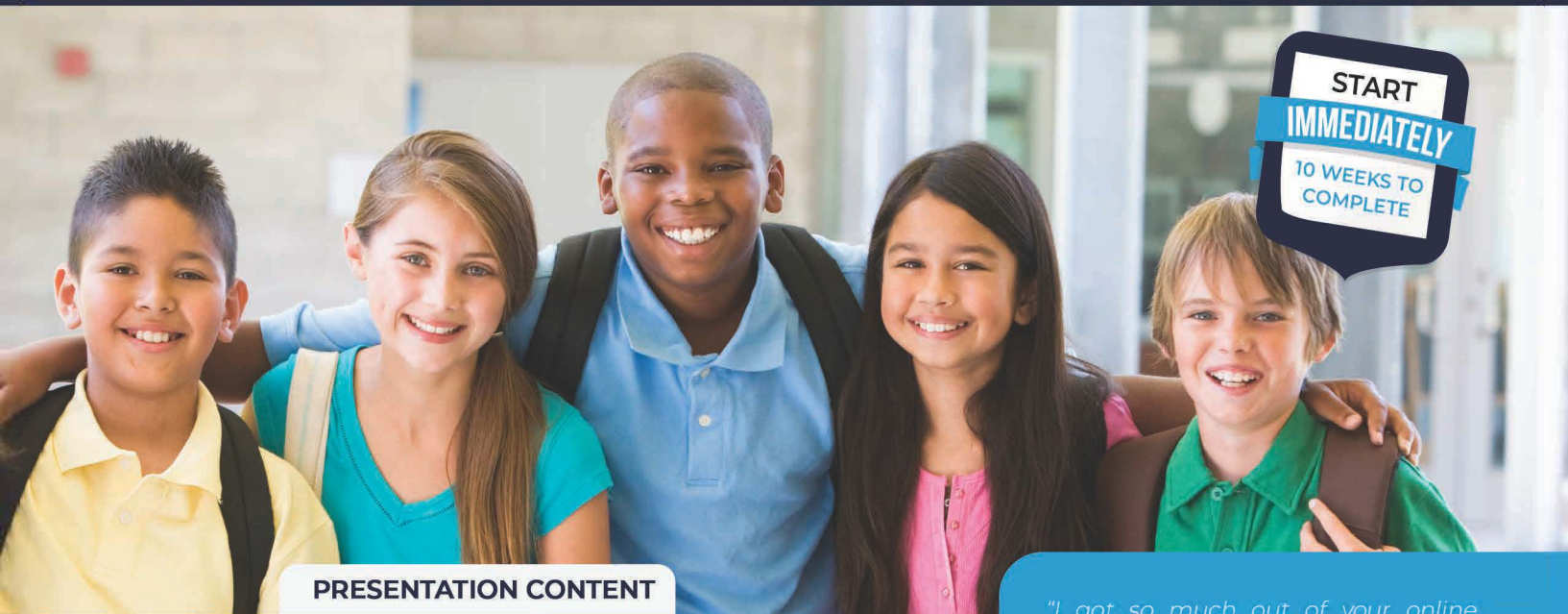


# UNDERSTANDING AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER

Teaching Strategies and Behaviour Support with Sue Larkey



## PRESENTATION CONTENT

### TEACHING STRATEGIES FOR SCHOOL & HOME

- What is Autism Spectrum Disorder
  - Autism learning style
  - Key teaching strategies from preschool to secondary
  - Classroom strategies
- Promoting understanding in peers
- How to motivate and use special interests
  - Visual strategies
  - Social skills
  - Teaching play
- Strategies for playground

### BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT FOR SCHOOL & HOME

- What are ASD behaviours?
  - Preparing child and staff
- Common playground issues
  - Meltdowns
  - Anxiety
- Transition strategies for school (preschool, primary and secondary) and home
- Repetitive and obsessive behaviours
- Sensory issues

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Teachers, Teacher Assistants, Early Childhood Educators, Parents, family members, care staff, educators, clinicians—anyone wanting to understand more about Autism Spectrum Disorder and how to support children and adults with an ASD. Particularly if cannot make it to Sue's Live Workshops.

## Elearning Sue Larkey

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**Sue Larkey** is a highly qualified special educator who has taught in mainstream and special schools. She is currently working toward a Doctorate of Education focussing on inclusive schooling. She has authored several books and resource materials. Sue is unashamedly passionate about her mission – to inspire parents and educators and teach them how to Make it a Success.

"I got so much out of your online workshop. Your passion is obvious. There is not one aspect I would say to remove from your presentation. All my teachers completed your course. We aim to get together and plan strategies to assist our children. We have already trialled your 'box approach' to encourage children to bring in items that represent them. It was amazing watching the confidence grow with the children talking to their peers."

- Early Childhood Teacher

"We thoroughly enjoyed the PD and because we are working with a number of students on the spectrum, it makes sense now that what we have had success with one students, has totally been wrong for another students. We cant wait now to put more strategies in place."

- Primary School Teacher

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## Sue Larkey: Teaching Strategies & Behaviour Support

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- ✔ What is Autism Spectrum Disorder
- ✔ Autism Learning style
- ✔ Using Schedules & Timers
- ✔ Key teaching strategies from Preschool to Secondary and beyond
- ✔ What is ODD?
- ✔ 10 Key Strategies to Setting up Your Classroom



- ✔ Understanding ASD - Let's dive in deeper to Understanding ASD
- ✔ Girls with ASD
- ✔ 10 Essential Strategies for Understanding ASD
- ✔ "Why kids with ASD do what they do?"
- ✔ 10 Key Strategies for Success
- ✔ Executive Functioning : 7 Common Signs & What to do
- ✔ ASD, ADHD, Epilepsy, Tourette's, OCD



- ✔ Classroom strategies
- ✔ Using Tokens for success
- ✔ What are Visuals and How to Use
- ✔ Motivators: How to use
- ✔ How to Motivate and use Special Interests
- ✔ Timers/ Routine/ Schedules
- ✔ Tips for Toilet Training - an example of using Timers, Routine & Schedules for Success
- ✔ Understanding Processing and impact on Learning & Engagement



- ✔ Promoting understanding in peers
- ✔ How to talk to whole class, family about ASD
- ✔ Social skills
- ✔ Using Social Scripts
- ✔ Teaching play
- ✔ Strategies for playgrounds



- ✔ What are ASD behaviours
- ✔ Using a Summary Profile to Increase Awareness with ALL staff
- ✔ Sensory Processing Disorder - What is it?
- ✔ How to look for?
- ✔ 10 Common Causes of Sensory Meltdowns
- ✔ What to do when child / student has Sensory Meltdown
- ✔ 10 Common Causes of Behaviour Meltdowns
- ✔ What to do when child / student has a Behaviour Meltdown
- ✔ Meltdown versus Tantrums
- ✔ What to do when a child / student has a tantrum

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