



NASA
FOR THE PEOPLE



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My name is Richard Chapleau.

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I work here for NASA as what's

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00:00:08,833 --> 00:00:10,500
called an EPD Specialist, and it

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00:00:10,500 --> 00:00:11,500
took me about two months to

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00:00:11,500 --> 00:00:13,500
realize I'm a teacher trainer.

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00:00:13,500 --> 00:00:16,500
[Music]

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00:00:21,500 --> 00:00:22,667
What I'm trying to give these

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teachers is ways to bring real

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00:00:25,167 --> 00:00:27,167
world information into their

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00:00:27,167 --> 00:00:28,000
classrooms.

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They've spent a lot of time

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00:00:28,833 --> 00:00:29,833
with textbooks,

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and that's how they were all

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trained- use the textbook,

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use the textbook, use the

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00:00:32,833 --> 00:00:35,000
textbook...

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[High-pitched whistle]

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[Background]
...high frequency doesn't move

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as much air...

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[Low-pitched hum]

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[Background]
...there it is...see

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00:00:41,333 --> 00:00:43,333
ahh, is that pretty!

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[Laughing]

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The new model now is to let them

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do more experiential learning,

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and they weren't trained that

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way.

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Where do they go to get real

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world applications?

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Well NASA kinda has a pretty

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good track record in real world

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applications.

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We're sending a signal down this

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tube and we're measuring it with

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this LED laser.

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Because we could go over there

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and measure that, couldn't we?

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And you could stand a foot away,

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two feet away, three feet away

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if you were working with grade

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school students.

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[Guitar strumming]

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[Background]

It doesn't like that D,

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does it?

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[Whooping]

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[Background]

It's just so fun...

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00:01:18,333 --> 00:01:20,000

[Laughing]

Oh my gosh...

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So what we're gonna go to now is

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the FPG-9, the foam plate

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glider 9.

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Again, my goal is to give

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you things that are fun, that

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you can still say I am changing

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stuff, I am changing a variable,

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I am asking the students to

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predict, I'm asking the students

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to judge, I'm asking them to

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change things. Let the kids

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experiment a little bit, don't

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cut that part off.

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My job is to go out there and

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find what the NASA genius

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engineers and scientists are

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doing, and pull the pieces out

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that will match those national

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standards.

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By doing it in a real world, fun

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activity, they're gonna

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translate that fun to their

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kids, and we're gonna get more

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kids to pursue careers in STEM.

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I hope you got some good

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information.