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COMMUNICATING SOCIAL SUPPORT

Cambridge University Press We often turn to our friends, family, spouses, and partners for help in coping with daily stress or major crises. Daena Goldsmith provides a communication-based approach for understanding why some conversations about problems are more helpful than others. In contrast to other research on the social support processes, Goldsmith focuses on interpersonal communication-- what people say and how they say it, as well as their reactions to the conversations. Her studies cover adults of all ages and various kinds of stresses, ranging from everyday hassles to serious illnesses and other major crises.

I CAN'T DO THAT!

MY SOCIAL STORIES TO HELP WITH COMMUNICATION, SELF-CARE AND PERSONAL SKILLS

SAGE Are you teaching or supporting students with special educational needs (SEN) who are struggling with social rules and conventions? This book introduces you to the concept of social stories which are a positive and practical way to help children with these difficulties. The new edition of this book has over 90 examples of social stories, including over 30 new stories and also contains a new section on: - why social stories are important - how to use them in your setting - how to write your own social stories. Suitable for use with children of any age, the book includes examples for those children with language delays, communication difficulties, difficult behaviour, antisocial behaviour as well as those with autism. Broken down into 8 sections it is easy to find an example suitable for the situation you are facing so you can work together with the child to create their personal story. A great book for any setting, the stories are practical and achievable, the language is down to earth and believable, and the subjects include those that we are often embarrassed to deal with. A must-have for the SEN practitioner.

SPECIALIST COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS

FOCUSING ON SERVICE USERS' NEEDS

Palgrave Macmillan This book provides students with a solid understanding of the issues involved in effective communication within social work settings. It combines practice examples with a clear theoretical approach, demonstrating the subtleties of communication with service users and carers from a diverse range of social groups.

ANTI AND PRO-SOCIAL COMMUNICATION

THEORIES, METHODS, AND APPLICATIONS

Peter Lang This is an interdisciplinary resource guide for scholars, researchers, graduate students, and advanced undergraduates who study aspects of communication and relationships. It brings together essays by an array of scholars currently working in the areas of anti and pro-social communication to examine the theories, methodologies, and applied issues that define communication research broadly. Each chapter focuses on a different aspect of communication, examining how and why it affects our perceptions, relationships, health, and social behavior.

TALKABOUT

A SOCIAL COMMUNICATION SKILLS PACKAGE

Routledge This core Talkabout manual is a practical resource essential for Speech and Language Therapists and other professionals who need to help people with special needs develop social skills. Over 60 activities form an extensive, structured social skills programme that can easily be adapted for use with children, adolescents and adults. Written by bestselling author and practising Speech and Language Therapist, Alex Kelly, this book sits at the centre of an internationally renowned series of resources supporting social skills. Contents include: a social skills assessment and intervention planning tool to help you identify the best way forward for each client or group over 60 activities focussing on body language, conversation and assertiveness 25 group cohesion activities to help you facilitate well-run, productive group sessions a wealth of handouts supporting the activities that can be freely downloaded and printed. This updated second edition of Talkabout sits alongside Talkabout for Teenagers and Talkabout for Adults, as well as three titles published for children (Developing Self Awareness and Self Esteem, Developing Social Skills and, Developing Friendship and Skills).

COMMUNICATING YOUR RESEARCH WITH SOCIAL MEDIA

A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO USING BLOGS, PODCASTS, DATA VISUALISATIONS AND VIDEO

SAGE This book will help researchers to maximize the impact and highlight the innovation of their research by showing them how to get the most out of social media when evaluating, presenting and disseminating their work.

ONLINE SOCIAL SUPPORT: THE INTERPLAY OF SOCIAL NETWORKS AND COMPUTER-MEDIATED COMMUNICATION

Cambria Press

HANDBOOK OF COMMUNICATION AND SOCIAL INTERACTION SKILLS

*Psychology Press Providing a thorough review and synthesis of work on communication skills and skill enhancement, this Handbook serves as a comprehensive and contemporary survey of theory and research on social interaction skills. Editors John O. Greene and Brant R. Burleson have brought together preeminent researchers and writers to contribute to this volume, establishing a foundation on which future study and research will build. The handbook chapters are organized into five major units: general theoretical and methodological issues (models of skill acquisition, methods of skill assessment); fundamental interaction skills (both transfunctional and transcontextual); function-focused skills (informing, persuading, supporting); skills used in management of diverse personal relationships (friendships, romances, marriages); and skills used in varied venues of public and professional life (managing leading, teaching). Distinctive features of this handbook include: * broad, comprehensive treatment of work on social interaction skills and skill acquisition; * up-to-date reviews of research in each area; and * emphasis on empirically supported strategies for developing and enhancing specific skills. Researchers in communication studies, psychology, family studies, business management, and related areas will find this volume a comprehensive, authoritative source on communications skills and their enhancement, and it will be essential reading for scholars and students across the spectrum of disciplines studying social interaction.*

