

Special Education Solution

**Include more
students in your general
education classrooms.**

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The Pearson logo consists of the word "PEARSON" in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. Below the text is a yellow swoosh that starts under the "P", goes under the "A", and ends under the "N".

Their potential is the only thing that matters.

Pearson technology enables you to offer differentiated instruction to students with diverse needs.

Flexibility, responsiveness, and sensitivity to the individual. These are the goals of your special education program, and Pearson is the perfect partner to help you meet them. Our technology-based programs are powerful adaptive tools that enable you to individualize instruction for students with diverse needs from Pre K through high school.

We help you identify and respect students' differences.

Is a child truly a candidate for special services? Are the apparent learning issues reflective of a disability? Or are there other factors that might be addressed outside the context of special education? Pearson technology is sensitively calibrated to help your staff learn to know each student individually. Built-in diagnostic functions look objectively at a child's abilities to help inform your evaluation process.

Early intervening may be the only "special" help they need.

Many students struggle for years, until their lack of progress is so severe that they require special education services. Instead of this "wait to fail" approach, Pearson's robust family of courseware enables early intervening services for intensive pre-referral intervention. With additional academic support, many students are perfectly capable of succeeding in general education, and that's a win for everyone.

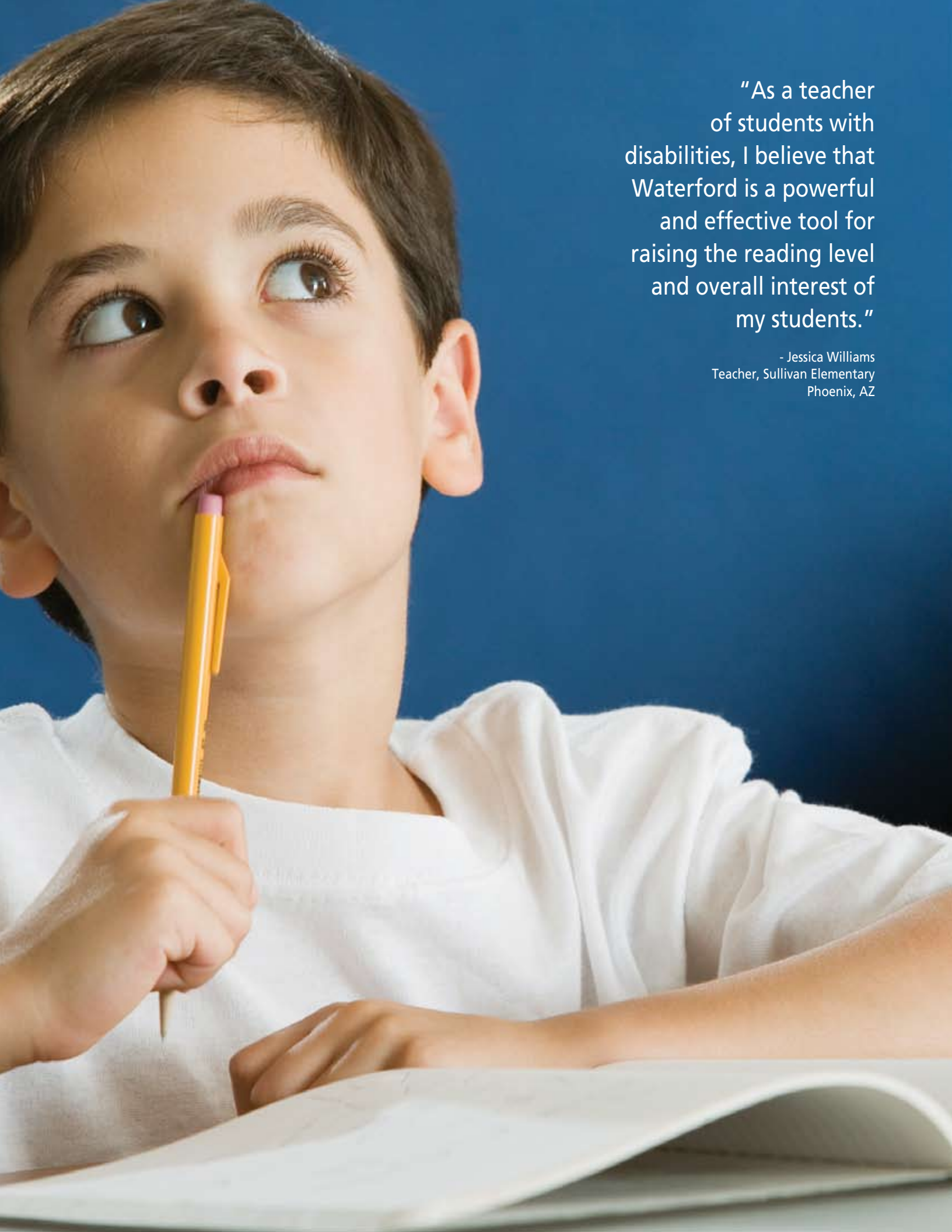
Individuality doesn't have to take a student out of the mainstream.

