

Improving Teacher and Student Language

Suitable for Educators K-8

Language is one of our most powerful tools for supporting students

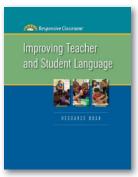
At its core, learning is all about communication. A powerful exchange of ideas requires active listening, purposeful questions, clear reasoning, and respectful disagreements. In this one-day workshop, you will assess, reflect upon, and improve the ways you teach the skills students need to effectively communicate. You will also identify and practice strategies for using teacher language that deepen student academic engagement and learning.

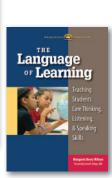
Participants will...

- Develop a plan to support students' practice of core speaking and listening skills
- Collaborate and problem-solve with peers in breakout sessions
- Engage with a process for changing your teacher language
- Experience community-building activities to use with students

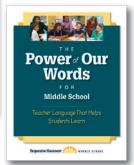
Resources included

- Improving Teacher and Student Language Resource Book
- The Language of Learning
- The Power of Our Words
- The Power of Our Words for Middle School











16 [You will] better understand how to effectively use teacher language to preteach and respond to different behaviors and actions."

—Shelby, elementary classroom teacher

66 Helpful and practical. Very well organized and presented."

—Hilary, special education teacher

