

Expressive Theater with Young Children

Pathways for Teachers

The use of drama as part of an integrated curriculum, a workshop to help teachers:

Find the right play for the children's needs

Develop tools and inspiration for writing a play

Deepen an understanding of the roots of play and sense development in the child from seven to fourteen and how that feeds imaginative theater.

Work therapeutically to bring balance and integrative healing through casting and ensemble work.

Expand the learning through theater to include the dynamics of the entire curriculum.

Develop related activities that deepen the imaginative connection to the process of the play

Build community through putting on a play

Map time lines and organize for an efficient and anxiety free process and production of a play

Bring the play to performance and guide the children in absorbing what has been achieved

Develop the art of bringing pedagogical and artistic theater