



Social Stories

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Using lecture, demonstration, case examples, and activities, this workshop: (1) Describes the research-based rationale that supports the approach; (2) introduces each of the ten characteristics that define each Social Story; and (3) shares strategies for introducing and implementing a Social Story at home or school.

Participants will be able to:

- Describe three cognitive theories that are central to the Social Story rationale
- Describe the meaning of “social curiosity” and its practical implications
- Distinguish a Social Story from other visual strategies
- Write a Social Story that meets all the defining criteria
- Develop a plan for implementing a Story at home or school

Limited to 110 participants

Target Audience: General & Special Education Teachers, Site Administrators, Psychologists, Speech/Language Specialists, Parents, Instructional Assistants

If you need accommodations for a disability to attend the workshop, please let us know.

- **DATE** Thursday, September 10, 2009
- **TIME** 8:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- **PLACE** Elderwood Room,
Tulare County Office of Education
7000 Doe Ave., Visalia

REGISTER ONLINE!

Register for this workshop by logging on to the OMS online event calendar.

Go to <http://tulare.k12oms.org>

- 1) Locate the workshop on the calendar and click on the name of the event;
- 2) Follow prompts to register for the event;
- 3) Click on the “submit” button.

3 CPDUs available from Tulare County Office of Education (PDP 50) for licensed Speech/Language Specialists. Course meets the qualifications for 3 hours of continuing professional development credits as required by the California Speech/Language Pathology & Audiology Board.

3 CEUs available from Tulare County Office of Education (PCE 1905) for MFT and/or LCSW. Course meets the qualifications for 3 hours of continuing education credit as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences.

3 hours National School Psychologist Certification available.

Coffee, Tea & Water Provided



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