DEVELOPING PUPILS SOCIAL COMMUNICATION SKILLS

PRACTICAL RESOURCES

Routledge Learning to communicate with other people is perhaps the most important learning children do. Children with social communication problems may have trouble picking up the crucial skills of interacting and communicating with their peers, which can have more serious implications later on in life. This resource will help teachers, teaching assistants and therapists to develop and improve the social skills of their younger pupils; provides sets of easily accessible, verbal and non-verbal games and activities to encourage social interaction; provides a clear rationale to the games to help the teacher or teaching assistant really get to grips with how and why these activities can help; provides a structured approach to pupils' social development for pupils in their early and primary years which has been tried, tested and proved to be effective; and includes assessment forms and monthly and daily planning sheets

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

A WORKBOOK FOR SOCIAL CARE WORKERS

Jessica Kingsley Publishers Social care workers in residential or domiciliary settings need to be able to communicate effectively in order to carry out their work. Supporting people with a variety of difficulties including hearing loss, impaired speech, visual impairment, dementia and physical and learning disabilities requires a range of communication skills, such as listening, sign language, writing notes, and using body language, touch and stimulation. This workbook will provide workers with the ability to enable adults with limited or no verbal communication skills to make decisions, and to express their views in their preferred method of communication. Effective Communication includes practical guidance on using communication tools, such as computers, staff photo rota boards and pictorial menu boards, and use of photographs as visual reminders. The workbook meets the requirements of care standards and also refers to the importance of recording and reporting, and dealing with sensitive and complex issues, such as breaking the news of a family bereavement, or communicating with a person who has been abused. Designed to meet the requirements of Health and Social Care (Adults) NVQ Level 3, Unit 31, this workbook is also a valuable source of guidance for any social care worker wanting to improve communication with the people they support.

COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR WORKING WITH CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

INTRODUCING SOCIAL PEDAGOGY

Jessica Kingsley Publishers Rev. ed. of: Communicating with children and infants. 2nd ed. 1997.

COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

SAGE Our ability to communicate is a key part of everyday life and is an essential skill, particularly when communicating with vulnerable people in a health and social care setting. Presented in a unique and easy-to-use dictionary format, this practical guide will help students and practitioners understand and apply the principles of effective communication. From the 'how to' practicalities through to challenges and honing existing skills, this book will ensure they have the confidence and knowledge to communicate skilfully and successfully in many different contexts and settings. This book is essential reading for anyone working in the helping professions for whom good communication skills are an essential part of their role. The new edition features: New entries covering social media, mindfulness, several tricky topics, and much more. Service user snippets to help address and understand the issues about service user perspectives. Skills to ensure you are engaging with the Professional Capabilities Framework.

COMMUNICATION IN SOCIAL WORK

Bloomsbury Publishing Effective communication is a vital part of the social worker's job. This welcome new edition of a classic text provides students and practitioners with essential advice and guidance about communicating and interacting in a range of social work settings. Based on the author's extensive personal and teaching experience, the text offers a succinct introduction to a variety of communication techniques, including symbolic, non-verbal, verbal, written and electronic forms of communication. Importantly, it discusses the perspectives of service users and explores their experiences and interpretations of how a social worker looks, acts and speaks, thus giving a real insight into the implicit messages being conveyed. New to this edition are Putting it into Practice activities and further reading suggestions, designed to support learning and understanding and to enable readers to reflect critically for practice. Written in an appealing narrative style that cannot fail to draw the reader in, Communication in Social Work is an engaging and comprehensive book suitable both for social work and social care students and for newly qualified practitioners wanting to refresh their thinking and skills.

