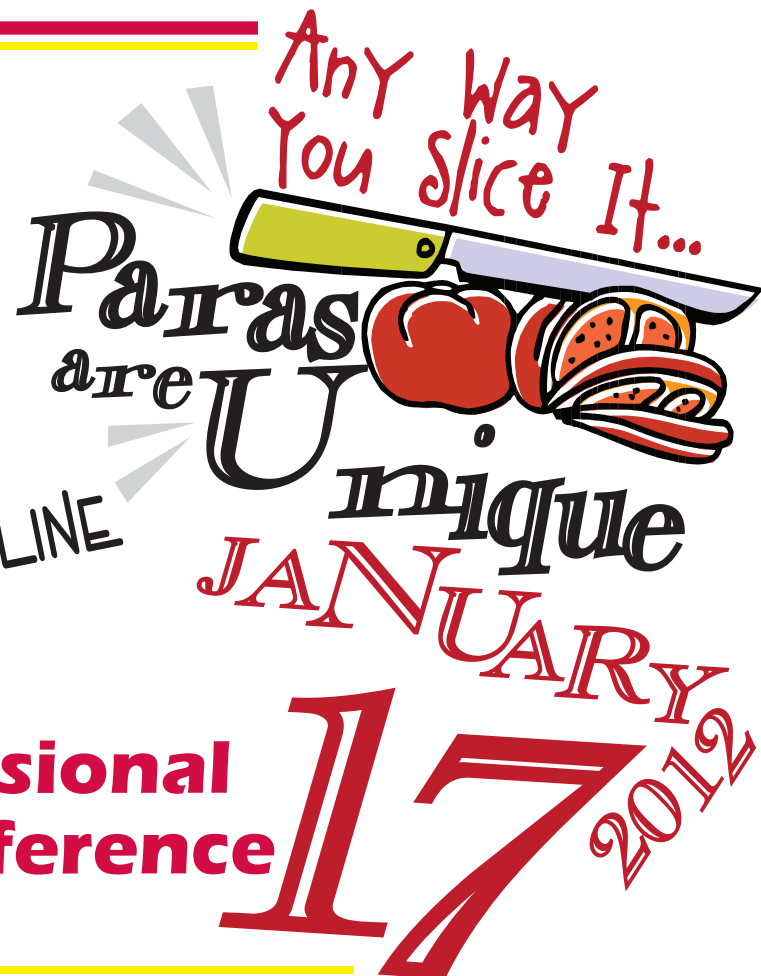
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**Paraprofessional
Title 1 Conference**



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**23RD ANNUAL
Paraprofessional &
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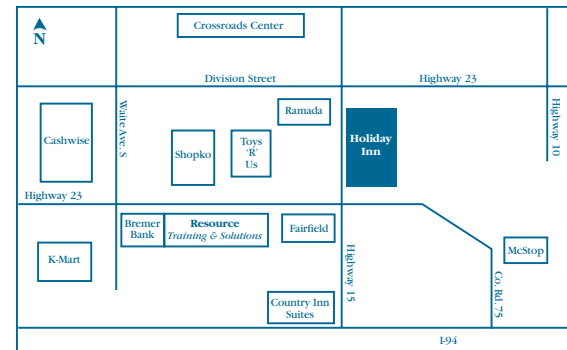
Solutions...not Problems... Focusing on Positive Classroom Management

You come to this conference from a variety of educational settings. Your job descriptions and expectations are varied. Nevertheless, you're all united in a desire to support, encourage, and guide children to become the best they can be. And a major element of your task most likely revolves around classroom behavior management.

Everyone has "bad days." Everyone has challenging children (and sometimes adults!) within their work settings. Meeting those difficult behaviors with good humor, an optimistic attitude, and high expectations will go a long way toward defusing explosive possibilities and will also help you to create a uniquely focused learning environment for all students within your group.

No magic pills here, just basic understandings and positive strategies that will give you fresh insights into how you, too, can become the best you can be. The possibilities are endless: It's about Solutions...not Problems!

