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Middle School Mondays

A Webinar Series for Middle School Business Teachers



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Agenda for Today:

- FBLA Overview
- FBLA State Projects
- Creating Exciting Presentations
- Update on New Year's Resolutions
- Upcoming Events







Are you an FBLA adviser?

- If not, why not?
- If YES, tell us your favorite part of FBLA...





MEMBER RECRUITMENT

Middle Level Achievement Program friendships

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HIGH 5 Leadership

CO-CURRICULAR **ORGANIZATION**

STATE PROJECTS: YOU'RE HIRED, NOW WHAT? can you Hear me now?

FBLA State Projects

- You're Hired, Now What?
- Can You Hear Me Now?
- Real World
- Dollar \$en\$e
- Main StreetFBLA

- Life is a Highway
- PEACH Project
- Savvy Surfing
- Venture IN
- Georgia Youth Saves

Presentations

- How do you teach your students about presentations?
- Do you think that we are teaching them what they need to know for the real world?

A Working Resource for CC & College and Career Readiness

(with Anchor Standards)

With a Focus on...

Language
Reading
Writing
Listening and Speaking

First, we need to discuss...

...Vocabulary

Why looking it up in the dictionary doesn't work:

- Kids copy the shortest definition.
- The kids don't think about the context of how the word is being used to decide what definition to use.
- Kids don't internalize a meaning during the reading of the words they looked up in the dictionary.
- The definition can be inaccurate for geographic location.
- The dictionary definition may not be understandable if applied literally. The sum of the parts do not equal the whole.
- Definition does not contain enough information to allow someone to use the word correctly.

Problems with dictionary definitions...

- Dictionary definitions must be brief due to space restrictions. The brevity of many dictionary definitions leaves too much assumed, and young learners often make incorrect assumptions or are unable to put the ideas together at all.
- Dictionary definitions are so often unhelpful due to the format.
- There are four characteristics features of definitions that get in the way of understanding word meanings:
 - 1. <u>Weak Differentiation</u> the definition does not differentiate how the target word is different from other similar words, how it is a specific case of a more general idea.
 - 2. <u>Vague language</u> definitions provide little information.
 - 3. <u>More Likely Interpretation</u> A young learner may interpret the definition incorrectly.
 - 4. <u>Multiple pieces of information</u> dictionary doesn't explain how the separate pieces relate to build an understanding of the word.

Marzano's 8 Guidelines for Vocabulary Instruction

Marzano lists eight research-based guidelines for teachers implementing direct vocabulary instruction in his books Building Background Knowledge and Building Academic Vocabulary:

- 1. Effective vocabulary instruction does not rely on definitions alone. Words should be written in a conversational manner rather than in the more formal dictionary format. If prior exposures to or experiences with a word are lacking, teachers can build the background knowledge through field trips, videos, guest speakers, stories, or current events.
- 2. Students must represent their knowledge of words in linguistic and/or nonlinguistic ways. Students can draw a picture, create a symbol, or dramatize the word.
- 3. Effective vocabulary instruction involves the gradual shaping of word meanings through multiple exposures. These include comparing and contrasting, classifying, and creating metaphors and analogies.
- 4. Teaching word parts (prefixes, root words, suffixes) enhances student understanding of the word.
- 5. Different types of words require different types of instruction.
- 6. Students should discuss the terms they are learning through cooperative learning activities.
- 7. Students should play with words using challenging and engaging vocabulary games Instruction should focus on terms that have a high probability of enhancing academic success.
- 8. Level 1 words are concrete and easy to identify with little or no instruction. Level 2 words appear in text so infrequently that the possibility of learning them in context is slim. Level 3 words are specific to a particular content area. Marzano recommends teaching words in Level 3 (content-related words) rather than those that are seldom encountered during reading.

Brain Rules: John Medina

Rule #10: Vision trumps all other senses.

- We are incredible at remembering pictures. Hear a piece of information, and three days later you'll remember 10% of it. <u>Add a picture and you'll remember 65%.</u>
- Pictures beat text as well, in part because reading is so inefficient for us. Our brain sees words as lots of tiny pictures, and we have to identify certain features in the letters to be able to read them. That takes time.
- Why is vision such a big deal to us? Perhaps because it's how we've always apprehended major threats, food supplies and reproductive opportunity.
- Toss your PowerPoint presentations. It's text-based (nearly 40 words per slide), with six hierarchical levels of chapters and subheads—all words. Professionals everywhere need to know about the incredible inefficiency of text-based information and the incredible effects of images. Burn your current PowerPoint presentations and make new ones--- with LOTS OF PICTURES!