ADOLESCENT ONLINE SOCIAL COMMUNICATION AND BEHAVIOR: RELATIONSHIP FORMATION ON THE INTERNET

RELATIONSHIP FORMATION ON THE INTERNET

IGI Global "This edited volume addresses the pressing need to establish a unified theoretical framework for adolescent online social communication research, specifically, identify the role and function of the Internet in adolescent social communication behavior, dynamic relationships among such things as adolescent social-psychological needs, personality, and social norms in online communication, and theories with practices in adolescent online social communication"--T.p. verso.

SOCIAL COMMUNICATION

Psychology Press The principal processes involved in language production and communication are explored in depth, and their effects on all main social psychological phenomena revealed.

SOCIAL COMMUNICATION DEVELOPMENT AND DISORDERS

Psychology Press This new standout volume is the first to describe developmental areas associated with social competence and social communication, as well as provide evidence-based information on effective assessment and intervention for children who have problems with social communication and social interactions. Expertly crafted, the volume offers both theory and practice within one comprehensive, yet manageable resource for busy professionals. The first section covers social communication theory and associated developmental domains. Case studies are provided to exemplify how different variables may affect social communication development. The second section covers evidence-based practices for social communication disorders and includes case studies, incidence and prevalence estimates, the current DSM-V definition of the disorder, referral guidelines, recommended practices of assessment and intervention, and a list of clinical resources. *Social Communication Development and Disorders* is an ideal text for a range of courses in Communication Sciences and Disorders or Speech-Language Pathology, and a must-have reference for professionals working with children with social competence or social communication problems, including speech-language pathologists (SLPs), regular and special educators, psychologists, and support personnel such as social workers, counselors, and occupational therapists.

APPROACHES TO THE STUDY OF COMMUNICATION, SOCIAL SUPPORT AND HELPING RELATIONSHIPS

GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON HEALTH COMMUNICATION IN THE AGE OF SOCIAL MEDIA

IGI Global Numerous studies suggest that people with a variety of health concerns are increasingly turning to online networks for social support. As a result, the number of online support communities has risen over the past two decades. *Global Perspectives on Health Communication in the Age of Social Media* is a critical scholarly resource that examines the illness and pain-and-suffering narrative of health communication. Featuring coverage on a broad range of topics, such as social networks, patient empowerment, and e-health, this book is geared towards professionals and researchers in health informatics as well as students, practitioners, clinicians, and academics.

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS IN SOCIAL WORK

Learning Matters Communication and Interpersonal Skills in Social Work are at the heart of effective social work practice. This book offers students a solid grounding in the core knowledge and skills of communication needed for effective practice. The book takes the key theories in communication and explains them in a systematic and practice-related way, essential for both undergraduate and postgraduate students to develop a critical understanding of the subject. This crucial fifth edition supports students with core communication skills by providing in-depth coverage closely interwoven with learning features that engage, stimulate and challenge. Working with children, adults and those with learning difficulties are all fundamental aspects of the book making it useful to students of all disciplines.

COMMUNICATING SOCIAL JUSTICE IN TEACHER EDUCATION

INSIGHTS FROM A CRITICAL CLASSROOM ETHNOGRAPHY

Routledge Evolving out of ethnographic fieldwork, this text examines how ideas of social justice are articulated and communicated by pre-service teachers and graduate teaching assistants in the US. By positing the concept of "help" as a central tenet of social justice within teacher education, this volume offers a unique performative analysis of how the concept is communicatively constituted in teacher education and training. Using a social justice framework, the book examines the ways in which new teachers contend with their identities as educators, and demonstrates how these communicative performances influence pre-service and new teachers' perceptions of their role, as well as their responsibility to engage with social justice and critical approaches in the classroom. This text will benefit researchers, academics, and educators in higher education with an interest in teacher education, critical communication studies, and the sociology of education more broadly. Those specifically interested in teacher training, mentoring, and social justice in the classroom will also benefit from this book.

INTERPERSONAL RELATIONS AND SOCIAL PATTERNS IN COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES: DISCOURSE NORMS, LANGUAGE STRUCTURES AND CULTURAL VARIABLES

DISCOURSE NORMS, LANGUAGE STRUCTURES AND CULTURAL VARIABLES

IGI Global "This book provides interdisciplinary perspectives utilizing a variety of research methods to uncover the fundamental components of computer-mediated communication (i.e., language, interpersonal relations/communication and information technology) which will be discussed in the following section"--Provided by publisher.