All of the research-based Pearson products have broad application for the general population of your schools. Waterford Early Learning™ provides strong foundations in reading, math, and science in Pre K-2. For instructional intervention in grades 3 to 8, SuccessMaker® Enterprise is the courseware of choice in thousands of schools. The comprehensive curriculum of NovaNET® covers required content areas with the bonus of Internet access. Multimedia ELLIS® engages English language learners to create authentic fluency critical to success in any classroom. When students receive special education services via any of these resources, they join their peers in the computer labs, in the courseware, and in the pursuit of success.

See how the Pearson solution includes students with special needs.

Call 888.977.7900 for a demo.





“As a teacher of students with disabilities, I believe that Waterford is a powerful and effective tool for raising the reading level and overall interest of my students.”

- Jessica Williams
Teacher, Sullivan Elementary
Phoenix, AZ

You know how sweet their success feels.

Pearson's special education solutions let you share that moment with more students.

If you had your way, you'd be able to give each of your students all of your time. The next best alternative is participating in their individualized educations with the assistance of Pearson instructional technology. Our adaptive courseware responds to progress with the singularity every learner deserves. You receive regular reports and timely cues so that you can target your personal participation and focus your one-on-one attention to students when they need it most.

We'll find a perfect starting point for each child.

From the first moment, Pearson technology helps you celebrate and teach to the individuality of each student. Built-in assessment tools establish the right starting point in the curriculum. The first successes come quickly and set a pattern of encouragement.

Engage your students like never before.

The right modality and learning style is essential, and Pearson is a powerful ally to help you supply it. Our rich multimedia courseware includes a wide range of involving features—videos, animation, games, songs, quizzes, and lively feedback—all refined by decades of research and proven in thousands of classrooms.

You save time on IEP documentation.

On average a special education teacher spends five hours per week completing forms. With Pearson's help, you'll spend less time on the documentation you need for Individualized Education Programs (IEPs). The assessment in Pearson courseware can produce documentation for evaluation meetings or to show parents how the intervention is working.

Your progress is trackable.

You'll get a clearer picture of how each student is doing. Reports offer details like time spent on lessons, lessons completed, and comparisons to class averages. You gain a rich understanding of performance that can inform your classroom decisions.

