

# **CLASSROOM ASSESSMENT SCORING SYSTEM (CLASS) TRAINING:**

**MARCH 4-5, 2020**

**COLUMBIA, MO**

The Classroom Assessment Scoring System® (CLASS) is an intensive 2-day event intended for program staff and partners who will learn about the observation tool and plan to use it to grow professional development opportunities within their local program. The CLASS training will be provided by Region VII Early Childhood Specialists, Bethanie Grass & Brenda Spurgeon and hosted in partnership by the MO Head Start Association and the MO Head Start-State Collaboration Office.

## **What is the CLASS?**

The Classroom Assessment Scoring System® (CLASS) is an observation tool developed as an objective way to measure and improve teacher-student interactions. Over 150 research studies show that students in classrooms with higher CLASS scores have better social, emotional, and academic outcomes. ([Resource-Teachstone](#))

## **Who Should Attend?**

This CLASS Training is being offered for those who have not attended CLASS™ Observation trainings in the past and who intend to test for reliability; participant CLASS observers may be supporting classroom teachers or family child care providers.

## **Location:**

Center for Family Policy & Research  
1400 Rock Quarry Road, Entrance 6, Columbia MO

## **Schedule:**

Day One: 8:30am to 5:00pm  
Day Two: 8:30am to 5:00pm  
(Lunch and Snacks will be provided on both days)

**Hosted in Partnership**

**By:**

**Missouri Head Start  
Association**

**Missouri Head Start-  
State Collaboration  
Office**

**Instructed By:**

**Region VII Early-  
childhood Specialists**

**Bethanie Grass &  
Brenda Spurgeon**

**Event Location:**

**Center for Family  
Policy & Research**

**1400 Rock**

**Quarry Road**

**Columbia MO**

**To Register or For  
More Information**

**Contact:**

**[tina@moheadstart.org](mailto:tina@moheadstart.org)**

# CLASS Training:

**March 4-5, 2020 (Lunch Provided on Both Days of Training)**

**1400 Rock Quarry Road, Columbia MO**

## **Registration Form:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Position:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address (For Training Confirmation & Details from Teachstone):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Special Dietary Needs:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Pictures may be taken at this event to be shared by MHSA on social media, [www.moheadstart.org](http://www.moheadstart.org) or other promotional materials. *If you prefer to not be included in these photos please initial here.*

**Cost:** \$405 Includes lunch on both days of training, materials and administrative cost re-imbusement to MHSA. Please make checks payable to the: MO Head Start Association and send registration form and payment to:

**MHSA**

**Attention: Tina Bernskoetter**

**P.O. Box 817**

**Jefferson City, MO 65102**

**Deadline to register is January 31, 2020.**

# Pre-K CLASS® Observation Training Agenda

**Day 1- March 4, 2020**

**8:30**

**Welcome and Training Overview**

**The CLASS® Measure: Observing What Matters**

**Overview of the Pre-K CLASS Framework**

**Dimensions in the Emotional Support Domain**

**Break**

**Dimensions in the Instructional Support Domain**

**Lunch**

**Dimensions in the Classroom Organization Domain**

**Notetaking for CLASS Observations**

**Introduction to CLASS Coding**

**Break**

**Training Videos Overview**

**Training Video 1: View and Discuss Codes**

**4:45-5:00**

**Wrap-Up Day 1**

# Pre-K CLASS® Observation Training Agenda

Day 2- March 5, 2020

<b>8:30</b>	<b>Welcome</b>
	<b>Review of the CLASS Coding Process</b>
	<b>Training Video 2: View and Discuss Codes</b>
	<b>Break</b>
	<b>Training Video 3: View, Code, and Discuss</b>
	<b>Lunch</b>
	<b>Conducting Live Observations</b>
	<b>CLASS Resources</b>
	<b>Training Video 4: View, Code, and Discuss</b>
	<b>Break</b>
	<b>Reliability Testing</b>
	<b>Training Video 5: View, Code, and Discuss</b>
	<b>Certification Procedures</b>
<b>4:45-5:00</b>	<b>Wrap-Up Day 2</b>

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