TEACHING SOCIAL COMMUNICATION TO CHILDREN WITH AUTISM AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DELAYS, SECOND EDITION

THE PROJECT IMPACT MANUAL FOR PARENTS

*Guilford Publications For young children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and others who have challenges in interacting and communicating, early intervention is key--and parents can play a vital role. Developed through work with hundreds of families, this book presents engaging, evidence-based techniques for enriching your child's social communication skills (up to age 6). The strategies can be easily integrated into daily routines, such as meals, bathtime, bedtime, and playtime. Designed for use as part of a therapist-guided program, the manual has a convenient large-size format and includes 20 reproducible forms. You also get access to a companion website, where you can download and print the forms for repeated use and view video clips of parents using the techniques. Professionals who want to implement Project ImPACT should purchase the authors' two-book set (ISBN 978-1-4625-3814-0), which includes this manual plus a coach's guide. New to This Edition *Reflects the latest research and the ongoing development of the authors' approach. *Even more user friendly; skills parents need to learn are simplified and streamlined. *Chapter on managing challenging behavior. *Numerous graphics to help you remember and use the strategies. *Appropriate for a broader range of children, including those without an ASD diagnosis.*

TEACHING SOCIAL COMMUNICATION TO CHILDREN WITH AUTISM AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DELAYS, SECOND EDITION (2-BOOK SET)

THE PROJECT IMPACT GUIDE TO COACHING PARENTS AND MANUAL FOR PARENTS

*Guilford Publications Recognized as one of the most effective coaching programs for parents of young children (up to age 6) with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and related social communication delays, this two-book set has been fully revised and updated. It presents everything needed to implement Project ImPACT, an intervention curriculum that teaches parents ways to enhance children's social engagement, communication, imitation, and play skills, within meaningful activities and daily routines. The Guide to Coaching Parents provides a complete introduction and step-by-step coaching procedures for practitioners working with individual parents or groups. The Manual for Parents, which includes 20 reproducible forms, helps parents master the strategies and use them at home. Both volumes have a convenient large-size format. The parent manual is also sold separately (ISBN 978-1-4625-3808-9). Companion Websites Purchasers get access to a companion website featuring 42 reproducible forms for practitioners and parents (several of which can be filled in onscreen before printing), as well as video clips of the techniques and PowerPoint slides for use in teaching parent groups. A second companion website for parents features the parent forms and video clips only. New to This Edition *Reflects the latest research and the ongoing development of Project ImPACT. *Streamlines the program for teaching parents--presents five main strategies that build on each other. *Appropriate for a broader range of children, including those without an ASD diagnosis who have social communication delays. *Optional unit on managing significant behavioral challenges. *Additional visuals, graphics, and forms that facilitate learning. *Expanded information on engaging parents, goal development, data collection, and adapting the program for a variety of settings. Project ImPACT is one of two parent-implemented interventions cited as evidence-based practices by the National Clearinghouse on Autism Evidence and Practice.*

COMMUNICATION FOR SOCIAL CHANGE ANTHOLOGY

HISTORICAL AND CONTEMPORARY READINGS

CFSC Consortium, Inc.

SOCIAL JUSTICE AND COMMUNICATION SCHOLARSHIP

Routledge Social Justice and Communication Scholarship explores the role of communication in framing and contributing to issues of social justice. This collection, a first on the subject of communication and social justice, investigates the theoretical and practical ways in which communication scholarship can enable inclusive and equitable communities within American society. It analyzes ways in which to construct communities that protect individual freedom while ensuring equality and dignity to everyone. In this unique anthology, Swartz brings together both senior scholars and junior colleagues to represent diverse applications of communication to issues of social justice. He supports partisan scholarship in order to revitalize intellectual activity and social commitment toward creating a progressive society. As a result; the volume serves the heuristic function of posing new research questions. In addition to its relevance within the field of communication, Social Justice and Communication Scholarship will be of interest in many of the humanities and social sciences, as research on the theme of social justice transcends disciplinary boundaries. The volume is particularly well suited for use in undergraduate and graduate courses in communication, rhetoric and composition, journalism, American studies, and cultural studies.

