



Executive Summary

Inside the School 20-Minute Trainer: *How the Principal Can Promote a Positive School Climate*

Maybe the worst part of a bad attitude is that often it's contagious and spreads through a faculty like a virus. Many people have experienced a cold, unfriendly and negative climate. Fortunately, most people have worked in an atmosphere that is warm, welcoming and positive. Everybody prefers the latter.

Inside the School's *20-Minute Trainer: How the Principal Can Promote a Positive School Climate* reviews 12 specific tips that principals can use to improve the climate of their school. Presenter Suzanne Tingley will help you create a "can do" attitude among faculty and staff that translates to better teaching and better outcomes for kids.

After viewing the 20-Minute Trainer you will be able to:

- Recognize the signs of a negative school climate
- Take specific steps to improve the environment
- Know what actions to take to improve a negative climate to a positive one

About the Presenter: Suzanne Tingley

Suzanne Tingley began her career in education by teaching English in Paraguay, South America as a Peace Corps Volunteer. She served as an elementary school principal for 3 years and then became a superintendent of schools, retiring after 15 years in that position.

Tingley has published over 60 articles in education journals including seven commentaries in *Education Week*, the education journal of record.

She is an adjunct professor for the State University of New York in the Department of Education Administration. In 2007 she was named a "Woman of Distinction" by the New York State Senate. Tingley holds a BA from The Ohio State University and an MS from the State University of New York at Oswego.

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