

Santa Rosa County School District

Presents:

Tips and Techniques for Improving Communication Skills in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders and Related Disabilities

Dr. Patrick McGreevy, BCBA-D

will discuss practical strategies to help children learn to initiate requests, ask and answer questions, and have more effective conversations. The strategies are appropriate for children who do not talk, are difficult to understand, echo what you say, use scripted language, or have other challenges related to communication.

Saturday, January 23, 2010

University of West FL, Main Campus

Building 58A

Park in Lot W, No Permit required during workshop

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8:30 Check in and refreshments

9:00-12 Presentation

This event also made possible by:

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Sacred Heart Autism Program

and

The Autism Society of the Panhandle

Dr. McGreevy received B.S. and M.A. degrees from the University of Iowa and the Ph.D. degree in Education from Kansas University, where he was a student of Ogden R. Lindsley, who, in turn, was a student of B.F. Skinner. He was a special education teacher for eight years and served on the faculties of the University of Missouri-Kansas City, Louisiana State University, and the University of Central Florida. He is currently an adjunct professor in the Applied Behavior Analysis Program at the Florida Institute of Technology. He is the author of Teaching and Learning in Plain English and eight journal articles, and is the founder of the Journal of Precision Teaching. For the past 25 years, he has served as a consultant to school districts, residential programs, and private schools in North America and Western Europe. In 2000, he was part of the first group of board certified behavior analysts.

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