## 15 POINT CHECKLIST AFTER ATTENDING A DWP WORKSHOP

## By the end of the second week of school: 1. We have formed a DWP committee consisting of a primary, intermediate, junior high, specialist and administrator. 2. The committee has met to establish goals for each quarter of the school year. 3. The teachers have adopted the same all school and classroom rules. 4. T charts, Pre-teaching checklists, or CHAMPS outlines have been created by the teachers to explain the expected behavior in **common areas** to students. 5. The principal has a copy of each teacher's classroom discipline cycle on file in the office. 6. A bulletin board in the common area of the school has been set aside to feature a skill each month. Students who earn recognition for demonstrating the skills are featured. Each month a different class is responsible for designing the bulletin board. 7. Teachers have discussed and identified 3-5 DWP skills they already excel in or want to excel in to MODEL for the students and have developed a MODEL TEACHING CODE. 8. Each teacher has a set of skill illustrations they plan to use as a teaching tool. 9. A bulletin board is set aside in each classroom to be used for information regarding skills and skill practices. 10. Teachers have found a way to describe the self-discipline skills in a manner that is age appropriate and motivates students to want to practice the skills. 11. Teachers have determined the method that will be used by students to keep track of their skill practices. 12. All students have been taught the six steps of listening and one or more cues that adults will use when they want them to demonstrate 'focused listening'.

13. Teachers have begun to use a WAIT process when giving instructions. The WAIT process consists of asking three questions:  1. Do you know WHAT TO DO?  2. Do you know HOW you will begin?  3. How much TIME will you have to complete the task?
14. Teachers have review the DWP lesson plans so they can use them during a teachable moment, when a skill is being featured, or when five or more students in their classroom are exhibiting the same lack of skill.
15. At the first HOME/SCHOOL meeting parents have been given:  * A copy of the DWP skills  * Information about the all school and classroom rules.  * A copy of the classroom discipline cycle.  * Any other skill information the teachers feel comfortable offering to

parents.