Location



Lodging

Holiday Inn: (800) 465-4329



About Judy Foust

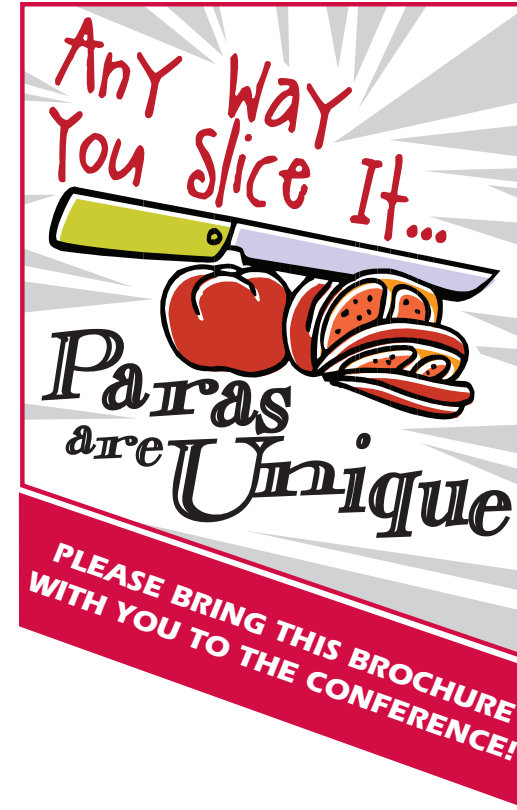
A lifetime educator, Judy Foust taught seventh graders for 37 years in four school districts throughout Wisconsin. She credits her time spent with middle-schoolers for her unique sense of humor and practical approach to creating a positive educational environment.

An award-winning teacher (Kohl Foundation Teaching Fellow, Wisconsin State Teacher of the Year—Walmart, Teacher of the Year in two Wisconsin school districts), Judy now teaches professional development courses for educators in such diverse subject areas as Positive Classroom Management, Emotions and Learning, Learning Style Theory/Multiple Intelligences, Resilience, and a host of other learning-related topics. She also serves as a consultant in feng shui and de-cluttering to create peaceful, focused learning environments for children with special needs.

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"All great - music, clips, props, content - hats off to you."

-Taken from Title 1 evaluations, January 2011



VENDORS

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Conference Location

Holiday Inn ■ St. Cloud
37 Ave & W Division St (map on pg. 2)

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January 23, 2013

24th Annual

Title 1/Paraprofessional Conference

Holiday Inn, St. Cloud

WATCH FOR MORE DETAILS



In case of inclement weather, an announcement will be made before 7:00 a.m. on the day of the conference on WJON (1240 AM) or KBK (95.5 FM).

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REGISTRATION FORM - SIDE 2

Please fax or mail both sides of this form **BEFORE** sending to your business office.

Please assist us with our planning by indicating below the sessions you would like to attend. This is not guaranteeing a reserved seat, but if we know how many to plan for, we can make better use of our rooms and hand-outs for each workshop. Thank you in advance for your assistance! (Specify - Administrator, Special Education Director, Parent, Paraprofessional, Title I, Regular or Special Education Teacher)

SESSION CHOICES
 MORNING AFTERNOON ALTERNATE CHOICE

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| 3. & 4. | Magical Moments to Motivate Minds | 12. | When Families and Households Experience Change |
| 5. & 6. | ABC's of Reading with Small Groups! | 13. & 14. | Helping the Child with ADHD Succeed |
| 7. & 8. | Unique No-Nag Behavior Interventions | | |
| 9. & 10. | Making Mornings Magical during Your Literacy Block | | |

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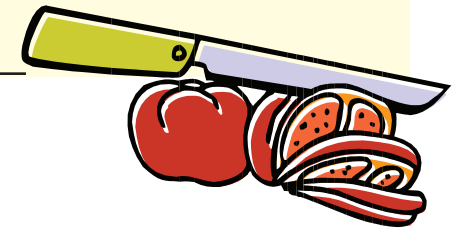
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CONFERENCE PLANNER

8:45 - 10:00 A.M. - WELCOME & KEYNOTE
Solutions...not Problems ... Focusing on Positive Classroom Management, Judy Foust

10:00 - 10:15 - BREAK (Lobby)



10:15 - 11:30 - SESSION A

1. **Bringing Out the Best in Our Children,** Judy Foust
3. **Magical Moments to Motivate Minds,** Mary Dank
5. **ABC's of Reading with Small Groups!,** Annie Katorosz
7. **Unique No-Nag Behavior Interventions,** Gail Hanevold
9. **Making Mornings Magical during Your Literacy Block,** Jacqueline Ward & LaRae Lambert
11. **Keeping Your Cool...De-Escalation Techniques,** Linda Tillman
13. **Helping the Child with ADHD Succeed,** Deb Stumvoll

11:30 - 12:30 - LUNCH (Pool Side)

