

Melissa Borghorst

MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER



Achieve Success!

Melissa Borghorst has a proven track record for achieving success in her professional and personal life. She is the founder of *Dream List Media*, a personal development company helping individuals reach their dreams and true potential. She is author of the *Dream List Photo Journal* series, host on *Dream List Radio*, life coach and most importantly, motivational speaker for kids, teens and educators. Outside her professional life, Melissa has achieved extraordinary feats—skydiving, rock climbing, white water rafting, backpacking across Europe, snorkeling the Great Barrier Reef, and singing, dancing and acting in a musical.

Her “*I think I can*” spirit, passion for life and enthusiasm is contagious to anyone who meets her. Your audience will be captivated and entertained by her adventurous stories and will be challenged to reach for the stars to achieve success.



“Thank you Melissa for showing me what great possibilities I have for my life.”—Student



YOUTH PROGRAMS:

FUNDamentals for Success (Assembly & Keynote):

Success isn't just hard work and no play. Success is all about achieving great things in life. It's about what YOU want out of life and having fun along the way. Students will be inspired to reach for the stars, while learning key fundamentals to achieve success in their academic and personal lives, including:

- **Setting & Achieving Goals** • **Attitudes for Success** • **Dream Big**
- **Persistence Pays Off** • **Pay It Forward** • **Have FUN**

FUNDamentals for Success (Workshop & Training):

This in-depth and hands-on program gives students a sense of purpose and personal power, while teaching them the key fundamentals to achieve success. Students will:

- **Receive a FUNDamentals for Success Workbook**
- **Explore their dreams for career, fun and the world**
- **Learn to set and achieve academic and personal goals**
- **Be motivated to take action NOW to accomplish future goals and dreams**
- **Learn the attitudes for success**
- **Be inspired to reach for the stars and challenged to achieve success**

“Students were engaged and excited about the possibilities that wait for them in their futures. Melissa’s workshop has given me another tool to use to motivate students.”
—Sara Strommer, Teacher

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EDUCATOR & PARENT PROGRAM:

FUNdamentals for Student Success (Keynote & Workshop)

Every educator and parent wants to see their students and children become successful in life. This keynote and/or workshop will inspire educators and parents to help their students succeed. They will learn effective techniques to motivate students in their academic and personal lives in a FUN way that will help connect with students. They will learn how to:

- Motivate students in their academic and personal lives
- Connect and communicate with students
- Build confidence and leadership skills in students
- Create a more positive and supportive classroom and/or home environment
- Teach students goal planning skills in a positive and FUN way

"I was so happy to have Melissa lead a workshop for my classroom. She did an outstanding job. The kids were very excited about having her come and when she came they were not disappointed. Her workshop tied in perfectly with our curriculum because she asked the kids to do some critical thinking and writing. I highly recommend Melissa for a workshop at your school."

—Suzanne Norring, Teacher



BENEFITS FOR YOUR STUDENTS:

- Increases motivation
- Prepares them for future success
- Teaches critical goal planning skills
- Teaches effective techniques to overcome challenges
- Promotes positive attitudes

"Thank you for showing all of us what we can do when we are determined. It's an inspiration to all of us."—Student

PERFECT FOR:

- 1 Keynotes
- 2 Grades 4-12: Assemblies & Workshops
- 3 Back-to-School & Graduation
- 4 Youth Leadership Programs & Conferences
- 5 Educator Conferences
- 6 Parent Programs



BOOKINGS:

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Note: All presentations can be customized for your event.

"These workshops are instrumental in helping students set short and long term goals, evaluate themselves and prepare for their future. These are skills that speak to district and state standards. Melissa's presentations really connect to the curriculum and the tools she gives the kids will help them establish good habits that will serve them in the years to come."

—Candy Collyer, Teacher

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