

Powerful, Proven Strategies to Increase Students' Math Success (Grades K-2)



A Unique One-Day Seminar Presented by

Gary Eisenberg

Outstanding Primary Teacher and National Trainer

Specifically Designed for Educators Serving Grades K-2: Classroom Teachers, Mathematics Specialists, Interventionists, Resource Specialists, Special Education Staff, Title I Staff, Instructional Assistants, and Administrators

The best, most current instructional strategies and approaches to help you strengthen each student's math skills, from those who struggle to those who are high achievers

Many practical, inexpensive, classroom-proven strategies designed to ensure that every student learns, retains and can use their math facts with ease

Innovative, creative activities to teach basic skills – and enrich the skills of even your most capable students – in number sense, operations, measurement and data, and problem solving

Engaging math games, songs, rhymes, and movement activities designed to reach, reinforce and challenge all types of learners in your classroom

Connecticut

Hartford (Bristol) – April 13

Maine

Portland – April 9

New Hampshire

Manchester – April 10

New York

Albany (Troy) – April 12

Vermont

Burlington – April 11

CEUs and Graduate Credits Available
See page 6 for details

'This was one of the best seminars I've attended in many years. Love Gary's enthusiasm!'

– PAT TIMMENY, 1ST GRADE TEACHER

Ten Key Benefits of Attending

'Gary did an awesome job sharing a ton of different strategies that I can't wait to share with my Kiddos in 1st and 2nd grade! I can see these helping my students of all levels!'

– VICTORIA FINNEY, 1ST AND 2ND GRADE MATH SPECIALIST



Who Should Attend

Educators who teach mathematics in grades K-2: Classroom Teachers, Mathematics Specialists, Interventionists, Resource Specialists, Special Education Staff, Title I Staff, Instructional Assistants, and Administrators.

- 1. Enhance Every Student's Mastery of Key Math Skills and Concepts**
Discover highly effective strategies to help all your students meet or exceed your expectations in mathematics ... Proven techniques to motivate every student, no matter their current level of performance
- 2. Help Your Students Learn, Retain and Use Math Facts with Ease**
Learn innovative, motivating techniques to teach math facts and extend your students' ability to use them ... Discover creative, engaging ideas to increase student facility with math facts
- 3. Use Math Centers to Practice, Reinforce and Extend Basic Math Skills**
Discover innovative, timesaving ways to meet the diverse needs of your students ... Effective ways to provide practice and extension activities for each student
- 4. Increase the Effectiveness of Your Math Instruction for Every Student**
Learn quick instructional strategies you can use to give all students the strong foundation they need in number sense, operations, measurement and data ... Techniques that work for struggling students, those with special needs, and those who are ready for enrichment
- 5. Teach the Most Effective Strategies to Solve Word Problems**
Discover proven techniques to teach problem solving, whether students experience difficulty with word problems or are capable of tackling more complex ones ... How to grab students' interest and motivate them to be confident problem solvers
- 6. Teach Math Vocabulary and Skills in an Easier Way!**
Discover powerful approaches to help your students easily learn the skills and vocabulary they need. Increase your students' success and enjoyment in learning math
- 7. Increase Success by Integrating Reading and Writing**
Help all your students make important connections between math and language arts ... Learn engaging and active literacy-based strategies that teach math facts and enhance computational and problem-solving skills
- 8. Math Learning Games that Powerfully Build and Sharpen Skills**
Take advantage of the best, innovative games that teach math skills and expand every student's motivation to do math ... Discover math games and activities your students will beg to do again and again
- 9. The Best Organization and Management Tips and Tricks**
Learn many highly effective classroom management techniques, routines and procedures that enable you to best meet the diverse needs of your students ... Tips for working more efficiently so you have more time for instruction
- 10. Receive a Valuable Math Resource Handbook**
Each participant will receive a copy of Gary's extensive math resource handbook designed specifically for this seminar ... Filled with strategies, tips and materials you can use immediately to increase your students' math success

Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately

What You Will Learn ...

- **Dozens of highly effective strategies** you can use in your current math program to help every student meet or exceed the expectations
- **Innovative, motivating techniques to teach math facts** and increase your students' fact fluency
- **Timesaving math centers** that help students practice, reinforce and extend basic math skills in number sense, operations and measurement and data
- **Powerful ways to teach students to solve word problems**, in whole group and small group settings
- **How to unleash the power of using math songs, dances and innovative movement activities** to help all students learn the skills and vocabulary they need
- **How to integrate your literacy and math instruction** in ways that help students make important learning connections and progress
- **Successful classroom management techniques, routines and procedures** that will save you time and enable you to meet the diverse needs of your students
- The most effective ways to use **visual models, manipulatives, "fact stories," and "story props"** to make learning easier and provide added challenges for those who need them
- Ways to **decrease math anxiety and nurture your students' confidence and competence** in math
- **Innovative, flexible ideas to keep all your students engaged** during math instruction



"I loved this seminar with Gary! He was funny, kept our attention and taught us so much! Every child should have a math teacher like Gary and every teacher should learn from someone like Gary."

