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Spaces Still Available in NIFDI's In-Person Coaching Academy!

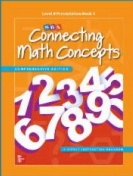
Spaces are filling up, but there's still time to register for this popular training! Join veteran trainer Beverly Trent on November 13 & 14 for NIFDI's Coaching Academy – *Analyzing Data, Classroom Observations & Providing Feedback*. This two-day training at the Cambria Hotel, Orlando Airport, is designed for instructional coaches, peer coaches, and others responsible for observing instruction and improving student performance.

Through demonstrations, practice, and hands-on activities, participants will learn how to:

- Gain meaningful information from lesson progress and in-program mastery data.
- Model how to improve written records.
- Conduct supportive classroom observations and demonstrations aimed at increasing student success.
- Provide effective oral and written feedback to instructors to directly impact student performance.
- Conduct classroom demonstrations, in-class coaching, and team teaching.
- Design and deliver effective, ongoing professional development sessions.

Register Now


Don't Miss These Direct Instruction Remote Trainings



Connecting Math Concepts Level B
Friday, November 14

**The Road to Success –
Routines and Expectations**
Friday, November 21

**Positive
Behavior
Support**



Boost Your Skills-Attend a Remote Program Training!

Effective training is critical to the successful implementation of Direct Instruction (DI). Each year, we partner with thousands of instructors to build student success. We can partner with you, too! In our highly-focused remote training, you will learn, practice, and receive feedback on critical skills needed to successfully teach the programs.

Click on the links below for a complete description and to register for these interactive and effective trainings.

[Connecting Math Concepts: Comprehensive Edition Level B](#)

Friday, November 14, 7:30am - 2:30pm PT

[The Road to Success – Routines and Expectations](#)

Friday, November 21, 7:30am - 2:30pm PT

Space in each session is limited! Sign up now and upgrade your skills!



Carl Hendrick to Present Keynote at the National Direct Instruction Conference and Institutes!

We are pleased to announce that Dr. Carl Hendrick will be the featured keynote speaker at the National Direct Instruction Conference and Institutes in Eugene, Oregon, on July 28, 2026.

Dr. Hendrick is an internationally recognized expert in the science of learning and instructional design. He is a professor at Academica University of Applied Sciences

in Amsterdam and leads research projects that bridge cognitive science, educational psychology, and classroom practice. He recently wrote a posting on his Substack- [10 Rules for Designing Effective Instruction](#). He does an excellent job of summarizing the most important points Engelmann and Carnine make in their classic *Theory of Instruction*. It is both insightful and useful.

In the coming months, we will be releasing information on the conference, but we wanted to share this exciting news now so you can start making your plans to be in Eugene July 27-31!



Zach Groshell Releases Podcast Featuring International Educators

Zach Groshell recently released another DI Podcast. This installment features interviews with educators Jon Owen in the United Kingdom and Jessica Colleu Terradas in Australia. They share their experience in implementing DI in a variety of settings. They both speak of the need for high-quality training, as well as the value of continued support and how NIFDI has fit into fulfilling those needs.

[Click here](#) to access the interviews and hear what these two have to say about Direct Instruction, NIFDI, and their conference experiences.

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