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SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS:
What's NEW in Technology to Save Time and Accelerate Therapy Outcomes

A Unique One-Day Live Online Seminar Presented by

Chris Wenger

Outstanding Speech-Language Pathologist and Presenter

Specifically Designed for Speech-Language Pathologists Working with Students in Grades PreK-12

Accelerate therapy outcomes with the best digital tools to use with a wide range of mild to severely impaired students whether working in-person or online

Create more engaging lessons using game-changing tech tools including interactive iPad apps, Instagram, Facebook, YouTube, Google Tools, and other web-based resources **you can use immediately**

Save yourself hours of time searching and testing hundreds of apps, extensions and websites for use in your therapy program … Chris has done the work for you and will share free and inexpensive tools that are appropriate **for ALL students**

ASHA CEUs AVAILABLE AT ALL LOCATIONS

Live Online Seminars

April 26
9 AM Central, 10 AM Eastern, 8 AM Mountain, 7 AM Pacific

April 27
9 AM Eastern, 8 AM Central, 7 AM Mountain, 6 AM Pacific

April 30
9 AM Pacific, 12 PM Eastern, 11 AM Central, 10 AM Mountain

CAN'T ATTEND?

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

CEUs and Graduate Credit Available
See page 6 for details

Ten Key Benefits of Attending

1. **Incorporate the Newest, Most Effective Technology Tools into Your Speech Therapy Sessions In-Person and Online**
   Specific ideas to help utilize the newest technology resources, and how to evaluate and repurpose apps, ideal for use in your school-based language therapy program

2. **Utilize the Best Online Resources to Support Your IEP Goals**
   Learn the best-of-the-best web resources that support your students' IEP goals … Discover how to easily create amazing lessons and how to liven up your therapy sessions

3. **Take Your SLP Skills to the Next Level … Learn Practical Ways to More Effectively Use Technology to Support Your Caseload**
   Dozens of highly effective reading apps, iBooks and activities that support the needs of diverse learners … Learn about the best literacy apps and research-based strategies that can be integrated immediately into any existing program

4. **Increase Your Time Efficiency: Make Best Use of Google Tools for IEP Meetings AND Therapy**
   Discover innovative ways Google Tools can increase your time efficiency using free web tools and resources … Learn practical ways to more conveniently collaborate with teachers and meet IEP goals with students

5. **Increase Receptive and Expressive Language Abilities through Innovative Technology**
   Using the tools your students are most comfortable with for expressive language … Discover how to take full advantage of the most useful iOS apps and Google Tools to encourage all modes of communication and improve accuracy in meeting student IEP objectives

6. **Build an Array of High-Quality Interactive Speech-Language Learning Materials and Activities**
   Use amazing tools, apps and extensions to increase your repertoire of interactive options and get your students using language in fun and productive ways while you formatively assess their proficiency and growth

7. **From Mild to Severely Impaired, There's an App or Tech Tool to Motivate ALL Students**
   Learn about the best, free to low-cost apps and other tech tools to help all areas of needs, including syntax, semantics, fluency, and functional communication

8. **Explore the Latest Interactive Technology Tools to Support Language Development**
   More effectively use social media such as Instagram, YouTube, Facebook, podcasting, and digital storytelling to address narrative language, image creation to support language development, and more … Learn innovative ways to use these tools to increase student motivation, interest and participation

9. **Inspire and Motivate Your Students to Think in New Ways**
   Customize your students' learning experiences and learn new ways to create your own interactive materials so your students can more easily meet their IEP goals
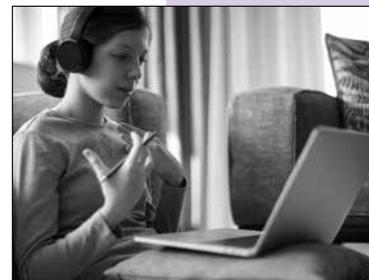
10. **Receive an Extensive SLP Technology Digital Resource Handbook**
    You will receive a detailed SLP handbook filled with practical ideas for using the latest tools and technology in your speech language program … Included in the handbook are dozens of strategies and other resources designed to help enhance your therapy sessions and have a greater impact on student outcomes whether you're working in-person or online

Who Should Attend
Speech-Language Pathologists Working with Students in Grades PreK-12

Outstanding Strategies You Can Use Immediately

What You Will Learn ...

