

Helping Students with High-Functioning Autism Spectrum Disorders



A Unique One-Day Live Online Seminar Presented by

Quinn Novy

ASD Expert, Consultant and Outstanding Educator

**Specifically Designed for Grades K-12 Special Education Staff,
General Education Teachers, Paraprofessionals, Counselors, Speech
Pathologists, and Occupational Therapists Who Support Students
with Autism Spectrum Disorders**

Help students with autism spectrum disorders (ASD) succeed in inclusive classrooms and schools

Research-based strategies for addressing inflexible, repetitive, and challenging patterns of behavior

Help students with ASD **improve their organization, planning, and academic achievement**

Receive an extensive digital resource handbook filled with strategies and ideas you can use immediately to support your students with high-functioning autism spectrum disorders

LIVE ONLINE SEMINARS

December 17

9 AM Central, 8 AM Mountain,
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January 5

9 AM Eastern, 8 AM Central,
7 AM Mountain, 6 AM Pacific

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*"Extremely useful. I feel
like I'm walking away
with a lot of insight to
better my practice."*

— ASHLEY FOLTZER, SLP

ASHA & AOTA CEUs AVAILABLE

Ten Key Benefits of Attending

'One of the most helpful trainings I've ever been to. Really insightful and easy to follow along with. Quinn Navy's presentation and note-taking sheet allowed me to put all my focus on what I was learning.'

— TARA CONWAY,
SPED CASE MANAGER



Who Should Attend

Grades K-12 Special
Education Staff, General
Education Teachers,
Paraprofessionals,
Counselors, Speech
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Who Support Students with
Autism Spectrum Disorders

- 1. Expand Your Toolkit of Research-Based Strategies for Helping Students with High-Functioning Autism Spectrum Disorders**
Practical strategies to help students with ASD be more successful in both special and general education settings ... Practical, evidence-based techniques ready to use tomorrow!
- 2. Increase Functional Participation and School Success for Your Students with ASD**
Brain-based strategies that are proven to help students improve their social, academic, and functional skills and increase their overall success at school
- 3. Successfully Address ASD-Related Challenging Behaviors**
Learn what the latest research has to say about improving the behavior of your students with high-functioning autism disorders ... Help students better manage the cycle of repetitive, inflexible and challenging behaviors at school
- 4. Implement Research-Based Strategies in Your Inclusive Environment**
Learn research-based ways to approach instruction and tiered intervention to meet the needs of students with ASD and help them become more independent, successful learners in the school environment
- 5. Improve Your Students' Organization and Planning Skills**
Incorporate proven ways to help students with ASD better organize themselves and their materials to develop independent learning and life skills ... Improve structure, predictability and routines that support students with ASD
- 6. Intervene with Meltdowns and Tantrums**
Is it a meltdown or a tantrum? Better understand the differences between them and learn how to intervene more successfully for each ... Ensure successful experiences with an effective plan in these highly stressful moments
- 7. Practical Ideas to Create a More Successful Learning Environment for Students with ASD**
Choose from a wealth of ideas for organizing, scheduling and setting up your classroom to greatly improve the success of your students with autism spectrum disorders ... Strengthen your teaching and your students' learning with student-centered strategies you can implement immediately
- 8. Modify and Adapt Your Instruction to More Successfully Reach Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders**
Gain teacher-proven methods to modify and adapt your lessons and instructional materials in ways that will truly make a difference ... Leave with ideas to set up your lessons to enhance learning and retention
- 9. Support Students with High-Functioning Autism with Social Communication**
Practical strategies that enhance social and communication skills to help your students build genuine relationships with peers ... Tools you and your students will use, starting now!
- 10. Receive an Extensive Digital Resource Handbook Filled with Practical Ideas, Tools and Valuable Information You Can Use Immediately**
Each participant will receive an extensive digital resource handbook filled with strategies and techniques discussed in the seminar and ready to implement in your classroom immediately

Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately

What You Will Learn ...

- **Brain-based strategies for creating a successful environment** for your students with high-functioning autism spectrum disorders
- **Practical strategies that will make a positive difference** in the behavior and academic performance of students with autism spectrum disorders
- **Research-based techniques** to increase student learning and functional skills, and social skills
- Ideas and strategies that **enhance ASD students' social and communication skills**
- **Intervention techniques** for providing the greatest possible potential for students on the autism spectrum
- Practical and effective strategies that **promote self-regulation and increases the quality of peer relationships**
- **Proactive planning** that addresses escalating behavior and prevents meltdowns
- **Proven ways to modify and adapt your lessons and instructional materials** to meet the highly diverse needs of students with autism spectrum disorders
- Research-based strategies translated into **practical interventions you can use in your classroom**
- **Tips from an experienced educator** on how to best work with students with ASD in the school environment

