

Literacy Tip Sheet

Top 10 Tips for Working with Students who have Multiple Disabilities and Visual Impairment

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- 1. Believe in them!
- 2. Have a 4-year plan.
- 3. Work together with team members.
- 4. Develop group goals.
- 5. Work directly and often with the student and their paraprofessionals.
- 6. Wait for the student's response.
- 7. Make decisions based on the type of communicator they are.
- 8. Make decisions based on their learning medium.
- 9. Determine how the student will respond.
- 10. Trust your gut in regards to mastery.

Find this list online at: http://www.pathstoliteracy.org/blog/top-10-tips-workingstudents-who-have-multiple-disabilities-and-visual-impairments