- **Dozens of practical, realistic, timesaving ideas for using cutting-edge technology** to more effectively address a variety of speech language therapy needs whether you're working in-person or online
- **Deepen your knowledge** of social media, Google Tools, apps, and extensions and their practical uses with your students
- **How to make best use** of helpful websites and timesaving strategies to stay current with the technology developments that have useful applications for speech language therapy
- **Proven techniques to more effectively integrate** iOS platforms into your speech language therapy
- **Ways to improve your use of Google and Google Tools** to support therapy and IEP goal attainment
- **How you can stay up-to-date** with new technology for speech language therapy
- **Step-by-step demonstrations** on tech tools to use with your students that are easy to access, easy to follow and are applicable immediately
- **How to more effectively use YouTube and digital photography** to engage students in learning
- **Innovative strategies for using websites** and blogs to increase your therapy productivity
- **How to work smarter, not harder** … Timesaving tips for using technology to help reduce stress from large caseloads and the anxiety of having to come up with creative and motivating lesson plans to keep your students engaged
- **Simple, effective techniques** to inspire participation from the most challenging students, including those with social cognitive deficits whether you're working in-person or online

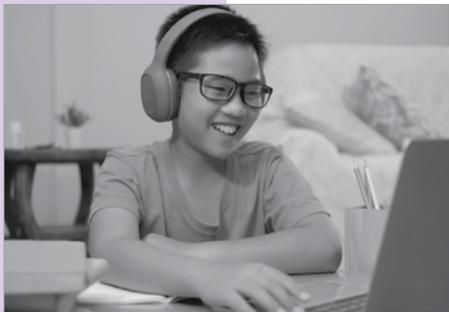*"This one of the best seminars I have ever attended."*

– ANGELA DRAKE, SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

Practical Tools and Strategies for In-Person and Online Therapy

Are you looking for practical ways to be more time-efficient in your lesson planning and managing the loads of paperwork for your large caseloads? If you're looking for new, highly effective ways to accelerate the impact of your therapeutic interventions, then this is a seminar you won't want to miss. In this outstanding **NEW** seminar, you'll learn timesaving ideas for using cutting-edge technology that will increase student motivation and accelerate therapy outcomes. Experienced speech-language pathologist and nationally-acclaimed technology specialist, **Chris Wenger**, will share innovative ways to more effectively utilize technology in your therapy sessions, using the best creation tools available. Whether you are just starting to make use of technology in your therapy program or have many years of experience doing so, you will walk away with dozens of amazing, timesaving tools to use on a daily basis in your speech therapy sessions. In addition, you'll leave with a detailed SLP tech toolkit/handbook to help you immediately implement the ideas you learned in this seminar.

A Message From Your Seminar Leader, Chris Wenger

Uniquely Qualified Instructor

Chris Wenger is an outstanding school-based SLP and nationally-acclaimed presenter who loves to share his knowledge about technology and practical ways to infuse it into the SLP practice. Chris's extensive experience in using technology in his own speech therapy sessions has provided him a depth of knowledge for making effective connections between technology and speech pathology. Chris is the author of *SPEECH-LANGUAGE TECHNOLOGISTS: What's NEW in Technology to Save Time and Accelerate Therapy Outcomes*, the extensive digital resource handbook each participant will receive at the seminar. Participants consistently leave Chris's presentations with dozens of innovative ideas and resources to make therapy more effective.

