Charter Schools Development Center

2016 Charter Schools Leadership Update Conference

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Motivating Reluctant Learners: Strategies for Success!

Presenter: **Dr. Kathy Perez**, International Consultant and Author, Professor of Education, Saint Mary's College of California

Description: New brain-based discoveries reveal powerful mind-body states to optimize learning. Equip your students with a burning desire to learn! In this interactive session, you'll explore what motivates students to achieve success in the classroom. Teaching for learning is our goal. Looking for ways to make teaching more engaging? Ignite and excite your students with that "can do spirit." Dr. Perez will share multiple ways to increase student productivity and build confidence in all of your learners. Looking for ways to avoid the same old activities? Strategies to help your students appreciate the relevance of what they learn in school to the real world!

Objectives and Outcomes: Participants will…

- Utilize a variety of teaching strategies for active engagement
- Maximize learner motivation, cultivate curiosity, and deepen desire to learn
- Experience low-prep, research-based techniques that encourage participation by every student

Dr. Perez is an acclaimed international educational consultant, author, and motivational speaker specializing in instructional strategies and creative approaches to brain research, student engagement, and leadership development. Dr. Perez has worked extensively with teachers, administrators, and parents throughout the United States, Canada, Europe, Qatar, the Caribbean, Africa, New Zealand, Australia, Thailand, Hong Kong, and Singapore. Her best-selling books include *More Than 100 Brain Friendly Tools and Strategies for Literacy* and *The New Inclusion: Differentiated Strategies to Engage ALL Students!*

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