– SONJA CATALDO, KINDERGARTEN TEACHER

Practical Ideas and Strategies

Do you feel squeezed? Are you trying to balance "fitting it all in" with helping your students truly master the essentials in math? What about your students who struggle or those that need more of a challenge? And how can you best help grades K-2 students to develop a joy-filled, positive relationship with math?

In this **NEW**, highly engaging seminar, you will discover practical solutions and answers to these and many more challenges that every educator faces in teaching math. Outstanding national math expert and highly-experienced primary classroom teacher, **Gary Eisenberg**, will share the best of what he has found to be successful in working with grades K-2 students in math.

Gary will provide dozens of outstanding ideas for meeting the needs of each student with whom you work – from mastering and using math facts with ease, to providing basic skills instruction and enrichment activities for number sense, operations, measurement and data, and problem solving. The emphasis will be on sharing the most current, practical ideas you can implement the very next day in your own program, regardless of your math curriculum.

Join Gary for a fast-paced day filled with dozens of practical and doable strategies to strengthen your math instruction and to see powerful results!



A Message From Seminar Leader, Gary Eisenberg



Uniquely Qualified Instructor

GARY EISENBERG is an energetic, highly enthusiastic primary grades classroom teacher and national presenter. Over three decades as a K-2 classroom and multiage teacher, Gary has discovered, developed and tested all the outstanding materials and instructional techniques that he shares. Gary is passionate about finding innovative ways to help students master the skills they need in math, no matter the curriculum. In addition to developing math resources that are currently used by thousands of primary teachers throughout the country, Gary is the author of *Powerful, Proven Strategies to Increase Students' Math Success (Grades K-2)*, the extensive math resource handbook each participant will receive at the seminar. Join Gary for a fast-paced, active day filled with dozens of strategies you'll be eager to use immediately in your own grades K-2 program.

Dear Colleague:

Mathematics is my favorite subject to teach and many of my students look forward to our daily math instruction as the best part of our day. But like all of us who teach primary grades, my biggest challenge is to meet the needs of all my students, from those who love math to those who struggle to learn the most basic skills and concepts. In over three decades of teaching K-2, I have found a wealth of ideas, strategies and outstanding materials that go a long way toward reaching each student.

Throughout this **NEW** seminar, I will share the best, most successful techniques I've found that motivate my students who struggle with math and challenge those who are ready for enrichment. I will introduce proven methods for using innovative, creative activities to teach math facts to help students master the skills they need in number sense, operations, measurement and data, and problem solving – and to enrich the skills of the most capable math students in each of these areas. You will see dozens of instructional techniques and a wealth of activities that I use with my students on a daily basis, all of which can be implemented immediately in your own classroom.

My goal is not to add more to “your plate,” but rather to give you specific, timesaving ideas for managing your instructional time in ways that will maximize the motivation, confidence, enjoyment, and success of your students with math. Join me to discover effective and powerful strategies to help all your students improve as mathematicians.

Sincerely,

Gary Eisenberg

P.S. You'll leave this seminar inspired, enthusiastic, reinvigorated, and ready to use these strategies to meet the diverse needs of your students.

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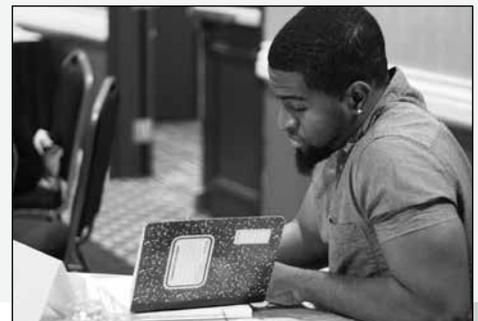
What Your Colleagues Say About Gary Eisenberg

*"Gary is a truly passionate educator! He is joyful and full of endless ideas. His willingness to openly share access to all his **wonderful resources** is amazing!"* Meg Peterson, K-5 Math Coach

*"**Mr. Eisenberg was full of ideas and full of fun.** His knowledge and resources that he shared will really enhance my teaching."* Erica Bobruff, Kindergarten Teacher

*"Useful and fun ideas and songs to take back to the classroom. **Very hands-on seminar** that I would recommend to any K-2 teacher. Gary is great and very entertaining!"* Jean Gorman, Math RTI Teacher

*"**Gary was amazing** and I can see myself using so many of these resources in my classroom!"* Abbi Cooke, 2nd Grade Teacher



*"A plethora of **invigorating, engaging and fun ideas.** I am thrilled to incorporate these ideas in my classroom!"* Ann Day, First Grade Teacher

*"Great ideas, songs and manipulatives! It was **a very worthwhile day.** I will definitely be using many of these activities in my classroom. You rejuvenated me!"* Brenda Jolley, 1st Grade Teacher

