



# Michael Bortolotto

## Building Equity Into Your School And Classrooms!



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### History Of Speaking To School Students.

For 35 years, Michael Bortolotto has delivered his one day educational speaking program in 3,400 schools to students from Kindergarten to Grades 12 throughout North America.

*"We had the recent pleasure of having Michael present to our students. It can be difficult for inspirational speakers to engage the middle school student but after watching the reaction to Michael's presentation, I was astounded at the level of authentic connection he was able to foster."*

*David Standing, Principal, Laurie Middle School, Cranbrook, B.C.*

### Michael's Top 3 Requested Presentations.

#### The Truth About Apples & Pineapples.

**Length: 30 min. for students in Gr. K to 3**

The purpose of this presentation is to teach children to stop another from judging one another by skin colour, dress, size, shape, race, culture, gender, etc. Instead teach and inspire each student to see one another from the inside-out by asking questions to understand their personalities, interests, abilities, and unique differences.

#### Putting Social Limitations In-Check.

**Length: 60 min. for students from Gr. 6 to 12**

Social limitations are created from attitudinal barriers resulting from students directing their misinformed or misled pervasive perceptions, negative values, abusive thoughts, and exclusive actions towards specifically targeted students who have been identified as being different. The purpose of this presentation is to change biases, stereotypes, and prejudices so all students can learn, participate, and grow in an environment free of social limitations.

#### There's No Limits To What You Can Do With Equity.

**Length: 50 min. for students from Gr. 4 to 7**

Equity is based on access and opportunity with the understanding that we each start with different advantages and disadvantages. The primary focus of this presentation is to encourage students to use the simple strategy of smiling, asking questions, and listening so they learn and understand another's differences and how to help support each other in succeeding.

### Delivering To Your Presentations Students.

Michael has two methods of delivering presentations to your student's, they are:

- \* Coming to your school and delivering his one day presentation programme live.
- \* Delivering his Zoom presentations to grade levels of your choice.

### Customizing A Presentation Just For Your Students.

Michael wants to work as a member of your teaching staff to assist all students' in achieving success. If the presentations outlined in this brochure doesn't meet your requirements, please feel free to ask Michael to customize his presentations to address your student's needs or challenges. Please call 250-816-2989.



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## Grade Scheduling for Virtual Presentations and Fees Structure.



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### Grade Level Groupings.

There are 3 different options you can choose from to have virtual presentations delivered to your school student populations:

- Option No.1 - To 1 designate grade - (*I.e. Grade 1 level only*).
- Option No.2- Set-up a scheduled for 2 presentations during the school day - (*I.e. Grades 1 to 3 and Grades 4 to 5*).
- Option No.3 - Set-up a scheduled for 3 presentations during the school day - (*I.e. Grades 1 to 3, Grades 4 to 5, & Grades 6 to 7*).

### Scheduling A Virtual Presentations.

There are 3 different virtual presentations options you can choose from:

- Option No.1 - Scheduling presentations during the morning school hours.
- Option No.2 - Scheduling presentations during the afternoon school hours.
- Option No.3 - Scheduling presentations throughout the daily school hours.

### Fee Structure.

You only pay for what you ask for - Each presentation is \$250.00 plus G.S.T.

- Option No.1 - 1 presentation for one designated grade level only, is \$250.00 plus \$12.50 G.S.T.
- Option No.2 - 2 presentations for two designated grade levels only, is \$450.00 plus \$22.50 G.S.T.
- Option No.3 - 3 presentations for three designated grade levels only, is \$650.00 plus \$32.50 G.S.T.

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