AOTA Learning Outcomes At the end of the seminar you will be able to:

- **Identify interventions** to improve students' motor planning, hand strength, motor separation of the hand, and in-hand manipulative skills affecting functional outcomes
- **Select specific strategies** to help students increase classroom participation, independence, attention and focus while developing an inviting space that meets their sensory needs and improves work behaviors
- **Name uses of technology** and OT Apps that can address fine motor skills and visual motor/visual perceptual skills pertaining to writing legibly
- **Identify proven interventions** to boost motor development and use of classroom tools for improved functional outcomes

"I love how you involved the audience, videos, and sooo much good information!!"

– KELLI RENEAU, SPED TEACHER

Practical Ideas and Strategies

With the increasing identification of students on the autism spectrum, we as educators find ourselves searching for the most effective ways to help our students find greater success in school. How can we most effectively support the unique needs of our students with ASD? **QUINN NOVY** will lead an engaging, informative seminar that tackles the pressing questions and challenges we face in our schools every day on this topic. Quinn will provide practical strategies to help you foster more positive behavior and enhance learning for your students. You'll leave with practical tools for increasing students' focus and reducing interruptions so everyone in the school setting will experience a benefit. Each participant will also receive a comprehensive digital handbook filled with tools and resources to help you **make a lasting impact** on the educational experiences of your students with high-functioning autism.



A Message From Seminar Leader, Quinn Novy



Uniquely Qualified Instructor

QUINN NOVY has extensive experience working in the field of special education. She holds a Master of Arts in Autism Spectrum Disorder and is a practicing special educator. Quinn is passionate about creating environments for her students that reflect brain-based practices that lead to proactive learning approaches. She believes that student-centered planning can improve the resource room environment, school staff efforts and student outcomes in all areas, including academic and functional. Her methods have proven to help shift behaviors and learning achievement so that students and educators are more responsive and less reactive when the challenges of autism arise.

Dear Colleague:

With an increasing number of students identified with high-functioning autism, we know the importance of having supportive strategies and resources to help them thrive in our schools. Meeting the diverse needs of our students while upholding high learning standards presents unique challenges for us as teachers. As a teacher myself, I understand firsthand how often we find ourselves in reactive situations, which can make it difficult to shift to more proactive support. This seminar is designed to better equip resource room teachers like us with the tools and strategies we seek, so that we can create the best possible learning environment.

This seminar will deepen your understanding of your students with sensory needs, and environmental influences that impact their learning, and will expand your toolkit of practical strategies leading you to more positive outcomes for your students with high-functioning autism. Together, we'll explore ways to create learning spaces that respect individual needs and achieve more personalized solutions for the challenges we face.

I am excited to share my passion and effective, ready-to-use strategies with you! This will be a day full of learning, discovery, and fresh perspectives as we dive deep into current, researched-based techniques that improve academic, behavioral, social, and functional growth for students on the autism spectrum. By the end of our time together, my goal is for you to feel renewed and ready to implement these approaches confidently and immediately!

Sincerely,

Quinn Novy

P.S. The focus of this seminar will be on practical strategies you can use immediately to help students with autism spectrum disorders experience greater success at school!

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What Your Colleagues Say About Quinn Novy

*"Quinn did an **amazing** job presenting information and **giving opportunities to learn from colleagues** during the seminar."*

*"I would **HIGHLY recommend** Quinn for her knowledge, professionalism and motivation to help all students, staff and families."*

*"Quinn is a **very engaging presenter** and expresses her knowledge of the brain **in a way that everyone can understand**. Her presentation can be applied not only to helping students but also to understanding our own brains."*

*"Thank you for all of the **great resources** that are ready to use and engaging!"*

*"Quinn is an **energetic presenter** that captivates the audiences' attention with **relatable situations and actionable steps**."*

*"**Everybody should hear this!** I have a better understanding of how to help autistic students in our inclusive classrooms. The content is **so valuable not only to teachers, but all staff**."*



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- Proactive planning templates to help you better meet needs of students with high-functioning autism
- Brain-based curriculum resources that help high-functioning autistic students find greater success
- Key elements of effective visuals, schedules, and school expectations
- Practical ideas to help your autistic students increase the quality of their peer relationships

A wealth of information, practical for any SLP to use!

— DONNA MCCROSSIN, SLP

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- ☐ 1. **December 17, 2026** (Start time: 9 AM Central)
- ☐ 2. **January 5, 2027** (Start time: 9 AM Eastern)
- or—
- ☐ 3. **I'd like to order the recorded version of this seminar**

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