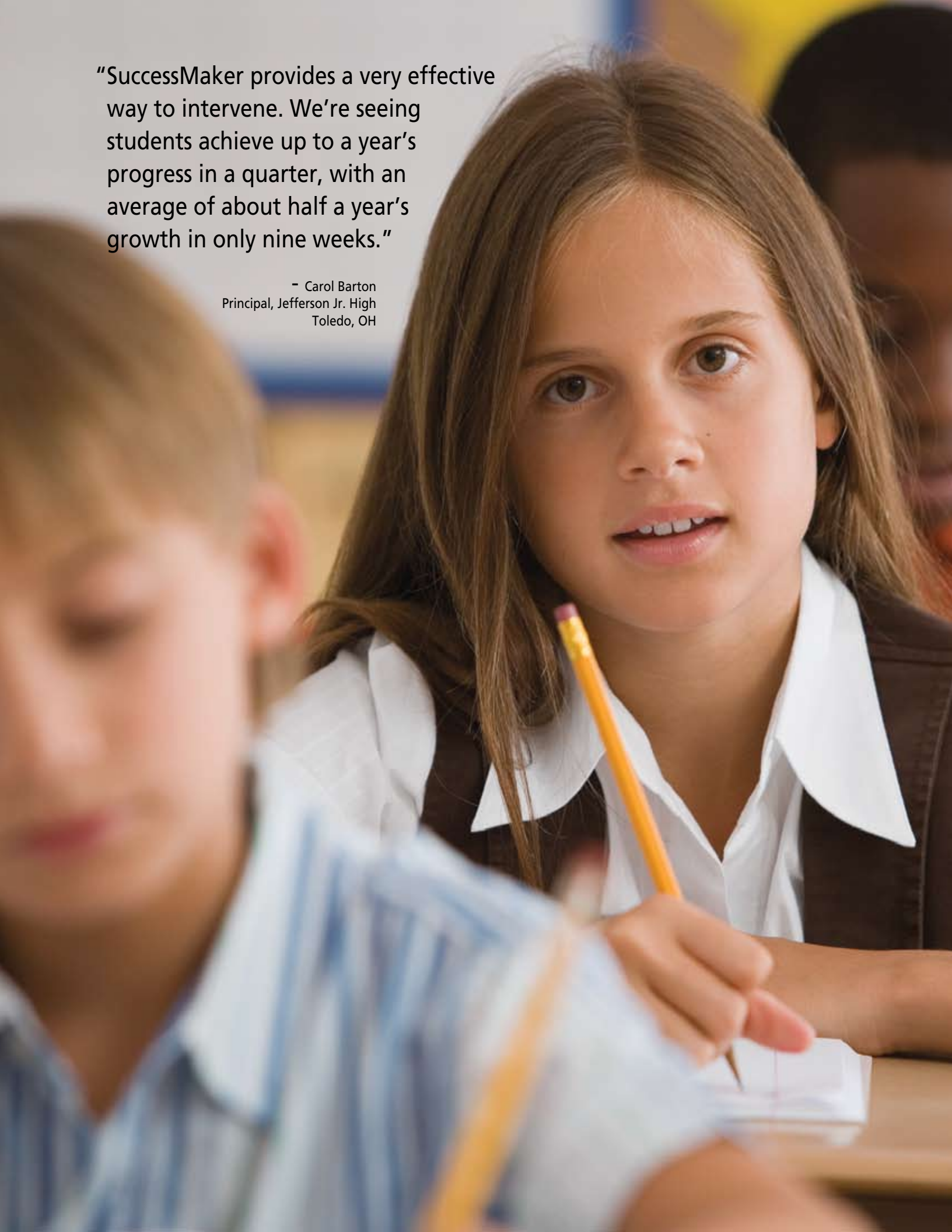
Which Pearson products are right for the students in your program?

Call us at 888.977.7900.



“SuccessMaker provides a very effective way to intervene. We’re seeing students achieve up to a year’s progress in a quarter, with an average of about half a year’s growth in only nine weeks.”

- Carol Barton
Principal, Jefferson Jr. High
Toledo, OH



Special education tests your resources every day.

Pearson offers you a comprehensive strategy to fulfill your special education mission.

There are so many students in your community with unique needs, and so many stakeholders with passionate concern for the program. Pearson's inclusive approach to technology-driven instruction helps your school or system responsibly address the demands of students, staff, families, and government alike.

Provide the Least Restrictive Environment.

As much as possible, you want students with disabilities to be educated among their typical peers. You enable your teachers to provide that Least Restrictive Environment when you deploy the network-based Pearson solution. Students can access every component in general education classrooms, computer labs, or resource classrooms. All students feel included because they are included.

Address disproportionality.

It is a well-documented fact that certain subgroups of students—English language learners, for example—are frequently over-identified as being in need of special education services. Pearson helps you confront this important issue head-on with unbiased assessment that yields more accurate evaluations and appropriate placement.

Enrich the relationships of students, teachers, and families.

Pearson products are supplemented by extensive ancillary materials, including resources that let students take their learning home. Involved families make learning and teaching more effective. As your policies permit, teachers have the option of sharing student reports with parents as well so that they can monitor progress as a team.

