



## Summer Diversity Institute

June 8, 9 & 10, 2016

Embracing Our Differences, in partnership with Sarasota County Schools, will once again be hosting a summer diversity institute on bullying. Based upon feedback from the 2015 summer institute and the guidance counselor's workshop last January, Embracing Our Differences is inviting teams from Sarasota County Schools who will receive resources and access to experts to assist them in developing a plan for bullying intervention in their school. The participants will engage in dialogue with professionals and colleagues to create a plan for their particular school. These plans will include strategies for addressing bullying situations, activities to prevent bullying situations and resources that are aligned to FSA reading and writing, used in a variety of courses including reading, ELA and social studies. 24 continuing education credits will be awarded.

Each team will consist of a guidance counselor and up to five teachers from the school. These teams will be sent materials to read/view prior to the workshop. The team will be provided with materials, access to local support and time to create a plan to address bullying at their school. Each school will share the plan with Embracing Our Differences.

In order to participate, please complete the registration form below with a **signature from the principal of your school**. Send the completed form to Dr. Bernadette Bennett, Curriculum and Instruction **by May 18**.

**June 8, 9, 10**

8:30 am – 4:00 pm

Sarasota Technical College

4748 Beneva Road

Refreshments and lunch will be provided daily

### Registration Form: 2016 EOD Summer Diversity Institute - Bullying

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guidance Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

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Describe an area of concern or an incident at your school that involved bullying.

Are there specific bullying issues you would like addressed based upon your school experiences?

What would you like to “walk away” with from this summer institute?

**Principal’s Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

Principals are invited to attend at any point, however, on Friday, June 10, administrators are invited to join their team for lunch from 12 – 1 and review plans for their school.

**For more information, please contact:**

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