

The Feuerstein Method

Teaching Critical Thinking and Learning Skills to All Learners

The Feuerstein Method is a unique educational technique developed by world-renowned psychologist **Reuven Feuerstein**. It is a process-based approach, focusing on developing the vitally important – and often overlooked – skill of learning how to learn, subsequently tapping into an individual's latent intellectual capabilities.

Feuerstein Early Childhood Program

Feuerstein's Early Childhood Curriculum is the essential blueprint for early childhood and elementary school education. It creates systematic, persistent and structured conditions to engage young children in problem solving. It is distinct in that it develops children's fundamental cognitive and learning skills as well as their emotional abilities. It provides young children with the tools to help them become considerate friends and contributing members of society.



IE Basic Program

An important component of Feuerstein's Early Childhood Curriculum is the IE Basic program. Consisting of eleven instruments or 'tools,' IE Basic is a series of activities that may be mediated in a classroom, group or individual setting. Each instrument focuses on a different cognitive strategy, helping to develop the children's general basic concepts, emerging cognitive functions (such as self-regulation, generalization, and conceptualization) and intrinsic motivation.

IE Trainer

Ms. Livia Wong is an experienced Speech Therapist. She has extensive working and teaching experience on various populations, including learning challenges, attention deficits, Autism Spectrum Disorders and hearing-impaired. She is a licensed FIE Standard/Basic/Tactile Trainer, conducted training in Hong Kong, Macau, Australia, New Zealand, etc.



IE Basic-2

What is it?

IE Basic-2 is the second among the two modules of the IE Basic Program. It is intended for educators, psychologists, speech therapists, clinicians, child care workers, parents and other professional working with younger children. It is a cognitive intervention program which can be applied in a one-on-one setting or in the classroom. For individuals with special needs, IE is used as a remediation program while higher functioning learner utilize it as an enrichment tool. The skills and content are also applicable to elderly remediation.

What will I learn from the Program?

You will learn about from theory to practice:

- Children Mediated Learning Experience
- Emerging Cognitive Functions
- Children Emotional Development
- Goals and Sub-goals of the FIE Basic Program
- IE Basic and Kindergarten Curriculum
- Comprehensive Instructions for IE-Basic 2 Instruments:
 - Compare and Discover the Absurd-2
 - From Empathy to Action
 - Think and Learn to Prevent Violence
 - Learn to Ask Questions for Reading Comprehension
 - Know and Identify
 - Tri-Channel Attentional Learning
- FIE Basic Program Lesson Planning
- Bridging Exercises



Is IE program supported by research?

Yes. IE is the most researched of the various cognitive intervention programs. A complete bibliography of IE research includes hundreds of books, articles, reports and doctoral dissertation. If you are interested, take a look at: https://www.icelp.info/home-3/education/

Is there any certification for the course?

Yes. Full attendance of training activities is required. Course participants will be awarded a Certificate (awarded by the Feuerstein Institute in Israel) upon successful completion of the entire course requirements. The certificate is valid for four years from its issue date and is renewed subject to the Continuous Professional Development (CPD) conditions.

What learning materials will I receive?

Course participants will receive a set of IE Basic-2 instruments, a Teaching Diagrams Booklet, and Training Notes.

What did the previous participants say about the Course and the Trainer?

- The course is inspiring! Looking forward to attending more IE courses!
- Workshop is great! Very interactive with good balance between theory, practice and demos.
- Throughout the workshop, I often made connection to what I was learning and how I can apply it to all aspects of my life, as a mother, as a teacher, etc.
- Livia is very skilled and professional. You need someone with her level of competence to run a course like this, it is a highly skilled role which requires an in-depth knowledge.
- Livia has a great sense of humour, knows the content very well! Provided explanations and examples which were very clear. Excellent!



IE-Basic 2 Course Details

Organiser: Amaze Learning Solutions

IE Trainer : Ms. Livia Wong

Course: Feuerstein Instrumental Enrichment (Basic) Course

IE-Basic 2 (of 2)

Prerequisite : Completed IE-Basic 1 (of 2)

Course Length : 5 days

Time : 9 hours daily – total 45 hours

Suitable for: Therapists, Educational Professionals, Psychologists,

Parents

Media of Instruction: English and Cantonese

Materials provided: • Teaching Diagram

• 5 Instruments:

- Compare and Discover the Absurd-2

- From Empathy to Action

- Think and Learn to Prevent Violence

- Learn to Ask Questions for Reading

Comprehension

- Know and Identify

- Tri-Channel Attentional Learning

Workshop Notes

Recommended Reading

: Feuerstein, R. et al. (2006). *Creating and Enhancing Cognitive Modifiability*. Israel: ICELP Publications.

Certification: Participants who attend all training activities and fulfill

the course requirements will be awarded a Certificate from The Feuerstein Institute in Israel. The certificate is valid for 4 years (from the issue date). If participants satisfy the requirements of Continuous Professional Developments (CPD), the certificate will be renewed.