

# **DEVELOPMENT OF SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERSHIP COMPETENCIES THROUGH STRENGTHENING COACHING SKILLS**

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## **ABSTRACT**

The aim of the activity of developing the instructional leadership competency of elementary school principals through coaching training is to increase the knowledge of elementary school principals in the coastal areas of Gunungkidul Regency regarding coaching for the implementation of their role as instructional leaders. This activity also aims to provide coaching skills in carrying out instructional leadership tasks, especially in implementing learning supervision for teachers in schools. Method of implementing skills strengthening activities by providing knowledge and practical field experience regarding coaching as well as mentoring through in-on-in training. The training involves three consecutive learning stages namely in service learning 1, on the job learning and in service learning 2. The results of the activity are in the form of increased knowledge and skills of participants in carrying out coaching activities at school with video evidence of coaching conversations that have been collected by the organizers. Participants receive a training certificate with a 32 hour lesson pattern.

Kata Kunci: *coaching, principals, school principals*