

Montessori Parent Talk

Supporting Language Development

Sunday, 19 March 2017, QLD
11:45am - 12:45pm



This workshop, for **parents, carers and family day care providers** will discuss some key principles that will support language development in the child from 0-3 years of age. It will explore relationships and the practicalities of engaging in conversation – talking to, not at; and reading with, not to. The importance of slowing down, using a normal voice and a rich vocabulary to talk about the world will be covered in the context of practical, everyday examples. Participants will learn how to choose appropriate books and do other simple language activities with babies and toddlers.

This workshop is one of two optional open workshops for parents and carers at the Montessori Early Childhood Conference. Please refer to our website if you'd like to book for the full conference on 18 & 19 March or the other workshop "Montessori in the Home".

Brisbane Convention
& Exhibition Centre
Cnr Merivale and Glenelg
Streets, South Bank, South
Brisbane
Registration Fees:
Subscribers: \$30
Non-Subscribers: \$40
Registrations close Friday, 10 March



Ferne van Zyl holds an AMI Montessori Assisants to Infancy Diploma, and, in addition to her own 4 children, has fostered children, ran a home based family day care, and facilitated programs for babies and toddlers at church. She was the owner and operator of the Montessori centre Down Under 3 and has facilitated successful Faber and Mazlish parent workshops on "How to Talk so Kids will Listen" and "Siblings without Rivalry", as well as her own "Toileting Independence" workshop. Ferne currently consults to parents, early childhood centres and schools and mentors with the "Strait Start" programs in the Torres Straits, as well as the Koolkan Early Childhood Centre in Aurukun.

REGISTRATION: ONLINE AT **MONTESSORI.ORG.AU** OR FILL IN AND RETURN THE FORM BELOW

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Name: _____

School/Centre Name: _____

School/Centre Suburb: _____

Mobile: _____

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☐ Staff ☐ Parent or specify other _____

Parent/Other Address: _____

Suburb: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

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☐ \$30 Subscriber Or: ☐ \$40 Non-Subscriber (including GST)

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