"I'm Done; What Do I Do Now?":
Meeting the Challenge of Academically Advanced Students in a Classroom of Diverse Learners

Featuring Seaside Educational Consultants Presenter:
Janis R. Baron

Thursday, April 30, 2020 NEW DATE!
at the MSAA Office, Franklin, MA

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What are the differences between a bright child and a gifted learner? How can these students be appropriately challenged within a regular classroom? Why is Massachusetts one of only nine states in which gifted education is neither mandated nor even partially funded? Did you know that some children are identified as "twice exceptional", due to having both high abilities and a learning disability? In this, highly interactive workshop, learn to identify and challenge your most able learners, some of whom may have already mastered the content you are about to teach. Discover a host of resources and strategies that better meet their needs, with an emphasis on practical applications.

Participants will:
- Review numerous successful models for meeting needs in the regular classroom.
- Learn and practice differentiation strategies, such as compacting and tiered instruction, that enable teachers to reach children of all ability levels and learning styles.
- Create actual lessons that can be immediately implemented.
- Develop a better awareness of the outside and online resources available to high-ability students and their parents.

Janis R. Baron brings a unique perspective to the "business" of teaching and learning, with experience as a principal, teacher, trainer and entrepreneur. Her workshops are exciting and interactive and result in improved classroom instruction as well as teacher enthusiasm. Whether she is working as an instructional coach with one teacher or as a trainer for a large group, Janis has a proven record of helping teachers improve their skills in classroom management, student engagement and instructional strategies.

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