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Current Tourism Australia

Previous Powered by C3 / SelectNY.Paris, Global Gossip,

NewInformation! Inc.

Education Berlin School of Creative Leadership

Connect

Send Jesse InMail

500+ connections

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DEATH BY POWERPOINT

Right now, someone out there is actually dying from a boring presentation, hopefully it's not yours.



TODAY ALL THE TOOLS ARE AVAILABLE TO CREATE A BEAUTIFULLY DESIGNED PRESENTATION

and most are free!



Standard templates (like the ones found in Powerpoint) are ugly and don't communicate, they kill!



You can do better!

THERE'S AN ART TO PUTTING TOGETHER A SOLID PRESENTATION

The "art" is setting yourself apart.

This means many things, but what i'm talking about is design.

This presentation isn't about public speaking skills, it's about designing great looking slides that will knock the socks off your audience and most importantly move and inspire people to action.

Follow me and i'll show you how to design like a superstar.

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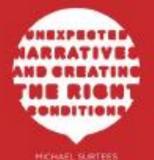
Don't be afraid to have a bold title that will grab people's attention.

At most conferences you can almost tell which presentations are going to suck even before they start.



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FASTER, & (COINCIDENTALLY) MORE SECURE WEBFONTS

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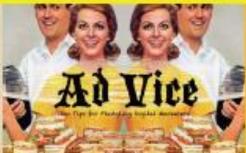






Here's some opening slides that don't suck

















If you're uploading your presentation online a visually stunning opening slide is everything.

Just like a book people will judge your presentation by its cover, so make sure its an awesome one that will get clicked on.





In this presentation I wanted to use the same font and colors from EasyJet.

So, I Google'd: Easyjet font & color (||know, crazy huh?)

The result was a low cost airline feel throughout the entire presentation.



Cut Costs The Low Cost Airline Way

Then, by flying to secondary, less congected airports they cut cocts further, but also became the most ponetual airlines in the world. By the early 2000s, low cost airlines had captured the entire marketing budget of some tourist boards.

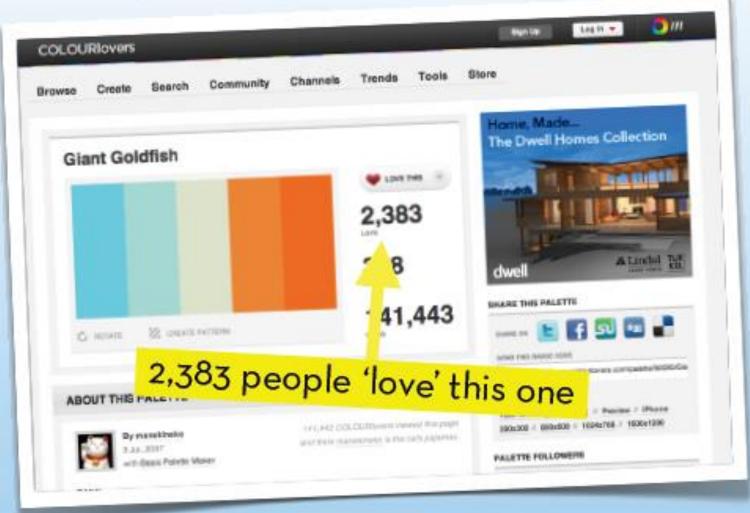
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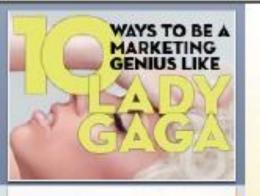
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Why spend money on marketing when government will do it for you

An easy way to find a great looking color scheme is to pick a popular palette on COLORlovers.com





Lady Gags a not your average pop star

24 15

15

40

it nominations

Lady Gaga lond her framil aten't just pop generics, they are marketing geniuses as well.

Regardless of your opinion of her music, here are 10 mays you can be a marketing gonus. No Gaga.



Or use colors found in popular websites or magazines.

For this presentation I wanted to give a gossip magazine feel.





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If I was giving this presentation to you face-to-face I would eliminate 90% of the text

When someone puts all their text in their presentation I say to myself:

"DUDE?! WHAT'S THE POINT OF BEING HERE?! JUST EMAIL ME YOUR SLIDES AND I'LL READ IT ON MY OWN TIME WITHOUT YOU."

Rehearse and use images to remind you of each point.



