PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

speech pathology TASMANIA

Language-Rich Interactions for Early Learning and Wellbeing

About

Format: In-person training **Length:** 3-4 hour + optional 30 min question time

This engaging professional development workshop explores how language, connection, and responsive interactions shape children's learning, wellbeing, and social development. Participants will gain practical strategies for supporting families to build language-rich, connected relationships with their children while fostering meaningful and lasting behaviour change.

Facilitated by: Rosalie Martin, Senior Speech Pathologist, Criminologist, Dialogue Facilitator, Circle of Security Facilitator, 2017 Tasmanian Australian of the Year.

Suitable for: Early childhood educators, family support workers, child and family health professionals, community service providers, and others who support young children and their families.

Logistics:

- Training date to be negotiated to suit both parties.
- The enquirer (business or organisation) will provide a suitable venue for the training group.
- Access to a whiteboard, markers, Wi-Fi, and a projector or large smart TV screen is required.
- A quote will be provided on request (depending on location and any additional requirements).
- Each participant will receive a certificate of completion.

What's included

Goals of the training:

- Understand the role of language and connection in child development and wellbeing.
- Build confidence in coaching and supporting families to use effective interaction strategies.
- Apply practical techniques that strengthen children's language, thinking, and social skills.
- Develop an implementation plan to embed learning into everyday practice.

What you'll explore:

- Infant brain development and the foundations of language and social learning.
- Serve-and-return interactions, play, books, and everyday communication strategies.
- Supporting parents through modelling, coaching, feedback, and encouragement.
- Understanding language, connection, learning, and the barriers that can impact development.



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