

Redirect Quick Prompts and Quick Moves

A merged facilitator tool for clarifying comments, naming impact, and redirecting intervention team discussion.

Clarify the comment

- I think I heard you say _____. What did you mean by that?
- Can you say more about how that connects to the student's needs?
- Can you help us understand what data supports that point?

Acknowledge emotion

- It sounds like there is some frustration here.
- I can hear that this feels challenging.
- Let's pause and return to what the student needs most right now.

Address impact

- I know that may not have been the intent, but the impact was hurtful.
- That sounds like a stereotype. Let's reframe that.
- Can we pause and consider the assumptions behind that statement?

Build perspective

- How would you feel if someone said that about your group?
- How does that comment connect to the student's actual need?
- Are we focusing on what we can change within the school setting?

Recenter on action

- Was the support delivered as intended?
- Was enough time provided for practice and learning?
- What is getting in the way of consistent implementation?

Use when you need to interrupt drift

When talk shifts to student characteristics or home life

- How does that characteristic relate to the student's need?

When someone says “this won't work here”

- If that barrier was removed, could the practice be implemented?

When response to intervention is vague

- Was the support delivered as intended?

When beliefs replace evidence

- Can you help us understand what data supports that point?