"The idea for the Gutenberg press came about by..."



"Let me tell you about how my 3-year old child is using an iPhone..."



"As part of our staff we actually have 1 ex-clown..."

*It takes a little bit of practice but this alone will make your presentation 100% better (that's a fact).

THERE ARE 4 TYPES OF IMAGES YOU CAN USE:

YOUR

ROYALTY FREE (PAID) CREATIVE COMMONS (FREE*)

SCREENSHOTS

WHERE TO FIND THEM:



Time consuming, but gives your slides a nice touch. I like full screen width photos.

WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE:



ROYALTY FREE (PAID)



iStockphoto.com. For a few \$\$ get professional photos or illustrations that you can use without having to pay royalties.

Perfect for a cohesive professional look.

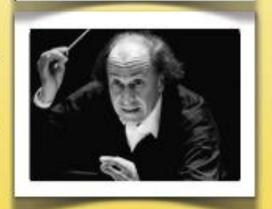


CREATIVE COMMONS (FREE)



Flickr.com. Best place to look for Creative Commons images.

All you need to do is add a proper credit to your presentation.



USE SCREENSHOTS TO HIGHLIGHT IMPORTANT AREAS



Skitch.com it's a free tool for taking screenshots and add little things like arrows to it.

Its dead simple to use. I use it 30+ times a day (no joke).



THERE ARE 2 WAYS TO ADD CREDITS:

