INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE

SOLUTIONS BLUEPRINT

The Rigor-Relevance-Resilience™ Learning Model

As the world around us rapidly evolves, schools must prepare students for their future—not for our past. Students need to experience instruction that is academically rigorous, relevant to their future, and equips them with the resilience skills necessary to thrive beyond school.

This Solutions Blueprint offers a look into SPN's Rigor-Relevance-Resilience™ Learning Model, a framework to help educators employ instructional strategies that provide students with the skills, knowledge, and dispositions they will need to succeed after graduation.

A BRAVE NEW WORLD FOR KIDS

Preparing Students for a Rapidly Changing Future

Research reveals that business and industry leaders are increasingly frustrated with a labor market lacking workers with the **Interpersonal**, **Self-Leadership**, **Cognitive**, and **Digital skills** demanded by the modern workplace.

At the same time, Artificial Intelligence is evolving so rapidly that it promises to upend the jobs and opportunities awaiting our students. Schools must become more adept at helping students become resilient problem-solvers ready so that they can confront their uncertain—but exciting—future opportunities

The Changing Student

Today's students have grown up in a screen-based environment, one that neuroscience research shows has shaped their brains differently from previous generations.

While our students are the most digitally connected generation thanks to social media and smartphones, they are often lacking the face-to-face interpersonal skills that build resilience and foster collaboration.

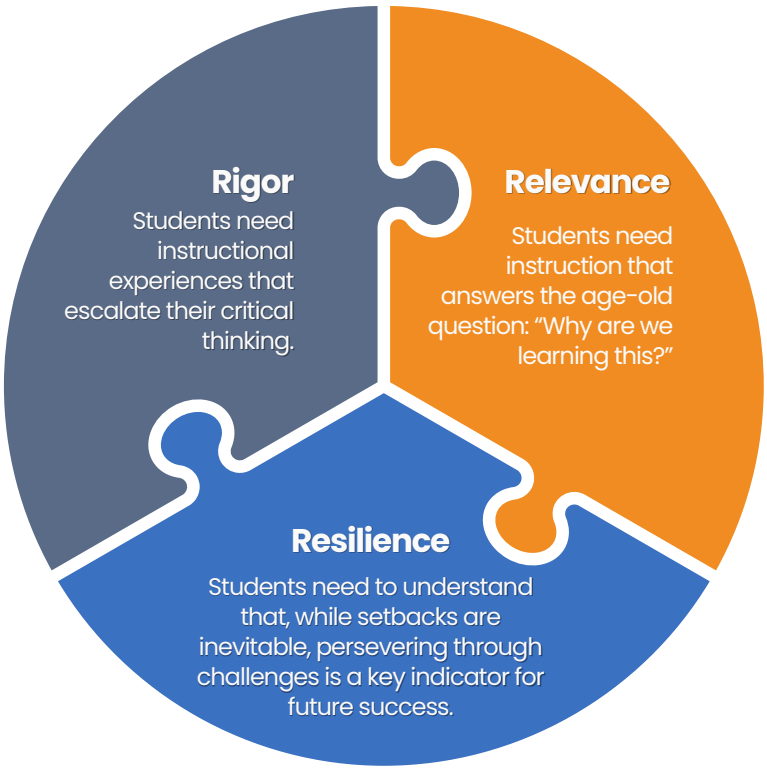
To prepare our changing students for their changing future, schools must adopt instructional practices that bridge the gap between what kids learn and what the real world expects them to demonstrate.

THE RIGOR-RELEVANCE-RESILIENCE LEARNING MODEL

Instruction that prepares kids for their future

A Framework for Future-Ready Learning

SPN's Rigor-Relevance-Resilience™ Learning Model is a research-based framework that helps educators employ innovative instructional practices that prepare students for the rapidly evolving future.



The Rigor-Relevance-Resilience™ Learning Model helps students:

- Apply critical thinking to real-world situations
- Experience engaging instructional strategies
- Collaborate in team-based environments
- Explore the careers that leverage K-12 content
- Connect with their community

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TRANSFORMING INSTRUCTION

SPN partners with schools by taking a systemic approach to elevating instruction.

A Roadmap for Instructional Transformation

Every school begins this work from a different place. SPN partners with your team to align the Rigor-Relevance-Resilience™ Learning Model with your district's strategic plan, Portrait of a Graduate, and instructional priorities. Together, we build on the strengths already in place to create a practical roadmap for meaningful and lasting change.

1 ASSESS READINESS

Schools can't move faster than the rate of readiness and trust. SPN helps identify existing strengths and new opportunities for engaging instructional practices, aligning them with the Rigor-Relevance-Resilience™ Learning Model.

2 BUILD CULTURE

Implementing change means stakeholders at all levels must understand and appreciate why it is necessary in the first place.

3 EMPOWER TEACHERS

Through intentional, student-centered professional learning, teachers explore how their role evolves from delivering instruction to managing learning.

4 PARTNER FOR SUCCESS

Achieving instructional excellence is an interactive process that grows through collaboration, practice, and coaching.

5 ASSESS OUTCOMES

Ongoing growth requires feedback and reflection to prepare for the next steps that sustain success.

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START YOUR JOURNEY TO INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE

Engaging instruction that is rigorous, relevant, and that produces resilient students prepares kids for an exciting future.

START THE CONVERSATION

Elevating instruction starts with a clear strategy. Connect with SPN to discuss your district's goals for instructional excellence and how our team can support a systems-based approach to championing engaging instructional strategies and experiences.

Submit your information to begin the conversation by scanning the QR code or following the link below.

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THE SPN DIFFERENCE

Since 2003, SPN has supported schools, districts, and states in elevating instructional practices and connecting educators across the country to share best practices.

Our work is

- Research-informed
- Systems-based
- Instructionally grounded
- Designed for sustainability
- Focused on measurable outcomes

We do not provide checklists.
We build capacity.

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