



## The Problem, in One Number

# 1 in 3

Teachers say student behavior is “a lot worse” in 2025–26.

EdWeek Research Center, 2026

## WHAT THAT TREND IS DOING TO YOUR STAFF

## 1 in 5

Educators leave annually. Schools report teacher turnover averaging 20% per year.

We Are Teachers, 2025

## \$12K–\$25K

Cost to replace a single teacher, depending on district size.

Learning Policy Institute, 2024

## \$2B+

Annual cost of teacher time spent managing disruptive behavior across U.S. schools.

Richard Ingersoll, University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Education

## IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE THIS WAY.

Districts that invest in the right training don't just manage the problem. **They reverse it.**

CPI's *Nonviolent Crisis Intervention*® training replaces inconsistent, reactive responses with a shared framework for educators to recognize, de-escalate, and resolve challenging behavior before it disrupts learning.

## 88%

**reduction in misconduct cases** —alongside a 93% reduction in fighting—following a district-wide CPI rollout.

(Scotland County School System, NC)



We've seen similar results in other school districts:

**90% increase in staff retention** at Braun Educational Center, IL, and

**87% of students needing only Tier 1 supports** district-wide at Wauwatosa School District, WI.



### Here's What to Do Next

If you recognize your district in this data, it's time to act.

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