

The Jericho School



For Children with Autism and
Other Developmental Disabilities

The mission of The Jericho School (non profit 501(c) 3 corporation) is to provide comprehensive, individualized science-based education not otherwise available in our community. We believe those children with autism and other developmental delays deserve the opportunity to reach their full potential. The school's curriculum provides effective treatment and education programs to children and their families based on Applied Behavior Analysis and Verbal Behavior.

The Jericho School accepts the John McKay Scholarship School

Teaching Language to Children with Autism and Other Developmental Disabilities

A FREE 2-DAY WORKSHOP FOR PARENTS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS

October 23rd – October 24th, 2008

(9:00am to 3:30pm)

About the Workshop: Participants will gain a greater awareness of Behavior Analysis as a Science of Learning. Participants will acquire the understanding and application of the basic principles of Applied Behavior Analysis. A focus will be on utilizing B.F. Skinner's analysis of Verbal Behavior to assist in the acquisition of language skills for children with developmental disabilities. Participants will also receive training on effective teaching procedures and building instructional control.

Participants Will Receive Instruction on:

- Positive Reinforcement
- Extinction
- Differential Reinforcement
- Building Stimulus Control
- Functions of Behavior
- Motivational Operations
- Verbal Behavior
- Transfer Procedures
- Sequence for Teaching
- Errorless Teaching
- Generalization of Skills
- Natural Environment Teaching

About the Presenter: Angelo Martinez is Board Certified as an Associate in Applied Behavior Analysis. He is currently the Executive Director for The Jericho School. Angelo graduated from Iowa State University and has been working in the field of Behavior Analysis for over 12 years. For the past 8 years he has specialized in ABA therapy and Verbal Behavior in working with children autism and other developmental disabilities.

Who Should Attend: Any parent, family member, teacher, paraprofessional or other service provider working with children or adolescence with autism or other learning or developmental disabilities.

Workshop Location: The 2-day workshop will be held at the **BANK OF AMERICA CONFERENCE CENTER** 9000 Southside Blvd., Building 500, Driftwood Meeting Room, Jacksonville, Florida, 32256. Lunch will be provided.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

REGISTRATION IS MANDATORY

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: OCTOBER 17TH, 2008

Please register early; registration is limited to a number of participants.

Please complete this registration and send to:

The Jericho School Outreach Program
P.O. Box 11057
Jacksonville, Florida 32239

For more information please contact:

Cassandra Kline at: (904) 744-5110
jerichoschooloutreach@yahoo.com

You may also fax this registration: (904) 744-3443

Name: _____ Organization: _____ Parent

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ E-Mail: _____

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