



Guided Pathways for Success

Step 1: Presume Positive Intent Sample Conversation Stems

Which (insert content) has had the most success in developing students' (insert content)?

What will it look like, sound like, and be like during your (insert content)?

Would it be helpful to go through strategies / ideas for (insert content)?

Step 2: Solution Focused Sample Conversation Stems

What challenges have you encountered when planning or implementing (insert content)?

What actions and strategies have given you success in the past that could be re-utilized in this situation?

What would you like to achieve by implementing best practices with (insert content)?

Step 3: Goal Focused Sample Conversation Stems

Knowing you would like to start implementing (insert content), what goal would like to set to get this put into action?

What people or resources will be the greatest support in achieving your goal?

What will be your first step toward reaching your goal?

What strategies are you thinking will get you there?

Are there any special considerations you want us to have in mind while planning for (insert content)?

Step 4: Planning Sample Conversation Stems

Which method of coaching is most beneficial for you; co-teaching, modeling, co-planning, or providing resources?

As you think about implementing your plan for action, what barriers do you foresee?
What are ways to reduce or eliminate these barriers?

What will be your first step toward reaching your goal? What strategies are you thinking will get you there?

What strategies have you determined will support your success?

As you think about your plan of action, what steps will catapult you to success?

What is your timeline for accomplishing your goal?

How will you know when you have achieved your goal? What data will affirm your accomplishments?

Step 5: Reflection Sample Conversation Stems

As you reflect on your goal, what was your greatest insight about (insert content)?

As you take this learning forward, what will you keep with you; what will you refine; what will you leave behind?

How do you feel about your performance? What data supports your feelings?

How did your intentions and actions lead to the accomplishment of your goal?