



Looking Through the Eyes of Children
 Saturday, October 20th, 2012
 9 a.m. – 4: 30 p.m.
 MSVU Rosaria’s Multi-Purpose Room

We are happy to be holding our 3rd conference and our special presenter at this event is Dan Hodgins!



Daniel Hodgins is an exceptional, internationally renowned presenter and author of many articles on child development. He has authored a book titled Boys: Changing the Classroom, Not the Child by Wilderness Press. His new book titled, GET OVER IT, Relearning Guidance Practices will be released sometime this fall. His work has been featured in national publications including, International Cooperative Nursery, and Early Childhood News.

As a consultant, Dan works with educators, parents and other professionals, helping them to understand research based theory and how to adapt curriculum and environments that support the continued development of children and families. He has a unique grasp of children and family issues learned from over 30 years of experience working as a teacher, director, educator and parent in both the private and public sector. Much of his work involved children at risk; special needs populations and families with diverse challenges. Dan’s interactive style is both informative and entertaining. His insightful presentations are based on current research and filled with practical and effective strategies that can be used immediately.

Workshops Taking Place that Day! ☺

- **Looking Through the Eyes of Boys and Girls** – looking at the differences between boys and girls, their learning styles; feelings and environmental needs.
- **Children Who Take You To The End of Your Rope** – what are the causes for the increase in challenging behaviors? And strategies to support the development of self-control.
- **Supporting Children Who Color Outside the Lines** - how to develop a climate that supports creativity in early childhood settings.

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Schedule

- 8 – 9: Registration & Check In
- 9 –12: Looking Through the Eyes of Boys and Girls
- [10:15 – 10:30 am ~ break]
- 12:00 – 1:00 pm: Lunch break
- (Lunch is not provided: We recommend you bring lunch or make plans in advance)
- 1 - 2:30: Children Who Take You to the End of Your Rope
- [2:30 – 2:45 ~ break]
- 2:45 – 4:15: Supporting Children Who Color Outside the Lines
- 4:15 – 4:30: Certificate presented and wrap-up

Our conference is taking place at Mount Saint Vincent University (MSVU), at the Rosaria building in the Multipurpose Room. MSVU is situated on the Bedford Highway here in the HRM.

http://www.msvu.ca/site/media/msvu/Campus%20Map_0910.pdf

This conference counts for 5.75 hours of professional development.

