

Intervention System Supports for Interventionists

This document outlines the supports necessary to adequately support and prepare interventionists to implement an intervention with fidelity.

Intervention Program Initial Professional Learning

All individuals providing intervention must receive high-quality professional learning in each intervention program they will use with students. The following professional learning guidelines should be followed:

- Overview of the program (e.g., contents, organization, program components, placement tests, program assessment, decision rules)
- Modeling each program component for the first lesson and lessons where new program components are introduced, including:
 - Instructional routines
 - Methods for cueing student responses
 - Error correction procedures
 - Strategies for intensifying instruction
 - Pacing considerations
- Practice opportunities using the instructional routines and error correction procedures for each program component for the first lesson and lessons where new program components are introduced
- Overview of the intervention program fidelity checklist, including:
 - Practice opportunities using the tool
 - Practice with the presenter and partner

Professional learning is organized and documented as part of the district-wide or school-wide professional learning plan. Documentation should include the names of individuals who need access to training and a mechanism to record who has received it.

Intervention Lesson Implementation Support

- Interventionists will receive all the resources needed to implement intervention programs for at least two weeks. This includes documents such as teacher displays, supplemental resources, and student copies
- Interventionists should be given opportunities to co-facilitate program lessons and/or program components with an individual who is knowledgeable of the intervention program and has successfully used the program until they can implement it independently
- Areas of need will inform re-teaching, coaching, and further implementation support

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