

LEARN THE PROCESS: HOW TO MAKE TECHNOLOGY ENHANCE ACADEMIC SUCCESS

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AGENDA

- Introduction & Disclaimer
- Learn how to identify what tools, accommodations, and strategies to use
- Learn how to make the student’s curriculum work with them
- Learn how to use the technology for reading, writing, note-taking, math, test–study prep, and executive function tasks
- Q & A

THE PROCESS-#1

- Help! My child (student) is frustrated
- Be proactive-not reactive (seek evaluation)
 - Should know WHY before we try remediation (Procrastination/Hearing)
- IEP...504 Plan...Learning Plan...DOCUMENT!
- Accommodation...Modification...“Best Practice”
- Assistive Technology Process... shiny new toy mistake

TO DO LIST

THE PROCESS-#1

- Brining technology into the classroom
 - SETT Framework
- How does the teacher teach (slides, worksheets, class time to work)
- Students motivation ("nope" kills the prospect)
- Training is essential key to success

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THE PROCESS-#2

- How to make the curriculum work:
 - Accessible Text:
 - Utilize Bookshare/Learning Ally
 - Ask teacher for OCR & electronic based
 - Teach students conversion tools (will demo)

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THE PROCESS-#2

- How to make the curriculum work
 - Notes:
 - Peer/teacher
 - Presentation slides
 - Study guides
 - Graded notes...group work

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THE PROCESS-#3

I SAW THE ANGEL IN THE MARBLE AND CARVED UNTIL I SET HIM FREE.
MICHELANGELO




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METACOGNITION




- The ability to think about your thoughts with the aim of improving learning
- Drive your brain
- Stoplight System



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CONCEPT: ETA


- Mark down:
 - E: Estimated time for task
 - T: Time (start/finish)
 - A: Anecdotal Notes
- Look for Patterns



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CONCEPT: PLANNERS

- Electronic and color calendar
- Shared calendars



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CONCEPT: DEMO

- List is in alphabet order and not in demonstration sequence
- Claro PDF
- Co:Writer
- Dragon
- Efofex...Equatio
- MindMapping (Inspiration Software)
- Notability
- OneTab
- Quizlet
- Read and Write for Google Chrome
- Speechify
- WhiteSmoke & Ginger

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CONCEPT: DEMO

- Questions-please write them down
- I am happy to answer questions after the presentation in person or via email and phone
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QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

- What are your views and experiences?



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