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Major

clinical psychology, school counseling, community psychology, school
psychology

DEVELOPMENTAL
CLINICAL
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school
counseling

■ Research topics

Whole school approach of school counselor and teacher for positive climate and universal prevention

Keywords

Five keywords: school counseling, whole school approach, classroom climate, consultation, universal prevention

Contents

■ Overview : Whole school approach using the tiered model is a world wide standard but there are not many applications and tools for Japanese school counselors and school teachers. The purpose of this research is to create tools and a framework for the whole school approach for Japanese school counselors using case studies and international comparison. Whole school approach is a variation of the comprehensive approach using the tier model and focusing on collaboration in schools.

■ Process, case study

- 1) Making lesson plans for life skills education for junior high students.
- 2) Writing a textbook and some brochure for new skills and a framework for school counseling using international comparison about school counseling theory.
- 3) Case studies for textbook and in-service program
- 3) Research about school counseling or psychological services systems and tools in foreign countries.
- 4) Consulting with homeroom teachers with classroom climate assessment and giving in-service lecture to teachers about classroom management and other topics related guidance and counseling in school.



Intellectual properties (Patents, computer programs), productization, publications and social/industrial contributions

Classroom Climate Inventory (Junior high version/Elementary version), Computer analysis system of Classroom Climate Inventory), Brochures for teachers 'How to collaborate with school counselor for whole school approach), Textbooks for psychological services in school, In-service training or workshop for teacher and school counselor

Potential of social/industrial contribution

■ Joint research/ licensing / technical consulting / knowledge sharing (open courses, workshops, publications

Joint research : Developing support system in school (including international comparison), guidance curriculum, staff and faculty development tools for guidance and counseling area.

Knowledge sharing : Workshops, lecture for in-service program, publication

Consulting: Consulting with teachers and district for supporting students and/or system change in school.