



## ONLINE: Visuals in Learning

### See the possibilities for your classroom.

Understanding and using visual materials is an important life skill and advantageous for students. We have come to a point where visuals are at par with words in daily communication.

Schools must take seriously the task of teaching students to decipher, as well as create, visuals. Visual tools make useful teaching aids in the classroom whether they are technology-rich or technology-free.

Examples in this course help teachers see how to incorporate visual instruction into lessons, and prepare and present visual teaching aids and assessments for all students.



### Standards:

This course aligns to all of the INTASC Standards including Learner Development, Learning Differences, Learning Environments, Content Knowledge, Assessment, Planning for Instruction and Instructional Strategies.

The course also aligns to the McRel Teacher Evaluation Standards including Teacher Leadership, Diverse Learners, Teachers Know Content and Teachers Facilitate Learning.

### Each self-study PD course from Professional Learning Board includes:

- **Convenient access** anytime, anywhere, any device
- Interactive **online** textbook
- Implement **practical suggestions** immediately
- Demonstrate comprehension with **quizzes** and checks for understanding
- Print **certificates** of completion
- Easily assign courses to align with each teacher's **personalized PD needs**
- **Integrate** with school and district-wide initiatives
- **Low cost solution for all courses, all teachers, all school year**
- **Reports** for school administrators



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### **Course Outline**

#### **LESSON 1**

##### **Visual Learning and Visual Literacy**

- Theory of multiple intelligences.
- Visual Learners - Characteristics, challenges.
- Visual Literacy - importance, teaching and competency standards.

#### **LESSON 2**

##### **Non-Tech Visual Aids**

- Effective visual aids.
- Types of visual aids.
- Classroom examples.

#### **LESSON 3**

##### **Technology-related Visual Aids**

- Preparing and use visual aids.
- Improving the effectiveness of presentations.
- Teaching students to produce technology based visual aids.

#### **LESSON 4**

##### **Visual Literacy and Learning Strategies**

- Visual learning strategies to think, analyze, remember and recall information effectively.
- Visual literacy strategies to translate text into images, and vice versa.
- Assessment strategies.