

Imaginative Parenting Series

Arroyo Grande Library
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Learn how to connect with your kids and promote their development through dramatic play.

- **Class 1: Introduction to Dramatic Play—September 23, 2019**

This class will be an introduction to dramatic play. The structure of the class series will be discussed and the value of using imaginative play with your children will be explored.

- **Class 2: Eager Cooperation—September 30, 2019**

This class will take a look at how imaginative play can be effective in engaging children when you need their cooperation. It will identify tools and interventions to try that move away from the traditional overly directive approaches that lead to resistance.

- **Class 3: Empowering Kids to be Solution Finders—October 7, 2019**

This class will explore how parents can empower their children to be the hero of their own story by using the beauty of imaginative play.

NO CLASS OCTOBER 14TH for Columbus Day

- **Class 4: Feelings—October 21, 2019**

This class will discuss how imaginative play can create a safe space for parents and children to explore emotions together.

- **Class 5: Attachment & Bonding—October 28, 2019**

This class will explore how imaginative play can provide a safe space for a child and parent to process a trauma and/or hardship together.

- **Class 6: Trialing Challenging Situations—November 4, 2019**

This class will uncover the beauty of using imaginative play to prepare and work through challenges parents and kids may face.

NO CLASS NOVEMBER 11TH for Veterans Day

- **Class 7: How Can Dramatic Play be Quick & Easy—November 18, 2019**

This final class will bring together all the concepts learned throughout the series. We will reflect, debrief and discuss how parents can move forth incorporating imaginative play into their busy lives.



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