



Achievement Team Certification:

The Achievement Team Certification process is an experiential learning program designed to build capacity among partner organizations. This two + plus one day training permits participants to "master" the content, therefore becoming experienced Achievement Team facilitators.

Achievement Teams Certification: Build Internal Capacity

This powerful three-day certification will transform the way teaching and leadership teams function and communicate. By training your own cadre of facilitators through the Achievement Team Certification process, your organization (school or district) will immediately be able to build internal capacity while doubling your ability to raise student achievement.

Led by nationally recognized professional development consultant Steve Ventura (Author/Consultant-Corwin Professional Learning, founder of Advanced Collaborative Solutions), attendees will be engaged in authentic, performance based tasks designed to deepen their ability to learn content and sharpen facilitation skills. As each step of the training unfolds, participants receive immediate feedback on content delivery, coaching, adult learning modalities, and a multitude of implementation strategies.

Resources include:

- training manual(s) and handouts
- a flash drive with with presentation materials and supporting documents
- continued monthly support
- free webinars
- optional follow-up coaching session (after 30-60 days of certification-additional fee required)

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Core Functions of Achievement Teams Certification:

1. Learn essential presentation strategies.
2. Create an implementation roadmap.
3. Learn multi-tiered facilitation options.



Flexible Scheduling and Location

You may attend a certification at our training facility, located in beautiful San Luis Obispo, CA., or schedule an on-site certification session (minimum ten (10) participants).

Either way, you will leave with a new found enthusiasm to guide and implement the best practical and pragmatic collaborative protocol strategies.

Call for fee structure and additional information*: 844-235-3233

STEVE VENTURA

Stephen Ventura is a Professional Development Consultant for Advanced Collaborative Solutions and an Author-Consultant for Corwin Professional Learning. He is a highly motivational and knowledgeable speaker who approaches high stakes professional development armed with practical, research-based strategies. Steve is a former elementary, middle, and high school teacher. His administrative experiences encompass those of assistant principal, principal, director, and superintendent.



With expertise in presenting leadership development, Visible Learning, Common Formative Assessments, Student Voice and Aspirations, Achievement Teams™, and grading policies/practices, Steve takes the mystery out of determining those most urgent needs of schools and districts. His work is embedded in contemporary research focused on disciplined collaboration, goal setting, and organizational improvement, all throughout the lens of clearly identified success criteria.

In addition to his professional development work with teachers and administrators, Steve is also a frequent speaker at state, national, and international conferences, and has contributed to several books focused on teaching, learning, and leadership. Titles include *Standards and Assessment: The Core of Quality Instruction* (2011) and *Engaged Instruction: Thriving Classrooms in the Age of the Common Core* (2014).

Through his own reality-based experiences, Steve has inspired teachers and leaders across the nation to pursue higher levels of implementation with greater focus, rigor, and clarity. He has a strong moral aspect, intelligence, easy way with people, and saving sense of humor that support him in his life and work.

Steve obtained a Bachelor's of Science in Physical Education and Special Education and also earned a Master's in Educational Management.

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