

# Improving Teacher and Student Language

## One-day workshop

Suitable for educators of grades pre-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, learn strategies for teaching students the skills to communicate effectively and the teacher language that deepens academic engagement.

### Important Details

1. No prerequisite
2. 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*

### Agenda

- What is Skillful Teacher Language
- Creating Conditions for Success
- Establishing Goals and Plans
- Exploring Student Language
- Planning Session

### Participants will:

Learn activities and strategies that help students practice core speaking and listening skills

Explore and practice effective teacher language that deepens student academic engagement and learning

Collaborate and problem-solve with peers in breakout sessions

“Helpful and practical. Very well organized and presented.”

—Hilary, special education teacher”



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