SOCIAL MEDIA, CRISIS COMMUNICATION, AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

LEVERAGING WEB 2.0 TECHNOLOGIES

CRC Press Although recent global disasters have clearly demonstrated the power of social media to communicate critical information in real-time, its true potential has yet to be unleashed. Social Media, Crisis Communication, and Emergency Management: Leveraging Web 2.0 Technologies teaches emergency management professionals how to use social media to improve

THINK IT, SHOW IT SOCIAL STUDIES: STRATEGIES FOR COMMUNICATING UNDERSTANDING

STRATEGIES FOR COMMUNICATING UNDERSTANDING

Teacher Created Materials Think It, Show It: Social Studies is a practical and informative resource that supports the teaching of writing in the social studies classroom to meet the demands of the today's standards and the C3 Framework. The creative instructional strategies and resources guide students in communicating their historical thinking through writing and speaking. Specific step-by-step strategies are provided to help students develop clear, concise writing and discussion skills about historical documents, events, and other primary sources using text structures such as description, narrative, comparison, and cause-and-effect. The included student resources, rubrics, graphic organizers, and exemplar writing samples also support instruction and provide students a clear understanding of the expectations for success.

SOCIAL COMMUNICATION IN NUTRITION

A METHODOLOGY FOR INTERVENTION

Food & Agriculture Org. Planning an intervention in social communication in nutrition; Defining the nutrition problems; Determining the causes of the nutrition problems; Establishing an educational framework; Setting the objectives; Designing the message; Choosing the media and multi-media combination; Producing the communication support materials; Training the change agents; Executing the communication intervention; Evaluating the impact.

THE PSYCHOLOGY OF SOCIAL NETWORKING VOL.1

PERSONAL EXPERIENCE IN ONLINE COMMUNITIES

Walter de Gruyter GmbH & Co KG Using a novel approach to consider the available literature and research, this book focuses on the psychology of social media based on the assumption that the experience of being in a social media has an impact on both our identity and social relationships. In order to 'be online', an individual has to create an online presence - they have to share information about themselves online. This online self is presented in different ways, with diverse goals and aims in order to engage in different social media activities and to achieve desired outcomes. Whilst this may not be a real physical presence, that physicality is becoming increasingly replicated through photos, video, and ever-evolving ways of defining and describing the self online. Moreover, individuals are using both PC-based and mobile-based social media as well as increasingly making use of photo and video editing tools to carefully craft and manipulate their online self. This book therefore explores current debates in Cyberpsychology, drawing on the most up-to-date theories and research to explore four main aspects of the social media experience (communication, identity, presence and relationships). In doing so, it considers the interplay of different areas of psychological research with current technological and security insight into how individuals create, manipulate and maintain their online identity and relationships. The social media are therefore at the core of every chapter, with the common thread throughout being the very unique approach to considering diverse and varied online behaviours that may not have been thus far considered from this perspective. It covers a broad range of both positive and negative behaviours that have now become integrated into the daily lives of many westernised country's Internet users, giving it an appeal to both scholarly and industry readers alike.

CITIZENS, POLITICS AND SOCIAL COMMUNICATION

INFORMATION AND INFLUENCE IN AN ELECTION CAMPAIGN

Cambridge University Press Democratic politics is a collective enterprise, not simply because individual votes are counted to determine winners, but more fundamentally because the individual exercise of

citizenship is an interdependent undertaking. Citizens argue with one another and they generally arrive at political decisions through processes of social interaction and deliberation. This book is dedicated to investigating the political implications of interdependent citizens within the context of the 1984 presidential campaign as it was experienced in the metropolitan area of South Bend, Indiana. Hence this is a community study in the fullest sense of the term. National politics is experienced locally through a series of filters unique to a particular setting and its consequences for the exercise of democratic citizenship.

