

TERRACE, BC

May 19-23, 2014

Teacher Feedback

Before participating in this workshop, I considered myself to be competent but not confident in mathematics. With a strong emphasis on learning the vocabulary of Math, the workbooks are structured in such a way that ANY ONE willing to do the work can become fluent in Mathematics. Dr. Jahn makes learning the fundamentals FUN. By day three, participants at all math levels were so engaged, ~~we~~ worked through a break without realizing it! The fact that each student gets to use and keep their own set of books for future reference is great. I am looking forward to using them as "dictionaries" for years to come. Thank you for all of the "lightbulb" moments. ~ Kirstin Carn ~

Dear Rafael,

Thank you! I have learned so much over the past few days. I am not a teacher - I am a learner that likes to share and I am looking forward to sharing the joy and understanding about math that I have gained.

Best wishes,

Kirstin

May 23/2014

TERRACE BC
Teacher Training Course (May 19-23, 2014)
Feedback

It is so important for people to move forward from what ever experiences they had in the past. They must understand that with practice and effort they can learn. They skills that you can learn can help the world and when you help the world be a better place you can feel ~~be~~ better about living in it.

Dr Jala is inspirational. She is wonderful to listen to and highly effective at ~~be~~ increasing people's confidence. The workshop is important for communities such as Northwest BC where I work with at-risk adults ^{who are mostly First No.}

The only way to combat the legacies of the residential school system, & is to first create trust in learning where people feel safe and inspired to learn. Dr Jala's books can be used as a tool for this ^{positive} change, especially for the learning of math.

Thank you Dr. Jala

Christina Losier (TEACHER)

TERRACE BC
Student Feedback

for you Rahael Jalan

Fri, May 23 2014

I would just like to say THANK YOU for all you have done for me in how I am learning math. And not only that, how I can be a better person. You have opened my eyes on life, learning and most important to thrive and challenge and I will reach my goal. You've inspired me to want to learn. I never had that in my life and for that I thank you. I wish I could have had more time with you. Because in my mind anyone that has or will spend time with you WILL SUCCEED! Thank you so very much for everything.



Earl Brown

Rahael Jalan

"Keep smiling" 😊

MAY 23, 2014

Hello Rahael.

I am Amy Edgars, I have come from Haida Gwaii, Masset to do this course. We have been in class for about 3 weeks now, and you coming here to teach has been the best part of the whole course. I have learned a lot about math. The way you teach math is interesting, fun and you make it easy to understand. I only wish you were here to teach us longer. I really appreciate everything, your time and knowledge, about math and life. I hope to keep in touch. Thank you so much!

I spent many years unknowingly perpetuating the fear of math in myself + others. I will never again agree with someone who says they cannot do math!

WPC = 37%

46

Rita

Teacher Feedback

TERRACE, BC May 19-23, 2014
Student Feedback

Dr. Rahael,

Math is my worst subject, however, listening and trying to learn from you has been an awesome experience. What you do is incredible, taking your time to break math down and help aboriginal students is awesome! I was told by teachers through out high school that I would never be able to do math, since you've started here on Tuesday, I've already improved. I just wanted to say thank you!! Hopefully we can still talk after you leave, or meet again 😊

Thank you, and have a safe trip back,

Shayla McKay

Teacher Training
with students
Feb 6-10, 2012

KITIMAT, BC
student feedback

Rahael Koshy Jalan's Mathematics February 10 2012

Rahael, or Dr. Rahael's mathematics program is clearly outlined and should be used as Canada's mainstream mathematics program.

Dr. Rahael uses Vedic form of multiplication that logically uses multiplication and addition that makes mathematics more enjoyable.

Thank you Dr. Rahael for bringing your logic to our class here in Kitimat, B.C., Canada.

George F. Dudoward

Troy

uapicbc.ca

Rahael I think your course is far beyond my teaching method. I strongly agree with your outlook on learning, because if I hadn't shown up every day of this extremely fruitful week, I would not have had as much understanding for the mathematical language. I thank you Rahael Jalan for passing what knowledge you could in just one week.

P.S.

