

South Carolina: SEL for PreK and Beyond

▶ Students in SC need SEL support



- 33% of high school students in South Carolina reported experiencing persistent feelings of hopelessness or sadness

2017 CDC Youth Behavior Survey

▶ What do the SC standards require?

South Carolina has adopted SEL standards for PreK. These standards are aligned to 3 domains:

- Developing a sense of self
- Developing a sense of self with others
- Learning about feelings

Beginning this work in PreK establishes a foundation, but continuing SEL development in higher grades impacts other outcomes, like improved academic performance and decreased behavioral incidents. Move This World offers SEL curriculum for PreK-12th grade. Learn more at www.movethisworld.com

▼ Developing a sense of self

South Carolina's learning goals:

1. Children demonstrate a positive sense of self-identity and self-awareness.
2. Children express positive feelings about themselves and confidence in what they can do.

Examples of Move This World's objectives:

- Identify and describe how different situations make us feel.
- Recognize how emotions impact our actions and behaviors.
- Identify and value strengths, including abilities and accomplishments.
- Measure progress towards goals.
- Communicate feelings in "I" statements.

▼ Developing a sense of self with others

South Carolina's learning goals:

1. Children form relationships and interact positively with familiar adults who are consistent and responsive to their needs.
2. Children form relationships and interact positively with other children.
3. Children demonstrate the social and behavioral skills needed to successfully participate in groups.

Examples of Move This World's objectives:

- Describe how to make and keep friends.
- Express interest and appreciation for others.
- Recognize the consequences of dishonest behavior to oneself and others.
- Listen to others and respond respectfully.
- Identify ways to build positive relationships with peers.

▼ Learning about feelings

South Carolina's learning goals:

1. Children identify, manage, and express their feelings.
2. Children recognize and respond appropriately to the needs and feelings of others.

Examples of Move This World's objectives:

- Recognize and label a variety of emotions.
- Recognize how our emotions and behavior impacts others.
- Describe a variety of emotions/feelings and the situations that cause them.
- Understand and express emotions in an appropriate manner.
- Identify and describe how different situations make us feel.

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