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Stressed Brains Can't Learn: Creating a Trauma Sensitive Classroom with Strategies That Work

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- Who:** K-12 Teachers and Administrators
- When:** Tuesday, March 13, 2018
- Where:** Mannie Jackson Center for the Humanities,
1210 N. Main St., Edwardsville
- Time:** 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Hours of Earned Credit:** 5
- Cost:** No charge (lunch on your own)
- Presenter:** Megan McDowell, Angela Reeter, and Mary Adams

Participants in this workshop will learn about the impact of developmental trauma on the brain, its relationship to mental health, and how it manifests itself in the classroom setting. The presenters will make a case for a perspective shift from asking "what is wrong with you?" to "what happened to you?" as an essential component to successfully address the students' needs. Trauma sensitive classroom strategies will be shared with participants that can be taken back to the classroom to implement immediately.

Register online at www.roe41.org (select workshop/events tab)

Questions? Contact Anna Dyson at adyson@roe41.org or 618-692-5560

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