

Universal Design for Learning: Removing Barriers for All Learners



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Webinar

Curious about Universal Design for Learning (UDL)? Wondering how to implement UDL with students? Join UDL expert, Dr. Katie Novak, as she energetically leads this session which is designed to introduce participants to the core concepts and foundations of UDL. Dr. Novak will share practical applications of UDL to lesson design, and how to support flexible, inclusive instruction. By participating in this session, attendees will learn how to identify and reduce barriers that impact learning.

Presenter

Katie Novak is an internationally renowned education consultant, an author, adjunct professor at the University of Penn, and a former Assistant Superintendent of Schools in Massachusetts. Dr. Novak has more than 19 years of experience in teaching and administration, an earned doctorate in curriculum and teaching, and is the author of 8 published books, including the best-selling education books, *UDL Now!*, *Equity By Design*, and *UDL and Blended Learning*. Katie designs and presents professional learning opportunities both nationally and internationally focusing on implementation of Universal Design for Learning (UDL), Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS), and universally designed leadership. Novak's work has been highlighted in many publications including *Edutopia*, *Language Magazine*, *Motherly*, *ADDitude Magazine*, *Commonwealth Magazine*, *AMLE Magazine*, the *Huffington Post*, *ASCD Education Update*, and *School Administrator*

Objectives

- Explain how the Universal Design for Learning framework can be used to address environmental barriers to learning
- Examine learner variability and implications for lesson design and delivery
- Explore strategies to provide options for how students learn, what materials they use, and how they share what they have learned

Target Audience

Special education teachers, general education teachers, instructional coaches, related service providers, paraprofessionals, administrators, family members, and others interested in this topic

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