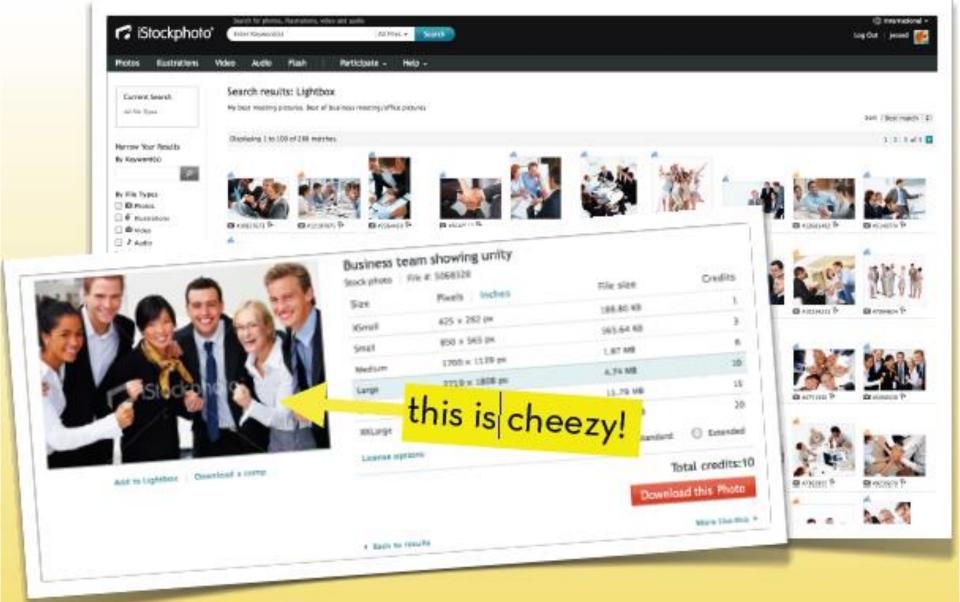




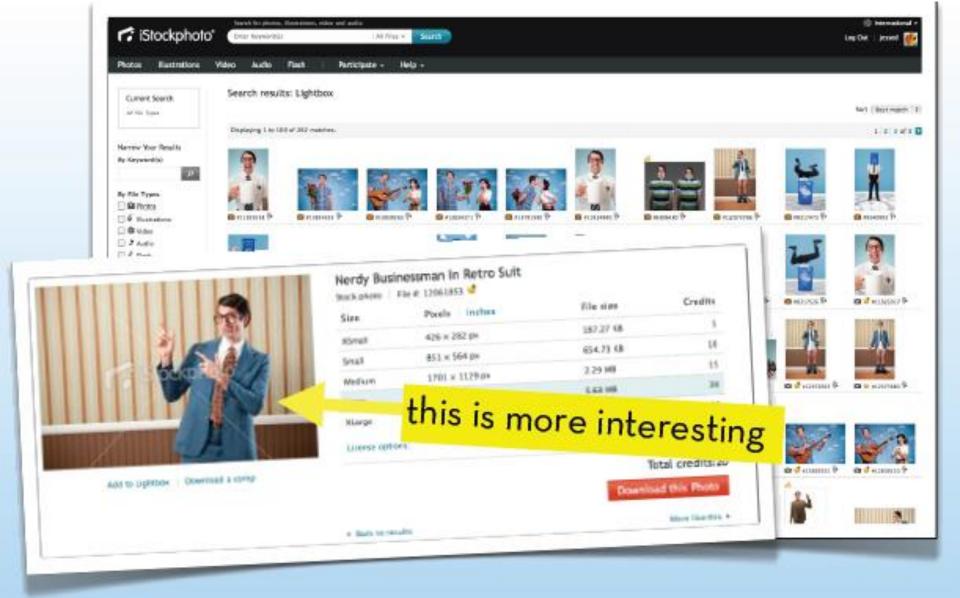
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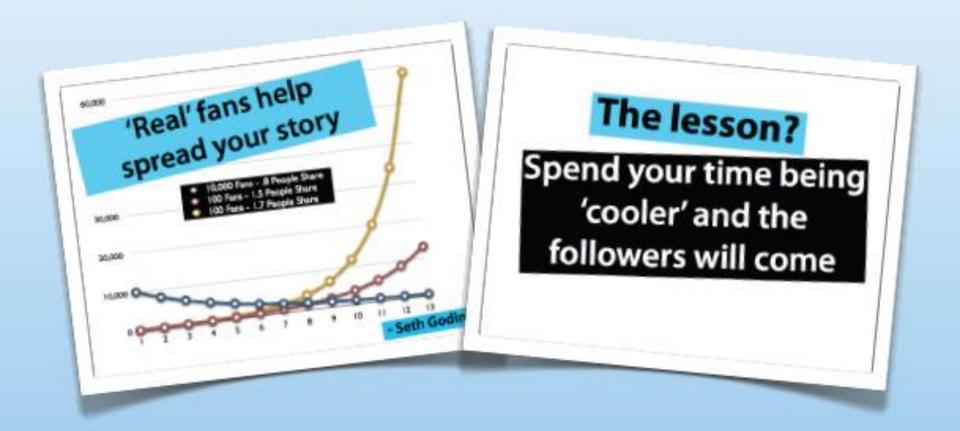
SERIOUSLY DUDE, NOBODY'S OFFICE LOOKS LIKE THAT. (unless you work in an office of cheezy models)



UNEXPECTED, VISUALLY INTERESTING PHOTOS ARE FUN & GIVES ENERGY TO YOUR STORY.

GRAPHS ARE OK, BUT REMEMBER:

It's not just about the number, it's about what the numbers mean





KEEPIT SIMPLE (LESS IS MORE)

ARE YOU GIVING A DOCUMENT OR A PRESENTATION?