SOCIAL MEDIA COMMUNICATION

TRENDS AND THEORIES

John Wiley & Sons Examines the social media mechanism and how it is transforming communication in an increasingly networked society Social Media Communication: Trends and Theories explores how social media is transforming the way people think and behave. Providing students with an in-depth understanding of the mechanism underlying social media, this comprehensive textbook uses a multidisciplinary approach to examine social media use in a wide range of communication and business contexts. Each chapter is based on original research findings from the author as well as recent work in communication studies, neuroscience, information science, and psychology. Divided into two parts, the text first describes the theoretical foundation of social media use, discussing the impact of social media on information processing, social networking, cognition, interpersonal and group communication, the media industry, and business marketing. The second half of the book focuses on research-based strategies for effectively using social media in communication and business such as the news industry, health care, and social movements. Offering detailed yet accessible coverage of how digital media technology is changing human communication, this textbook: Helps readers make the best use of social media tools in communication and business practices Introduces more than a dozen theories in the areas of communication, psychology, and sociology to highlight the theoretical frameworks researchers use in social media studies Identifies a variety of trends involving social media usage, including the app economy and patient care Addresses the relation between social media and important contemporary topics such as cultural diversity, privacy, and social change Presents 14 imperative social media topics, each with the power to change the ways you see and use social media Social Media Communication: Trends and Theories is the perfect textbook for undergraduate and graduate courses in communication, business, journalism, business, and information science and technology. It is also an invaluable resource for researchers, educators, journalists, entrepreneurs, and professionals working in media management, advertising, public relations, and business marketing.

THE SOCIAL DYNAMICS OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

Routledge What shapes the role of Information and Communication Technologies in our everyday life? Despite the speed with which information and communication technologies such as the PC, mobile telephone and internet have found their way into society, there remains a good deal of debate surrounding their adoption and use. Through empirical studies covering a broad range of everyday life and work settings, this volume provides grounded insights into the social dynamics influencing how ICTs are both shaped and experienced. Specifically, the book examines the contributions of diverse disciplines to our understanding of these processes, the symbolic nature of technologies, the influence of design on the experience of ICTs, the role of users in influencing that design, the social constraints affecting the use of those technologies, and strategies for evaluating the social consequences of ICT innovations.

SPECIAL ISSUE APPROACHES TO THE STUDY OF COMMUNICATION, SOCIAL SUPPORT AND HELPING RELATIONSHIPS

SOCIAL SKILLS

THIS BOOK INCLUDES: SOCIAL ANXIETY TRAINING, COMMUNICATION SKILLS TRAINING, CONFIDENCE TRAINING

*Createspace Independent Publishing Platform Everything you NEED to improve your Social Skills - in ONE book! The Social Skills Bundle includes three books from the bestselling author Robert Moore. The question is, why do some people communicate effectively and others don't? How can you get the kind of responses you want from people? Just imagine how great would it be to have a badass social life, filled with parties, events, invitations... and hot girls everywhere around you! Social Skills Bundle is here to help! This book will help you save time, energy and money as it gives you all the most important techniques and strategies for you to potentially become the one and only Social God in your city. In this bundle you will find: * Social Anxiety Training - doors will open; opportunities, made especially for you, will present themselves. * Communication Skills Training - spark a conversation and keep it FLOWING in any direction you want. * Confidence Training - develop healthy confidence mindsets, get rid of the ones that don't serve you, and sow the seeds of real, UNSHAKABLE confidence! * ... and much more! Doesn't matter if you're shy or introvert. I used to be shy and reserved... just like you. And you know what? One day I discovered that everyone can unleash their inner CHARISMA, so that they can start seducing not only girls but the whole world, easily and naturally. You don't have to be creative. You don't have to fake anything... This book will teach you how to listen and speak more effectively, avoid the most common conversational disasters, and use proven strategies that allow you to*

successfully build a great social circle that feeds you with new girls and events. You'll be able to land the best job opportunities, dream clients, major promotions and juiciest assignments. It's THAT easy! So get your own copy of Social Skills Bundle TODAY! It will be the best decision you ever make! Good luck my friend!

ONLINE SOCIAL COMMUNICATION: ESTABLISHING, MAINTAINING, AND ENDING ONLINE RELATIONSHIPS

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DEVELOPING YOUR COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN SOCIAL WORK

SAGE A step-by-step guide to developing effective communication skills with a diverse range of service users and professionals.

SUPPORTING AUTISM AND SOCIAL COMMUNICATION DIFFICULTIES IN MAINSTREAM SCHOOLS

A GUIDEBOOK FOR 'THE MAN-EATING SOFA'

Routledge This guidebook is designed to be used alongside the storybook *The Man-Eating Sofa* (for 8-12 year-olds). Written in an engaging and accessible style, chapters explore the educational, social and psychological impact of autism and social communication and interaction difficulties (SCID). Strategies are provided to help parents and practitioners recognise and support these issues in the school environment. A chapter-by-chapter exploration of *The Man-Eating Sofa* provides an opportunity to generate discussion and facilitate understanding of autism and SCID amongst young people and adults who might not have considered the impact of social communication difficulties upon day-to-day life. Key features include: an accessible introduction to autism and SCID discussion points for use with *The Man-Eating Sofa*, to accompany young people's reading of the story strategies are provided to support the education, mental health and wellbeing of young people who find social communication, interaction, sensory processing and emotional regulation challenging in mainstream educational settings. This is an essential resource to help parents, teachers and professionals understand and support pupils who are autistic as well as those who find social communication a challenge in the mainstream classroom.

