

WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

Superintendents, Curriculum & Instruction Directors, Principals, General Education Teachers, District Rtl Teams, Special Education Administrators, Special Education Teachers, and Support Staff

LOCATION:

SPEED S.E.J.A. #802
(Central Office Entrance)
1125 Division Street
Chicago Heights, IL
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8:00 Registration
Continental Breakfast

8:30-3:30 Presentation
Lunch Included

*SPEED member districts:
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\$300 for both days*

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invites you to the

***3rd Annual “Best Practices”
Conference to Support
Early Intervening Services***



***Models for Strategic Teaching,
Co-Teaching, and Differentiated
Instruction***

June 23 & 24, 2010

Featuring

Dr. Harvey Silver

***So Each May Learn:
A Thoughtful Approach to RtI***

&

Dr. Marilyn Friend

***Co-Teaching: Improving Student
Outcomes through Teacher Partnerships***

Day One: June 23

So Each May Learn: A Thoughtful Approach to RtI

The three tiers of intervention in the RtI model are designed to help schools maximize their efforts in instruction and assessment so that the students who need the most help not only get it, but benefit from it. At the same time, an effective model ensures that all students—not just struggling and at-risk learners—develop the background knowledge, core understanding skills, and habits of mind they'll need to succeed as citizens and workers of the 21st century. **So Each May Learn** is a thoughtful and manageable approach to RtI that combines 35 years of research and work in thousands of schools across the country.



Dr. Harvey F. Silver

Dr. Harvey Silver is the President of the educational consulting company Silver Strong & Associates and of the publishing company Thoughtful Education Press. He has helped state departments of education across the country and schools and districts around the world to implement more effective teaching strategies. Dr. Silver has served as a classroom teacher and an administrator for all levels from elementary to graduate. He was worked as a consultant and trainer for ASCD, Rand Corporation, E.T.S, Phi Delta Kappa, and IDEA-Kettering. He is the author of several books and many articles.

Day Two: June 24

Co-Teaching: Improving Student Outcomes through Teacher Partnerships

The *No Child Left Behind Act*, the reauthorization of federal special education legislation, and the increasing diversity of students in public schools have brought increased pressure for educators. School reformers have set higher standards and teachers are responsible for ensuring that students meet them. The purpose of this workshop is to provide both an overview of co-teaching as well as detailed information about planning, implementing, and evaluating co-teaching programs.



Dr. Marilyn Friend

Marilyn Friend, Ph.D., has spent her career as a general education teacher, special education teacher, teacher educator, and staff developer. She is currently Professor of Education and Chairperson in the Department of Specialized Education Services at the University of North Carolina where she teaches coursework on inclusive practices and collaboration among service providers. She also currently is President Elect of the Council for Exceptional Children. She has consulted with school professionals nationally and internationally (more than 1000 presentations and projects in the United States, Canada, Europe and Asia) as they collaborate to educate their students, assisting them to form productive and efficient work teams, to learn the best ways to manage awkward or adversarial conversations, and to communicate effectively with parents.

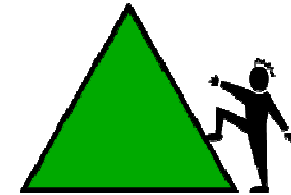
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