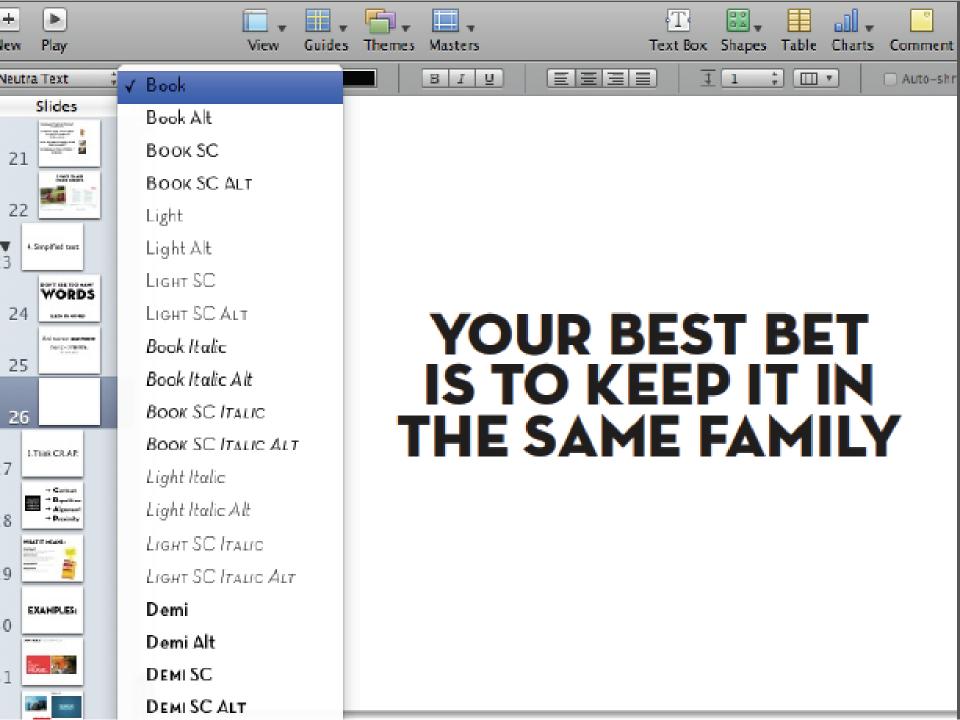
75+ WORDS/SLIDE = DOCUMENT

@NANCYDUARTE

FEW THINGS ABOUT FONTS:

never use more than 2-3 styles.

(it's not cute)



SPARKEING OR TWIRLING TEXT IS JUST NOT COOL

BUT ADDING A SLIGHT ROTATION TO TEXT OR IMAGES MAKES YOUR SLIDES A LITTLE MORE

INTERESTING

but go easy tiger, don't overdo it.



-> CONTRAST

THE MOST
IMPORTANT
ACRONYM
IN DESIGN



-> ALIGNMENT

→ PROXIMITY

WHAT IT MEANS:

CONTRAST

Text and images that are all the same size and style is extremely boring and not communicative. Add some contrast to make it interesting.

REPETITION

Repeat colors, fonts and images throughout your presentation for a cohesive feel (remember color mix?). Each new topic slide should have related styles so that your audience knows you are moving onto a new point.

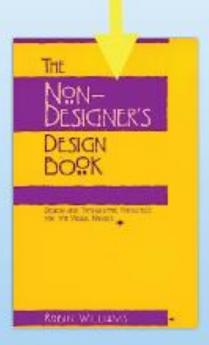
ALIGNMENT

Text and images on each slide should be visually connected. Nothing should be out of place.

PROXIMITY

Related elements should be grouped together

*First coined by Robin Williams (no not that one)





VIDEOS ARE COOL

But keep it short, simple & relevant.

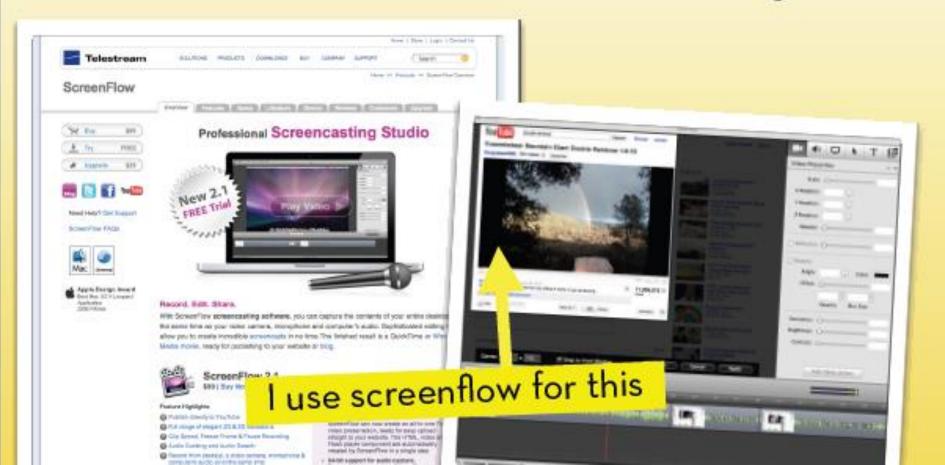
2-3 min is good, 30 seconds is best.



I don't work here

To avoid waiting for videos to load I like to record a YouTube clip and edit it down to only the bits I want to show and then I embed in my slides.

Works 100% of the time with no waiting!





AFRAID OF SOMEONE 'STEALING' YOUR PRESENTATION?

Unless you're dealing with top secret stuff don't be.

If you use the methods you just learned the only person able to give your presentation should be you.

Using things like images instead of text refreshes the memory of someone who was at your talk but means nothing to someone who wasn't.



(YOU'LL GET MORE IN RETURN)

3 months ago I gave a 90-min talk in Australia to some very nice people in the tourism industry.

One speaker told me it was crazy to upload my entire slides to SlideShare because surely I was going to get ripped off.

There were only 100 people in the room, but today more than 8500 people have seen that same presentation online.

I got lots of feedback from people all around the world who said they got lots out of it and who also suggested new material which made my future presentations even better.





