

Using AI TOOLS to DIFFERENTIATE INSTRUCTION Across All Content Areas (Grades 6-12)



A Unique One-Day Live Online Seminar Presented by

Dr. Marquita Blades

Award-Winning Teacher, Author and International Presenter

Specifically Designed for Educators Serving Grades 6-12: Classroom Teachers, Gifted Education Teachers, Special Education Staff, Interventionists, ESL Teachers and Administrators

How to **make best use of AI technologies to more quickly and easily differentiate your instruction** to better support diverse learners

Hands-on experience with AI tools, powerful strategies, and templates for designing differentiated tasks

Pitfalls to avoid and solutions to ethical concerns that come with AI integration

Highly practical ways you can **increase your teacher productivity using AI**

LIVE ONLINE SEMINARS

January 6

9 AM Eastern, 8 AM Central,
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January 12

9 AM Central, 8 AM Mountain,
7 AM Pacific, 10 AM Eastern

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and take the seminar online at
your convenience (see page 6)

*"Dr. Blades was
engaging, and the
seminar was very helpful!
I'm leaving with so many
wonderful ideas I can
implement immediately in
my classroom!"*

Ten Key Benefits of Attending

"I am taking away SO MANY valuable resources as well as wonderful ideas and strategies for using them in the most effective ways with my students!"



Who Should Attend

Educators Serving Grades 6-12: Classroom Teachers, Gifted Education Teachers, Special Education Staff, Interventionists, ESL Teachers and Administrators

- 1. Make Best Use of Artificial Intelligence Tools to Differentiate Instruction**
Discover essential and practical ways to harness AI tools to differentiate instruction in your grades 6-12 classroom – no matter what content you teach ... Explore the best, most useful AI tools for more quickly and easily differentiating instruction
- 2. Adapt Lessons Quickly**
Learn how to use AI tools to easily create materials that cater to students' unique needs, ensuring everyone feels included and challenged ... Explore tools that can change reading levels and create tiered assessments in seconds
- 3. Boost Your Productivity with Practical AI Tools**
Discover how AI can streamline your planning process, saving valuable time and letting you focus more on meaningful teaching
- 4. Engage Even Your Most Reluctant Learners with AI**
See how you can use AI to increase excitement and relevance in your lessons, sparking the interest of all your students ... Turn reluctant learners into active participants
- 5. Provide Just-in-Time Support When Students Need It Most**
Discover how you can use data to address gaps immediately ... Keep students on track and prevent them from falling behind or further behind
- 6. Tailor Lessons with Dynamic Tiering**
Use AI to create tasks that meet students at their level, helping both advanced learners and struggling learners thrive ... Provide appropriate challenge for high achievers while also supporting students who need extra help
- 7. Strengthen Student Understanding with AI Scaffolding Tools**
Break down complex topics with AI tools that provide step-by-step guidance, helping students gain confidence as they master new material ... Increase student confidence and mastery at the appropriate pace
- 8. Get Hands-On Experience with AI Tools Ideal for Differentiating Instruction**
Explore the best AI tools for differentiating instruction and learn firsthand how they can boost both student learning and your teacher productivity ... Easily create AI-generated resources your students can immediately use
- 9. Develop Ethical and Responsible AI Practices**
Learn essential strategies for safe and responsible AI use in the classroom ... Create a tech-safe learning environment
- 10. Receive an Extensive "AI + DI" Digital Resource Handbook and Special Online Access**
You'll receive a highly practical digital resource handbook packed with ideas, strategies and resources for using AI to differentiate instruction – no matter what content you teach ... Receive special online access to Marquita's Padlet full of additional AI + DI resources to enhance student learning and your productivity

Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately

What You Will Learn ...

- **The best AI tools** to more quickly, easily differentiate instruction and enhance teacher productivity – no matter what content you teach
- Techniques to **work smarter, not harder**, fully leveraging AI for differentiation
- **Tips for choosing the best AI platforms** to meet your needs while achieving the best outcomes for your students
- **Classroom-proven strategies** to implement, organize, and manage differentiated instruction with ease using AI tools
- **Example AI prompts** for creating high-quality, differentiated instruction
- **What works and key pitfalls to avoid** regarding AI and differentiated instruction
- **Ways to simplify everything** including finding curated resources, managing email, generating IEPs, providing student feedback, scaffolding complex concepts, and more
- **How to use AI to better reach every student**, especially given how widely the learning needs vary in our classrooms
- **Valuable AI + differentiated instruction** strategies to engage and boost the achievement of even your most reluctant learners
- **Efficient, effective ways** to differentiate instruction, provide student choice, design anchor activities, and much more!
- **Practical, accessible AI tools** to support diverse student learning needs without preparation that's overwhelming on your part
- **How to have more time to focus on what really matters**, both in and outside your classroom with AI handling so many routine tasks



"I have been teaching for over 25 years and this was one of the best PDs I have ever attended. Very well organized and so very informative!"

