

DHH SoundOff! April/May 2017 Edition

Dear Teachers and Staff,

Welcome to the Belated April/May Part 1 of DHH SoundOff!

You are receiving this email because you are the teacher or case manager of a student with hearing loss. Springtime is finally here and there couldn't be a better time to "refresh" your knowledge on how to help your student hear better with their FM, Roger, or Soundfield System.

(Don't) Scratch That!

- Clothing or jewelry covering or scratching the microphone can cause an unpleasant noise for your student with hearing loss. Be sure the microphone is unobstructed at all times. Jewelry can be flipped to the back when you use the microphone.

Sharing is Caring!

- When your students give either practiced or extemporaneous oral reports have them use the microphone. If each student is contributing a remark, the microphone can be passed among the students. You may need to remind the students how to properly hold the transmitter or attach the mic.

Act Natural!

- When using the microphone, talk naturally without raising your voice or exaggerating mouth movements.

Thanks for Tuning In!

That's all for the April Edition of DHH SoundOff! Thank you for all you do to support your student with hearing loss! As always, if you have any questions, we're all ears!

Amanda Levy and Linda Dye - NCCSE Educational Audiologists

P.S. To see previous newsletters and access tons of resources for using and troubleshooting DHH equipment, please visit the NCCSE Resource Page Website: <http://www.nccse.org/resources/resources-home/audiology-resources>

Contact Information

The two NCCSE Audiologists, Dr. Linda Dye and Dr. Amanda Levy, along with Audiology Aide Tara Thompson, serve all of the districts in North County. See below to find out which Audiologist is assigned to your district, and how to contact them.

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