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IF YOU LEAVE WITH ONLY ONE SLIDE FROM THIS PRESENTATION IT SHOULD BE THIS ONE:

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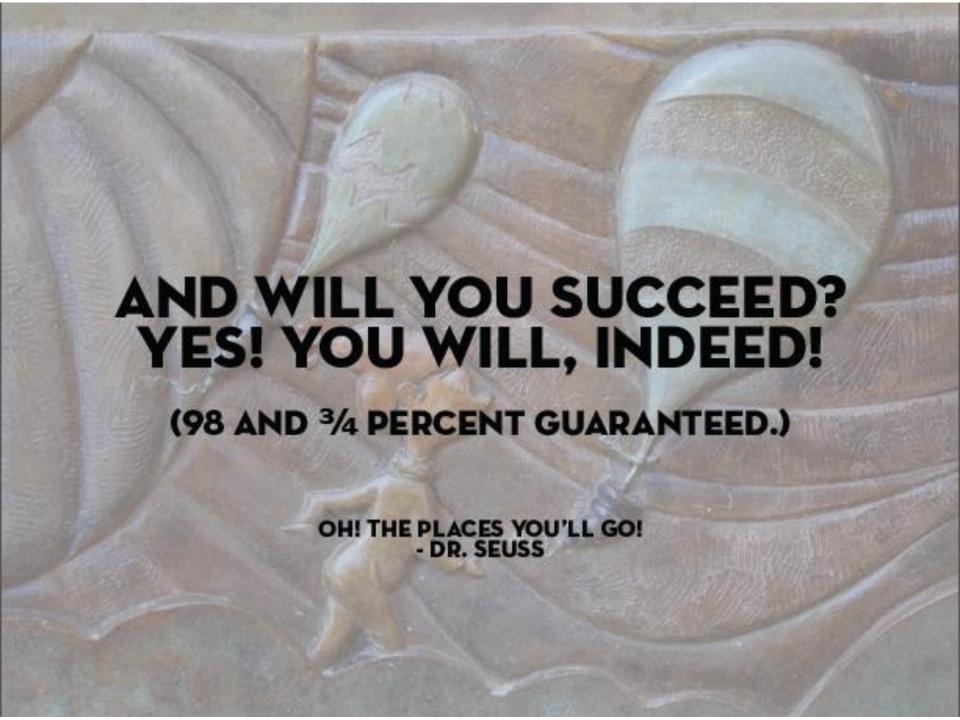
- 1. HAVE A KILLER OPENING SLIDE
- 2. USE A COLOR SCHEME
- 3. USE STUNNING VISUALS
- 4. GET YOUR TEXT RIGHT
- 5. USE CRAP
- 6. USE VIDEO
- 7. SHARE YOUR WORK
- 8. RECAP



Text







CREDITS:

MADE USING KEYNOTE TOTAL COST = \$0

PHOTOS:

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THANKS:

Alax G. for sitting across from me and swearing so laud every day at Powerpoint, you've inspired me to create this preso. Pete O., for letting me be your sidelick, you're a legend. De an J., for letting me steal your headline styles, they seem to work really well. Elizabeth G. you thought me all the CRAP I needed to know when I was a young little brat. ATEC crew, you're all such an amazing bunch of people, how lucky was I to come to Australia as a backpacker and end up working in such an amazing part of the world for 4 years, thanks for your all support. To the people out there sharing this stuff on Facebook and Twitter, thank you! I wish i could invite you over for dinner one night. And to Mum & Dad, cause they're just the best.

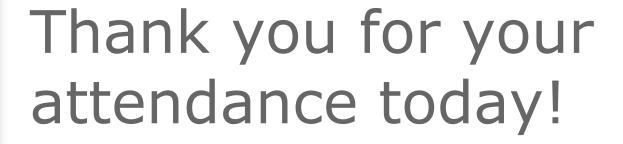


New Year's Resolutions?

- How are your new year's resolutions going?
- Most people said they wanted to start using
 - EDMODO
 - EVER-FI
 - GOOGLE DOCS

Just in case you missed something...

- All resources shared are linked here: http://www.mbmscareers.com/
- Click on Resources for BCS Teachers
 - Links to anything and everything I could think of to share with you!
 - MSBCS Webinar Presentations
 - Dropbox Folders
 - Livebinders
 - Other presentations, etc.





- I will send out the .pdf of this presentation to all of you.
- Let me know if you need anything before our next session!
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- Next Session is March 3rd!