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SOCIAL WORKERS

For social workers, 3 credit hours of continuing education are provided for the completion of the seminar through co-sponsorship of the University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work, a Pennsylvania-approved sponsor of social work continuing education.

READING INSTRUCTION

**Helping Children with Autism
Spectrum Disorders**

**Presented by
Candace Robick**



April 14, 2012
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

*Location: 35 Wilson St. #100
Pgh, PA 15223
412.781.4116*

our presenter

DR. CANDACE ROBICK

Dr. Robick received her Ph.D. in Special Education Leadership K-12, Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment from Walden University in 2010. Her dissertation was A Phenomenological Study: Parent/Guardian and Special Education Student Perceptions of Transition Beyond High School Education. Prior to that her education included a M.Ed., in Educational Administration and Leadership K-12, from Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, a M.Ed., in Special Education and a M.Ed., in Reading Education K-12 from Slippery Rock University. Dr. Robick is also a certified Reading Specialist. Currently she is the SSD Coordinator and a High School Special Education/English Teacher for the South Park School District and is an Educational Consultant with the Keystone Educational Consulting Group.

agenda

8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Registration

9:00 - 10:15 a.m.

10:15 - 10:30 a.m. Break

10:30 – 12 p.m.

audience

Recommended audience include parents and extended families of children with ASD, regular and special education teachers, para-professional support staff, guidance counselors, social workers, clinicians, advocates, psychologists and all those desiring knowledge about ASD.

program description

Participants will become familiar with the five essential components of reading to include: phonics, phonemic awareness, vocabulary, fluency, and comprehension. A thorough description of each essential reading component will be reviewed and individual reading strategies will be presented and integrated to encourage and promote the most fluent reading practice in students.

learning objectives

1. Participants will review, model, and be ready to implement new reading strategies into the reading curriculum
2. Participants will implement before, during, and after reading strategies to effectively teach reading process through mastery
3. Participants will promote, encourage, and foster comprehension development in all students and will explore inferential comprehension
4. Participants will familiarize themselves with all documents covering the five essential components to reading to offer a holistic approach to reading instruction