DEVELOPING SOCIAL SKILLS FOR CHILDREN WITH DIVERSE LEARNING NEEDS

WITH SUE LARKEY

ONLINE, ON-DEMAND 3 HOUR COURSE

Join this essential course to enhance your teaching practice and create an inclusive, supportive environment that promotes social and emotional learning for all students!

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

- Seamless Integration of Social & Emotional Learning: Learn to integrate social and emotional learning into your teaching programs in alignment with ACARA's Personal and Social Capability Learning Continuum.
- **Diverse Strategies for Classroom & Playground:** Discover various strategies to promote social and emotional learning in your classrooms and playgrounds, creating supportive and nurturing environments.
- 3 **Neurodiverse Learners' Social Skills & Relationships:** Understand and accommodate the unique ways neurodiverse learners develop social skills and relationships with their peers, fostering inclusive education.

Support for Diverse Learning Needs:

Explore targeted strategies for supporting the social and emotional learning of students with a wide range of learning needs, ensuring every student thrives.

NESA TQI (3 hrs)

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NESA, CPD, PL, VIT & TQI Accredited PD - Completing Developing Social Skills for Children with Diverse Learning Needs with Sue Larkey will contribute 3 hours of NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) Accredited PD in the priority area of Students/children with Disability addressing Standard Descriptor(s) 4.1.2 from the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers towards maintaining Proficient Teacher Accreditation in NSW.

MODULE 1

- Learn the multiple learning styles for neurodiverse students to increase social awareness and skills
- Apply the ACARA Framework to classroom practice
- Learn and apply the Four Common Teaching Methods to teach Social and Emotional Learning
- Understand how to differentiate your teaching strategies for a truly inclusive classroom experience.
- Hear from a Lived Experience: Dean Beadle, as he shares his personal journey with Autism

MODULE 2

- Differentiated Teaching: Learn how to tailor teaching strategies to support social skills management for students with neurodiversity.
- Apply ACARA Framework Personal and Social Capability framework to focus on working collaboratively and making decisions to empower your students.
- Utilize the Theory of the Six Stages of Play to identify and support your neurodiverse students' collaboration skills.
- Enhance Neurodiverse student's development in the Personal and Social learning continuum.
- Key Social Skills to consider: Delve into the crucial aspects of social skills, including body language, tone of voice, greetings, and more.
- Understand the importance of play and evidence-based strategies for neurodiverse children.

MODULE 3

- Promote Reasonable Adjustments & Strategies: Learn the importance of adjustments and teaching strategies for developing social awareness, decision-making, and social management in neurodiverse students.
- Six Stages of Friendship Development: Utilize the Theory of Six Stages of Friendship Development to support neurodiverse students in building and maintaining lasting friendships with their peers.
- Understand the role of friendships, turn-taking, sharing, and positive relationships in your classroom for diverse students
- Align your teaching with the Australian Disability Standards for Education 2005 to ensure equal access and support.
- Enrol your Community to develop and implement inclusive social and emotional adjustments for your students across all school environments.

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Sue Larkey is a highly qualified special educator who has taught in mainstream and special schools. She is currently working toward a Doctorate of Education focussing on inclusive schooling. She has authored several books and resource materials. Sue is unashamedly passionate about her mission to inspire parents and educators and teach them how to Make it a Success.

 ⁶⁶ Two Thirds of students enhance their performance with the addition of a Social Emotional Learning Program ⁹⁹
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