12:30 - 1:45 - SESSION B

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12. **When Families and Households Experience Change,** Kristen Wheeler Highland
14. **Helping the Child with ADHD Succeed,** Deb Stumvoll

1:45 - 2:00 - BREAK (Lobby)

2:00 - 3:00 P.M. - CLOSING ADDRESS

Where You Were Meant To Be, Judy Foust

There is no doubt that all of us lead stressful lives. But did you know that being stressed is a choice that each of us makes? By learning to live in the moment and letting go of those things we can't control, each of us can learn to navigate successfully and happily through life's trials and tribulations. We've heard much about the power of positive thinking. Speaker Judy Foust will show you the power of laughter and joy to ground yourself when the going gets tough. This will be a uniquely fun way to end our productive conference!

CONFERENCE SESSION TOPICS

1. & 2. Bringing Out the Best in Our Children

Judy Foust

This break-out session will remind us all that everyone has within themselves everything they need to navigate life in a positive way. They are not broken; they don't need "fixing."

Through articles and activities, we will explore ways to support and encourage our children to use their inner well-being to be happy and healthy. You will come away with specific ideas for how to help children understand how truly wonderful they are!

3. & 4. Magical Moments to Motivate Minds

Mary Dank

Making the most of every minute is the magic that motivates kids and turns them into eager learners. In this session, you will discover lots of tips for how to create this kind of energy with your math students. This isn't a typical workshop it's faced-paced, hands-on, and designed to be fun for everyone. With a focus on helping students gain greater fact fluency, you will learn to play BUZZ, PASS THE FACT, IN BETWEEN and many other quick activities to enhance lessons and keep kids engaged in learning right up to the very last moment of math class.

5. & 6. ABC's of Reading with Small Groups!

Annie Katorosz

Come ready to review the ABC's of reading! This session touches on all the reading basics. Why do students need to know phonics and phonemic awareness in order to read? Is rhyming really important? What's the big deal with sight words?

This refreshing session will include tips and tools for running a successful and engaging small group lesson. Learn how to use novelty to engage learners, positive behavior management, and the benefits of small group instruction. This presentation is jam-packed with a variety of ideas to help you teach and support classroom content. Handouts, examples, and pictures will help you transport the ABC's of reading into your small group lessons.

7. & 8. Unique No-Nag Behavior Interventions

Gail Hanevold

The presenter will share her experiences and explain how she has used imagination, humor, diversion, creative manipulatives, and the element of surprise, to spontaneously de-escalate student behaviors. Participants will be given several unique strategies that they can take back to their classrooms. Amazing things happen when staff dare to implement unexpected/unconventional behavioral/academic modifications. If the same old strategies are not working for you, throw them out and try something new!

9. & 10. Making Mornings Magical during Your Literacy Block

Jacqueline Ward & LaRae Lambert

This session will provide you with ideas on how to be productive in an elementary classroom during a literacy block. This presentation will give you fun station ideas to implement with your classroom teacher. Ideas will also be shared on how to be successful with a Morning Message and Mini Lessons around Phonics. Writer's Workshop support will also be discussed. You will receive tips when working with students one-on-one and how to tie all of this together to help create a positive support system with your cooperating teacher.

11. Keeping Your Cool...De-Escalation Techniques

Linda Tillman

Want to keep things calm when the behavior of others is anything but calm? Communication both verbally and non-verbally is a key factor in the ability to de-escalate any situation. Learn tips and strategies on avoiding power struggles, early intervention techniques and ways to remain in control in a potentially volatile situations.

12. When Families and Households Experience Change

Kristen Wheeler Highland

For all children, growing up is an ongoing process of change that involves losses as well as gains. For some children (and families) the experience of change or loss can be sudden or unexpected. This workshop will focus on children's understanding of change and loss, discuss how children (at various ages) display stress, anxiety, grief, and provide tips and strategies for supporting children and families.

13. & 14. Helping the Child with ADHD Succeed

Deb Stumvoll

This session will provide current information about our understanding of Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder and its impact on learning and behavior. We will also talk about the way the ADHD brain processes information, and how to consider this when planning interventions. Some practical tips for organization, time management, and teaching strategies that address these differences will also be included. There will be time for specific questions.

PLEASE NOTE

No part of this conference may be audio or video taped. This conference qualifies for staff development and Title I.

23rd Annual Title 1/Paraprofessional Conference REGISTRATION FORM - SIDE 1

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Monday, January 10, 2012

DISTRICT NAME _____

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ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

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_____ @ \$75.00/person (Postmarked after 12/23/11)

Total Amount: \$ _____

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