ALIGNING SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL AND 21ST CENTURY LEARNING IN THE CLASSROOM: EMERGING RESEARCH AND OPPORTUNITIES

EMERGING RESEARCH AND OPPORTUNITIES

IGI Global Establishing a student-centered classroom environment where learning puts students' interests first is essential for middle school students to learn and thrive. Student success does not simply rely on instruction; it relies on external factors such as school and classroom climate, positive relationships with their teachers and other adults, and a strong sense of belonging with their peers. The young adolescent learner is at a turning point where the need for love, belonging, and acceptance is heightened. Research studies indicate that large percentages of students lack social-emotional competence and believe their teachers do not care about them. Social-emotional learning skills are vital for young adolescents, as are 21st century skills and competencies to prepare them for an information- and technology-driven world. *Aligning Social-Emotional and 21st Century Learning in the Classroom: Emerging Research and Opportunities* shows teachers practical ways to combine the skills that young adolescents need (social-emotional) and the 21st century skills that they learn to create a culture of success in their middle school classrooms. This book also provides examples of education technologies that teachers can use to promote 21st century learning in their classroom. Highlighting a wide range of topics such as communication skills, critical thinking, social media, and emotional intelligence, this book is crucial for teachers, school administrators, instructional designers, K-12 educators, curriculum developers, academicians, researchers, and students.

SUPPORTING AUTISM AND SOCIAL COMMUNICATION DIFFICULTIES IN MAINSTREAM SCHOOLS

A TEACHER GUIDE FOR 'THE MAN-EATING SOFA'

"This guidebook is designed to be used alongside the storybook *The Man-Eating Sofa* as part of the set 'An Adventure with Social Communication Difficulties and Autism'. It has been created to help parents, teachers and other practitioners in mainstream educational settings support young people who find social communication challenging. Written in an engaging and accessible style, chapters explore the educational, social and psychological impact of autism and social communication and interaction difficulties (SCID). Strategies are provided to help parents and practitioners recognise and support these issues in the school environment. A chapter-by-chapter exploration of *The Man-Eating Sofa* provides an opportunity to generate discussion and facilitate understanding of autism and SCID amongst young people and adults who might not have considered the impact of social communication difficulties upon day-to-day life. Key features include: An accessible introduction to autism and SCID; Discussion points for use with *The Man-Eating Sofa*, to accompany young people's reading of the story; Strategies are provided to support the education, mental health and wellbeing of young people who

find social communication, interaction, sensory processing and regulation challenging in mainstream educational settings This is an essential resource to help parents and professionals understand and support pupils who are autistic, or who find social communication a challenge, in the mainstream classroom"--

TALKABOUT FOR TEENAGERS

DEVELOPING SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Routledge This is a complete group work resource offering a hierarchical approach to teaching social and relationship skills to teenagers. Designed specifically for teenagers, this practical workbook provides ready-made material for running social and relationship skills groups with older children and young adults. Divided into five, hierarchical modules - self awareness and self esteem; body language; conversational skills; friendship skills; assertiveness skills- each module includes a teaching plan with worksheets and photocopies resources. It includes a short assessment to highlight the module that is most appropriate to teach and the skills within that module that are relevant. It provides a short guide to running successful social skills groups, for example, the numbers for each group, group rules, developing group cohesion, how to set up a role play. The Talkabout series is an extremely successful, hierarchical approach to teaching social skills and Talkabout for Teenagers is ideal for all professionals working with teenagers with social, emotional or behavioural difficulties. Alex Kelly is a Speech & Language Therapist who specialises in working with people with social skills and relationship skills difficulties. She currently runs her own business providing social skills training and consultancy to schools and organisations across the UK and overseas. Brian Sains is a teacher in a secondary mainstream school. He was a community learning disability nurse for 10 years and left 6 years ago to pursue a career in teaching. He has a special interest in teaching children with social and behavioural difficulties and has supported several local initiatives to teach children social skills within secondary schools.