

Inquiry-Based Research: How to Support ALL Students in Utilizing an Inquiry-Based Research Process (Grades K - 5)

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Location: Monmouth Mall, Lower Level
180 Route 35 (Routes 35 & 36)
Eatontown, NJ 07724

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Time: 8:30 am Registration and Coffee
9:00 am - 1:00 pm Seminar presentation
(Lunch will not be provided)

Fee: No charge for Collaborative Members
\$100 per person for Non-Collaborative Districts (non-refundable)

Overview: As per the NJSLS, our students are now required to utilize an inquiry-based research process. This session will provide educators with specific strategies to support K-5 students in generating questions and conducting research in a manageable and meaningful way. Emphasis will be placed on how to differentiate the process based on students' interests and various levels. Participants will experience going through the inquiry-based research process during the session and develop their own plan for implementation.

Outcome

Objectives: Participants will gain knowledge and skills in:

- Providing explicit instruction on how to generate inquiries to drive research with K-5 students.
- Differentiating the process based on students' interests and instructional reading levels.
- Exploring various samples that connect to content area instruction including the NGSS, Next Generation Science Standards and SS curriculum.
- Examining resources that support students in gathering information related to their inquiry.
- Developing alternative ways to present their research to increase active engagement, motivation and authenticity.
- Planning for and inquiry-based research unit that supports all types of learners.

P.D.U.: 4.0 hours

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