

Bring Out the Best in Every Student

Three Practical and Entertaining Mini-Seminars With Immediately Useful Strategies For Parents and Educators



Session One

Teaching Them the Way They Learn *Motivating Students to Take Charge of Their Own Success*

Walk away with ideas and strategies for motivating all kinds of learners while maintaining bottom-line accountability and discipline. Even the most reluctant or frustrated students can become more confident and successful learners!



Session Two

Middle School: The Inside Story *What Kids Tell Us But Don't Tell You*

Direct quotes and real-life anecdotes fresh from the hearts and minds of middle school kids and those who love them. You'll smile more than you thought you would, and get some practical tools for deepening your relationship with these kids during one of the most critical times in their lives.



Session Three

Turning Conflict Into Cooperation *Bringing Out the Best in a Strong-Willed Child*

Insights and approaches for motivating even the most reluctant or strong-willed child of any age. You'll leave with useful strategies that can reduce conflict and improve cooperation, beginning immediately!



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About Your Presenter:

Cynthia Tobias has a successful background as a high school teacher, a police officer, and a business owner. She is a best-selling author of 13 books, a featured guest on radio and television, a popular presenter for business, government, churches and schools throughout the U.S. and the world and is the mother of twin sons, now young adults.

Recommendations from enthusiastic clients:

I wanted to thank you again so much for doing the trainings for our mentors last week-- it was amazing how many people were so moved by your words and commented to me in emails about how great it was!

--Jennifer Youngblood, Mentor Coordinator
Communities in Schools, Federal Way, WA

Thank you so much for your participation in Focus on the Family's first-ever Teachers in Focus Conference. The attendees were overwhelming in their positive comments. Several wrote that they planned to make specific changes in their classrooms to try to recognize the strengths of their students. The presentations were a total success—all that we had wanted them to be!

—Tom Minnery
Focus on the Family, Colorado Springs, CO

Many weeks have gone by since your teaching engagement at the Lifeway Conference Center at Glorietta, New Mexico, and I am still remembering the huge delight of every person in the room! The three presentations seemed like just a few minutes to those of us who soak up every word you say, learning while we laugh! ...Our customers feel that we provided something out of the ordinary when we brought you to our events.

—Martha Kirkland
Lifeway Church Resources, Nashville, TN

The raves and positive comments continue to come back to me from other individuals that attended the presentations with the instructors. They feel there is so much that you can offer in the fun and informative method of teaching you have demonstrated!

—Elenjo Schaff
Eastside Fire and Rescue, Issaquah, WA

Cynthia is an excellent communicator. She uses large doses of humor and many real-life anecdotes to convey her messages. The time flew by as we laughed and learned together. I wholeheartedly recommend Cynthia as one of the best retreat/seminar presenters we have ever heard.

—Gabrielle Dudley
Children's Hospital Foundation, Seattle, WA

Cynthia's books include the following:

The Way They Learn

Middle School: The Inside Story

The Way We Work

Every Child Can Succeed

You Can't Make Me! (But I Can Be Persuaded)

I Hate School!

Read excerpts and articles on our web site:

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I wanted to thank you again for being such an integral part of our Police Commanders Course faculty. The message you deliver provides our leadership folks with much needed tools as they face the challenges of leading a diverse law enforcement force at each of our installations across the Marine Corps. Our success in training and education is due in large part to your participation.

--Stephen K Reese
Head, Training & Education, Marine Corps Law Enforcement

I want to extend the most heart-felt thank you to you for your training Friday. Several teachers are very excited about trying your techniques with some students they feel they have no influence over. Your techniques give us hope with the most challenging students.

— Steve Backman, Administrator
Lawrence Gardner High School - Topeka Juvenile Correctional Facility

Those who sat under your leadership were inspired, affirmed, and challenged. They returned to their place of service with new understandings, ideas for implementation, and resources as they minister to children and their families. Thank you for sharing your talent, insight and time with us.

--Barbara Lyon, Conference Chair
The Child Development Alliance, Orange Park, Florida

You are not only a masterful speaker with a quiet winsome way, Cynthia, but your message is one that parents and teachers all over the world long to hear.

—Sandy Smith
Bailey Smith Ministries, Atlanta, GA

It amazes me how well she knows teenagers and exactly how we think and act and feel. She made wonderful suggestions that make sense and will work as long as parents stay calm and not point their fingers and make us do it. Thank you very much and I plan to share these suggestions with my mom—hopefully it will improve our relationship.

—Student Participant
Metro Maryland Youth for Christ