*"Excellent strategies and games to take students from concrete to abstract. **Lots of strategies I can use right away!**"* Christine Stockton, 1st Grade Teacher

*"Thank you for your **energy and excitement** for math. Today reminded me to bring back the fun in learning with song and dance, as well as being mindful of the emotional state of my students. I will be cheering and celebrating more because of you!"* Liza Kennedy, K-2 Intervention

Special Benefits of Attending



Online Learning

BER offers educators a wide range of online courses that are affordable, fun, fast, and convenient. BER is now offering On Demand Video-Based courses as well as Scheduled Instructor-Led courses. You also may earn optional graduate-level credits for most courses. See the catalog of available courses at www.ber.org/onlinelearning

On-Site Training

Most BER seminars can be brought to your school or district. See the options at www.ber.org/onsite or call 877-857-8964 to speak to one of our On-Site Training Consultants.

Extensive Resource Handbook

Each participant will receive an extensive resource handbook specifically designed for this seminar. The handbook includes:

- Many resources and ideas for meeting the needs of all your math students
- Step-by-step techniques for teaching, reinforcing and extending students' skills in math facts, number sense, operations, measurement and data, and problem solving
- Ready-to-use ideas and resources for using math songs, dances, rhymes, chants, stories, and innovative movement activities to meet the diverse math needs of your students
- Highly practical, innovative ideas to help all your students meet or exceed the expectations in mathematics

Meet Inservice Requirements / Earn State CEUs

Participants will receive a certificate of participation that may be used to verify continuing education hours.

CEUs Available:

Connecticut

CT Five (5) Contact Hours Available with Prior District Approval; For MA, Contact Hours Verification Available; RI Five (5) Contact Hours Available

Maine

5 Contact Hours Available with Prior Approval from your Local Certification Support System

New Hampshire

NH Clock Hours Verification Available; For MA, Contact Hours Verification Available

New York

5 NY CTLE Hours Available

Vermont

VT Inservice Credit Available with Prior District Approval; 5 NY CTLE Hours Available

Earn One to Four Graduate Semester Credits



Up to four graduate level professional development credits are available with an additional fee and completion of follow-up practicum activities. Details for direct enrollment with Brandman University, part of the Chapman University system, will be available at this program.



Can't Attend? Other Professional Development Options:

Related Online Courses

Related On Demand Video-Based Online Learning courses, *Using Guided Math To Strengthen Students' Math Learning*, for Grades K-2, *Increasing Students' Mastery of Addition and Subtraction Facts*, for Grades 1-3, and other math related courses are available for immediate registration. To enroll, visit www.ber.org/onlinelearning

Related Staff Development Audio Training

A related BER seminar, *Guided Math: Practical Strategies to Differentiate Your Math Instruction Using Small Groups, Centers and Whole Group Instruction (Grades K-3)*, presented by another math expert, Deborah Wirth, is available on CDs with a comprehensive resource handbook at a cost of \$99.00 plus \$9.00 shipping and handling. To order, call toll-free 1-800-735-3503 (**Stock #A-MUW-2090**) or use the order form on page 7.

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Registration (MKE8S1)

- 1. **Albany** (Troy), NY – April 12, 2018
- 2. **Burlington**, VT – April 11, 2018
- 3. **Hartford** (Bristol), CT – April 13, 2018
- 4. **Manchester**, NH – April 10, 2018
- 5. **Portland**, ME – April 9, 2018

FIRST NAME	M.I.	LAST NAME
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**Registration confirmations are sent via e-mail.
If you would like a confirmation, please provide your e-mail address.**

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IMPORTANT: PRIORITY ID CODE: EMKE8S1

METHOD OF PAYMENT – Team Discount Available

The registration fee is \$249 per person, for teams of three or more registering at the same time, the fee is \$229 per person. **Payment is due prior to the program.** No cash please.

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-  MAIL this form to: **Bureau of Education & Research**
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Program Hours

All seminars are scheduled 8:30 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Check-in 8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Fee

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Meeting Sites and Hotel Accommodations

Seminars will be held at the following sites:

- Albany: Hilton Garden Inn – Troy, (518) 272-1700
- Burlington: Hilton, (802) 658-6500
- Hartford: DoubleTree – Bristol, (860) 589-7766
- Manchester: Executive Court Banquet Facility, (603) 626-4788; hotel accommodations available at Best Western Plus Executive Court Inn, (603) 627-2525
- Portland: Holiday Inn By the Bay, (207) 775-2311

If needed, please make your own hotel reservations by calling the appropriate hotel listed above.

Cancellation/Substitutions:

100% of your paid registration fee will be refunded if you can't attend and notify us at least 10 days before the conference. Late cancellations will be refunded less a \$15 service fee. Substitutions may be made at any time without charge.

Program Guarantee

We stand behind the high quality of our programs by providing the following unconditional guarantee: If you are not satisfied with this program, we'll give you a 100% refund of your registration fee.

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