Dear Colleague:

As an experienced school-based SLP and national speaker, I am dialed in to the most current technology trends while always striving to grow my own knowledge base. My insights into the innovative technology tools I will share throughout the seminar will position you to develop a powerful SLP tech toolkit and create amazing therapy activities to better support your students' therapy needs!

During your time at the seminar, you'll learn about the most useful tools to create amazing and motivating therapy lessons, simplify your workload and reduce stress, all through the most effective and practical use of technology. With hands-on learning and demonstrations, you'll rejuvenate your SLP skills by freeing you to spend more time on your students' therapy needs.

The technology tools I will share at this seminar run the gamut from the traditional to the cutting-edge. These creation tools discussed all have one thing in common: when implemented, they make the SLP life stress-free and exciting.

Whether you are working in a school with in-person, online or a hybrid learning environment you'll leave with numerous new therapy tools and activities you can use right away.

Sincerely,

Chris Wenger

P.S.   This seminar is filled with fun, motivating, **hands-on learning and easy-to-implement ideas** that will help you to be a more effective and time-efficient speech-language technologist.

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What Your Colleagues Say About Chris Wenger

*"An **engaging and energetic presenter**. Chris shared very helpful technology applications that will engage my speech and language students and help them achieve their goals."*

Frances Perch, Speech-Language Pathologist

*"Chris shares **an awesome amount of therapy materials**."*

Nasqueline Hanzl, Speech-Language Pathologist

*"Chris is **full of knowledge and terrific suggestions**."*

Rose Hoaran, Speech-Language Pathologist

*"Chris presented an excellent seminar that was completely engaging. **I now have many useful tools to take away and use immediately.**"*

Cindy Federman, Speech-Language Pathologist

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You'll have access to an extensive digital Resource Handbook before, during and after your seminar

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You'll be able to ask questions in real time and interact with the instructor and other participants

Program Guarantee
As we have for 43 years, we guarantee the high quality of our programs. If you are not satisfied, we'll give you a 100% refund.

Special Benefits of Attending

Extensive SLP Technology Digital Resource Handbook

Each participant will receive an extensive SLP technology digital resource handbook specifically designed for this seminar. The handbook includes:
- Detailed descriptions of the best, most effective web-based resources and other cutting-edge technology whether you're working in-person or online
- Explanations on how to evaluate and repurpose apps and websites to effectively target IEP goals

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This course is offered for 0.50 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area).

ASHA-Required Disclosure Statement for Chris Wenger:
Financial: Consultant for the Bureau of Education & Research and receives honorarium compensation.
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▶ Recorded Version of the Seminar

This course will be video recorded and available to take online at your convenience. You'll have access to the entire course and to the extensive digital resource handbook. Optional CEUs and graduate credit available.

To enroll, see registration form on page 7.

▶ Related On-Demand Online Courses

Two related On Demand Video-Based Online Learning courses, *Timesaving Strategies to Integrate Your SLP Interventions into Classrooms: Moving from a Caseload to a Workload Approach*, for Grades P-12, and *SLPs: Enhance Therapy Effectiveness for Auditory Processing Disorder, Memory Deficits, Attention Deficit Disorder, and Language Processing* , are available for immediate registration.

To enroll, visit www.ber.org/online

'This seminar has great information I can use with my entire caseload.'

– GINA SVANAGAN,
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

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Registration (XSW1S2)

☐ **1. April 26, 2021** (Start time: 9 AM Central)
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—or—
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FIRST NAME   M.I.   LAST NAME

POSITION, SUBJECT TAUGHT   GRADE LEVEL

SEMINAR NUMBER: _____ (Please see list above)

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E-MAIL ADDRESS (<u>REQUIRED</u> FOR EACH REGISTRANT)

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IMPORTANT: PRIORITY ID CODE: EXSW1S2

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- All Live Online seminars start times are described on the cover
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- Live Online seminars are five hours in length plus breaks
- Registrants will receive login information by email four days before their Live Online seminar

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

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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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Practical PD, No Travel

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