So the feedback I'm giving you is keep it the way it is! (It's nice having a passionate teacher and the stories contribute to that passion)

To Rahael Jalan

KITIMAT BC
Student Feedback
February 10, 2012

For most of my life, math has been a problem for me. I struggled to gain the basic of math; addition, subtraction to get me through everyday necessities..

When I finally made up my mind to go back to school I was assist. at a grade five level. I know this because my daughter was in grade 5, and helping me. It was there I learned to fall in love with math. However, I was solving problems long hand.

Since Re-learning mathematics under your instruction, you have motivated me to love learning all over. Like a divorcee says "I never thought I would fall in love again in my life".

Thank you. 😊
x x
x x
x x
x x

Mike Edgar

Thanks for everything!
I highly appreciate
it. Hopefully see you
next year. - Maria

Thanks for making
this
happen.
- Amanda Lucas

Just as sweetgrass is used to
raise a fallen warrior, you and your
knowledge is essential to raising our
people.

- Michael (Student)

Thanks for putting the
program together
- Shamus

Thanks for the fun
Summer - Jayleen

Thank you so much for everything!
- Senagwida

Thank you
for all the help
Melissa

Shante, Math,
Maggie

TERRACE BC
Teacher Feedback

May 19-23, 2014

May 23/14

DEAR RAHAEL:

THANK YOU FOR COMING TO
TERRACE FOR THE WORKSHOP ON
THE LANGUAGE OF MATHEMATICS.

WHEN KELLY INVITED ME TO
ATTEND, I THOUGHT I WAS SITTING
IN ON A CLASS TO SEE HOW THINGS
WERE DONE, OR AS AN ORIENTATION.
INSTEAD, I GOT AN OPPORTUNITY TO
TAKE PART IN A WONDERFUL, FUN,
EXCITING WORKSHOP.

THE FIRST DAY WAS RATHER
CONFUSING AS I HAD NO IDEA OF
THE EXPECTATIONS FOR ME. THE
ROUTINE WAS UNFAMILIAR AS WAS
THE VENUE, ETC. HOWEVER, THE
SUBJECT MATTER WAS EXCITING
AND YOUR ENTHUSIASM WAS
CONTAGIOUS.

Page 1 of 3

3.

THE WORK BOOKS ARE EXCELLENT!
HAVING PUT TOGETHER SMALLER ONES, I
APPRECIATE HOW MUCH WORK GOES INTO
MAKING THEM. AND I LIKE THE
IDEA OF THEM BEING THE STUDENT'S
ONE/ONE MENTOR.

KEEP YOUR STORIES, YOUR HUMOUR,
YOUR ENTHUSIASM. THEY PUT
HUMANITY IN THE CLASSROOM AND
EASE LEARNING.

IT HAS BEEN A PRIVILEGE TO
BE IN YOUR CLASSROOM AND TO MEET
YOU. THANK YOU AND I WISH YOU WELL.

Duddleworks

Prince Rupert, B.C., Canada

(604) 627-8647

G & S DYE & ACC.
ART NO. 2001

*Janet
Hultstrom*

Page 3 of 3

2.

THERE WERE TIMES WHEN I THOUGHT THE INFORMATION CAME TOO FAST AND FURIOUS AND I WOULD HAVE LIKED A LITTLE MORE "PRACTICE" TIME. ALSO, I QUESTIONED STARTING WITH SOME OF THE HARDER QUESTIONS FIRST, WHEN WE DID SOME EXERCISES. BUT THEN I ALSO THOUGHT; "WHAT A SMART MOVE." BY STARTING RIGHT IN WITH MORE DIFFICULT QUESTIONS, YOU WERE REINFORCING THE BELIEF AND CONFIDENCE THAT THE STUDENTS COULD DO IT. YOUR TRUST IN THEIR ABILITY BUILDS CONFIDENCE THAT LEADS TO SUCCESS.

I ALSO FELT THAT STUDENTS HELPING STUDENTS WORKS VERY WELL. IT DEMYSTIFIES THE BELIEF THAT SOME "CAN" & SOME "CAN'T" AND BUILDS COMMUNITY OF "ALL".

Page 2 of 3