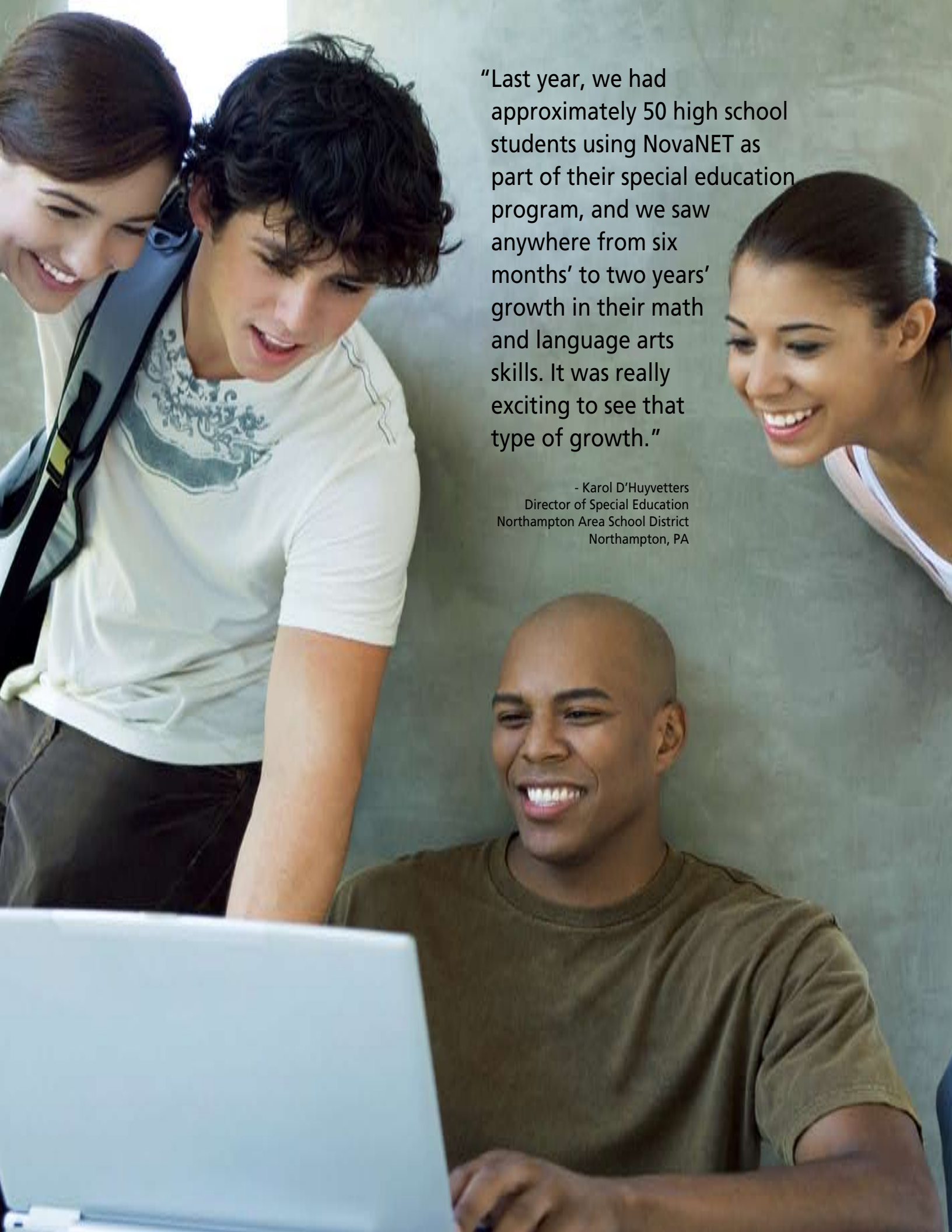
Maximize your investment.

The products in the Pearson special education solution are compatible with a wide range of equipment your school may already use. What's more, while the adaptive features make our courseware ideal for special education, all products were designed for broad-based use. The same products that revolutionize your special education programs can make a major difference in your general education program too.

Learn how the Pearson solution meets IDEA funding requirements.

Call 888.977.7900 for details.





“Last year, we had approximately 50 high school students using NovaNET as part of their special education program, and we saw anywhere from six months’ to two years’ growth in their math and language arts skills. It was really exciting to see that type of growth.”

- Karol D’Huyvetters
Director of Special Education
Northampton Area School District
Northampton, PA

Promote Success with Pearson.

As the leader in instructional technology, Pearson shares your passion for helping students, teachers, and your entire system reach their greatest potential.

Our research-based curriculum solutions excel at engaging students and lifting their results to higher levels. Our commitment to service extends beyond implementation to provide you and your staff with outstanding product support and ongoing opportunities for professional development.

The Special Education Solution



Pre K–2

Your youngest students receive explicit, individualized instruction in English, math, and science.



3–Adult

Multimedia lessons engage learners and provide age-relevant English language instruction through exposure to authentic language contexts, interactive games and activities, and immediate feedback.



Middle School–Adult

NovaNET assists teachers in creating a curriculum path that covers required content areas and helps meet IEP objectives for adolescent students with disabilities.



K–8

A supplementary, standards-based curriculum offers effective remediation in reading and math, and is appropriate for Individualized Education Programs (IEPs).



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