



**Marc Prensky** is an internationally acclaimed thought leader, speaker, writer, consultant, and designer in the field of education.

Considered one of the world's leading experts on the future of education and the connection between education and technology, Marc's professional focus is on designing better pedagogy and curriculum for the digital generation, and on helping people understand how to thrive in the digital age.

Marc's ideas are both visionary and practical. (Strategy+Business magazine calls him "That rare visionary who implements.") Marc has spoken in over 35 countries, and presents regularly throughout the globe.

Marc is the Founder and Executive Director of THE GLOBAL FUTURE EDUCATION FOUNDATION AND INSTITUTE, a not-for-profit organization devoted to advancing PLAN B: EDUCATION TO IMPROVE THE WORLD, including Real-world Accomplishment-Based Education in primary and secondary education worldwide. Marc strives to understand the perspective of today's students, offering solutions both for how to teach and motivate them, as well as for how to motivate and reinvigorate teachers. Through his writings and talks, Marc helps educators learn to adapt their offerings in ways that are far more effective for today and tomorrow, including Real-world Accomplishment-Based Education, a new form of "partnering" between teachers and students, and a new far broader curriculum based on Effective Thinking, Effective Action, Effective Relationships and Effective Accomplishment . Prensky focuses on how to best put human minds and digital tools together wisely – in school and in life. In his talks to business groups, Marc shows audiences how to work with young people successfully in the turbulent 21st century.

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