

Sample Peer Buddy Training Agenda

- I. Overview and Introduction to the Class
 - a. Purpose of peer buddy class
 - b. What is inclusion?
 - c. Discussion of roles of teachers, para-educators, and peers and overall classroom and school environments

- II. Expectations
 - a. Behaviors
 - b. Role models
 - c. Attitude
 - d. Role in classroom and school environments
 - e. Ways you can provide support
 - e. Confidentiality (privacy)

- III. Syllabus
 - a. Attendance
 - b. Unit Assignments
 - d. Journal writing
 - e. Final project
 - f. Observations

- IV. Students/Relationships
 - a. Appropriate friendships
 - b. "Hanging out" with students
 - c. Inappropriate relationships
 - d. Confidentiality
 - e. Disabilities
 - f. Behaviors
 - g. How to act and react
 - h. School environment
 - i. Advocate to rest of school and society

- V. Forms to complete
 - a. Parent and student permission forms
 - b. Information sheet
 - c. Exit survey