



Ways to Say “Good for You”

Being positive is a good teaching technique. If you believe your members “can” they will think so too. If your members believe they “can” they “will.” Emphasize the positive by using some of the following:

- ☺ You really out-did yourself today.
- ☺ This kind of work pleases me very much.
- ☺ Congratulations!
- ☺ That’s right. Good for you.
- ☺ Terrific.
- ☺ I bet your mom (dad) would be proud to see the job you did on this.
- ☺ Beautiful.
- ☺ Good job.
- ☺ Excellent work.
- ☺ I appreciate your help.
- ☺ Very good. Will you show the group?
- ☺ Thank you for (sitting down, being quiet, getting right to work, etc.)
- ☺ That’s an interesting point of view.
- ☺ You’ve got it now.
- ☺ Nice going.
- ☺ Marvelous.
- ☺ You’re on the right track.
- ☺ That’s top quality work.
- ☺ That’s really nice.
- ☺ Thank you very much.
- ☺ That’s an interesting way of looking at it.
- ☺ I like the way the group has settled down.
- ☺ Keep it up.
- ☺ Wow!
- ☺ That’s great.
- ☺ I like the way you’re working.
- ☺ Keep up the good work.
- ☺ I’m very proud of the way you worked (are working) today.
- ☺ Everyone’s working so hard.
- ☺ That’s quite an improvement.
- ☺ Much better.
- ☺ It’s a pleasure to be with you.
- ☺ What neat work.
- ☺ That looks like it’s going to be a great (report, project, talk, exhibit, etc.)
- ☺ It looks like you put a lot of work into this.
- ☺ That’s clever.
- ☺ Very creative.
- ☺ Very interesting.
- ☺ Good thinking.
- ☺ Now you’ve figured it out.
- ☺ That’s a good point.
- ☺ That’s a very good observation.
- ☺ That certainly is one way of looking at it.
- ☺ That’s coming along nicely.