

Controlling a Response Session Remotely

How you choose to run your Response Sessions is a reflection of your teaching style and varies from teacher to teacher. Some teachers prefer to sit at the computer and run the Session, while others prefer to move around the classroom and interact with their students during the course of the Session. For those instructors who like to move around the classroom, we offer two types of RF clickers that can run Response Sessions remotely.

The *PRS RF Clicker* can be configured as an Instructor Clicker. The keys on such a clicker are re-programmed to send commands to the Session, rather than numbers or letters. A keypad overlay is available for use with the configured PRS RF Instructor Clicker to indicate the new key assignments.



The Maestro clicker is a dedicated Instructor Clicker. You can see that the keys are not numbered or lettered but, rather, have icon labels that represent the Session function that is performed when the key is pressed.



You can learn more about the Instructor Clickers and obtain a chart that describes the key assignments in the *How To Setup Your Hardware* document from the *Response How To* series.



The Interwrite® Pad

The purpose of this Tech Tip is to suggest an alternative to the Instructor Clickers for running your Sessions remotely. The Interwrite Pad provides the functionality to run Response Sessions remotely, and more. The Interwrite Pad is part of the **Interwrite Interactive Classroom Solution**. The Pad is a wireless device that acts as an input device to your computer in the same way your mouse and keyboard function as input devices. Not only can you run your Response Session remotely with the Interwrite Pad, but everything you would do with your mouse at the computer console, you can do remotely with the Interwrite Pad and the Interwrite Pen, which comes with it. Using the Pad and the Pen, you can open and use all the applications on the computer, including Response, and access

the Internet from anywhere in the classroom, while keeping your students' attention focused on what is being projected at the front of the classroom. The final benefit of using the Interwrite Pad is that you will receive Interwrite Workspace. Workspace is an interactive software application that allows you to annotate over the pages of a presentation or a display on your desktop. Each annotated frame is saved as a page in a file that can be distributed by email or printed. You can create lessons in Workspace that combine text and graphics; for example, slides from PowerPoint, spreadsheets and charts from Excel, text from Word, and maps and other graphics from the Workspace Gallery. You can add a whole new dimension to your teaching when you use the Interwrite Pad.



You can learn more about the Interwrite Pad on our Interwrite Learning Web site at www.interwritelearning.com. Or contact Sales at 866.496.4949 (MD) or 940.565.0004 (TX) for the name of the dealer nearest you.

