

We are excited to present another great year of...



The Drama-Play Connection

A Six-Week Pragmatic Language Program

Playing: July 11th through August 19th

The Program...

A pragmatically-based drama workshop that teaches and incorporates the basic elements of pragmatic language and social skills. Each week one of six core pragmatic language areas are going to be taught on a daily basis. These areas include:



- { Exploration of Self and Others
- { Body Language
- { Communication and Social Exchange
- { Social Language
- { Emotions and Relationships
- { Peer Issues

Drama is a powerful tool for teaching social skills, body language, and the mechanics of social interactions. Core pragmatic concepts (social skills lessons) are taught throughout the day and are related to the basic techniques of drama as much as possible. We also use the art of improvisation as a safe way of reading and responding to the social cues of others. Over the summer, the children will be working on a movie that will be video-taped. At the end of the summer, we will have a showing of the movie for the actors/actresses and their families with a “cast party” afterwards for all! Our program also offers a variety of other activities, such as arts and crafts, outdoor games, etc.

The children will also participate in weekly outings. We hope to be able to attend at least one or two live productions over the six weeks. Other outings may include The Science Museum, Franklin Park Zoo, The New England Aquarium, etc. During these less structured times, appropriate interactions among the campers will be facilitated by helping them process and respond to social information.

The workshop size is limited to 24 children between the ages of 9 and 17. Applicants are considered for the program on a first-come, first-served basis.

For more information, please call (781) 899-1160 , www.dramaplayconnection.com

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