Practical Ideas and Strategies

It's true – differentiating instruction can be a lot of work without the right resources and tools. But AI changes everything! In this **NEW** seminar, award-winning teacher and author **MARQUITA BLADES** will share innovative, practical, and timesaving AI tools perfect for helping you make best use of differentiated instruction in your secondary classroom – no matter what content you teach. Explore AI tools that simplify lesson content creation and assessments, and quickly give you better insights into your students' performance. Use Marquita's signature "DI Sequence Roadmap," custom chatbot prompts, and workflows to create a fully differentiated learning sequence you can use the very next day! You can lower your learning curve while saving LOTS of time on non-instructional tasks like analyzing data, grading and giving substantive feedback, parent communication, and more! **Join Marquita for the best AI tools to make differentiating instruction something you can easily keep up with, so you can spend more time teaching and less time on prep.**



A Message From Seminar Leader, Marquita Blades



Uniquely Qualified Instructor

DR. MARQUITA BLADES is an award-winning teacher, speaker, and educational consultant with a passion for making differentiated instruction both impactful and manageable. With her many years in education, Marquita truly understands the challenges of meeting the diverse learning needs of every student in grades 6-12 classrooms. She's worked with teachers across the country, showing them how to create valuable differentiated instruction learning experiences that don't add to their already busy workloads. Marquita is passionate about equipping teachers with practical, ready-to-use AI tools and resources to help them more quickly and easily differentiate their instruction. She is also the author of *Using AI TOOLS to DIFFERENTIATE INSTRUCTION Across All Content Areas (Grades 6-12)*, the extensive digital resource handbook you will receive at the seminar. **Join Marquita for a hands-on day full of great AI tools and strategies that will help you bring differentiation to life in your classroom – while reclaiming valuable time.**

Dear Colleague:

I know how much energy it takes to adapt your teaching for a classroom of unique learners, and that's why I created this seminar! I want to make things easier, more efficient, and truly impactful for both you and your students. With the help of AI, we'll explore practical ways you can save valuable time on preparation, easily design engaging, tiered tasks, and better meet the diverse needs of your students.

I'm excited to dive into the best AI tools for DI and to help you build great learning experiences in minutes – not hours! You'll get hands-on time with AI tools that (perhaps for the first time) will make differentiated instruction feel manageable, keep you aligned with curriculum standards, and even help you identify critical student learning gaps so you can better target your instruction and strengthen their learning. We'll explore how AI can simplify assessments, bring new excitement for even your most reluctant learners, and even help you create collaborative group assignments.

Throughout the day, we'll dive into AI applications you can use right away to lighten your workload and greatly enhance your classroom instruction – no matter what content you teach. Our learning cycle for the day will be Explore-Create-Share-Repeat, allowing you valuable time to experience these AI tools firsthand, and get real-time feedback.

You'll also receive my "AI + DI" digital resource handbook packed with resources, step-by-step guides, and strategies to keep you feeling confident as you explore AI's potential. You'll leave feeling empowered with new tools and ideas to make differentiating your instruction easier, more engaging, and more rewarding.

I can't wait to connect with you and to show you how AI can elevate your teaching in powerful, practical ways!

Sincerely,

Dr. Marquita Blades

P.S. Get ready to greatly simplify the way you approach differentiated instruction (and save LOTS of time) using AI tools!

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What Your Colleagues Say About Marquita Blades

*"The seminar was **very organized and well paced**. Dr. Blades gave us clear explanations as well as time to try out the tools and share."*

– Liza Farquharson, World Language

*"This seminar was wonderful. **I have lots of helpful ideas and materials** I'm bringing back to school. Dr. Blades was clear, knowledgeable, and down to earth in her instruction."*

– Kathleen Butler, Special Education Teacher

*"Dr. Blades provided **so much great information**, but in a way that really helped me take it in, try it out, and analyze my findings. I didn't feel rushed, but the day flew by at the same time."*

– Sherry Iannucci, Technology Teacher

*"**Dr. Blades was very knowledgeable** about the subject. Thank you to Dr. Blades for all her insights!"*

– Margaret Hood, ELA Teacher

*"**Great seminar!** It really focused on how we can use AI to enhance our teaching practice and differentiate our instruction."*

– Sandra Fish, Teacher



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- Timesaving strategies for quickly adjusting lessons to meet diverse student needs without added prep time
- Step-by-step guides for integrating AI into differentiated instruction, complete with planning roadmaps
- New and emerging AI tools with specific classroom applications across subjects
- Practical methods for using AI to automate grading and assessment to provide quick, actionable feedback
- Web links to curated resources and effective AI tools covered in the seminar
- Best practices for maintaining student data privacy, security, and promoting ethical and responsible AI usage

Share Ideas

This seminar provides a wonderful opportunity for participants to meet and share ideas with other grades 6-12 educators interested in using AI tools to differentiate instruction.

Consultation Available

Marquita Blades will be available for consultation regarding your questions and the unique needs of your own program.

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A related On-Demand Video-Based Online Learning course, *Differentiated Instruction Across All Content Areas*, for Grades 6-12, is available for immediate registration. To enroll, visit www.ber.org/online

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— or —
☐ 3. **I'd like to order the recorded version of this seminar**

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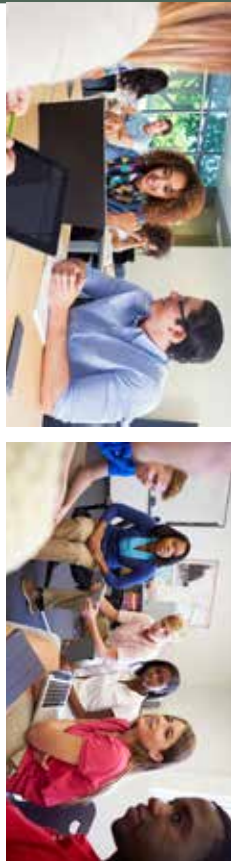
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