# UNDERSTANDING NEURODIVERSITY (ASD, ADD, ADHD, PDA)

### **Teaching Strategies and Behaviour Support**



# How to Support Neurodiverse Students **(ASD, ADHD, PDA, ODD)** in your Busy Classroom. **Workshop 9:00 - 3:00**

#### **Presentation Content**

- What is Neurodiversity: Including what is Neuro-affirming Practice, What does that acronym/abbreviation mean.
- Student Engagement and Task Completion: Including staying on task, work avoidance, refusing to work, how to engage
- Managing Disruptive Behaviours: Including 3 phases of meltdowns, what to do for challenging behaviours like running from the classroom
- Meeting Diverse Needs in Busy Classrooms: Including how to support multiple students with limited support while balancing the needs of the whole class
- Supporting Social Skills & Interactions: Strategies for making friends, building social skills, playground interactions and group work
- **Communication Support:** Including what to do for students who are non-verbal, selective mute and highly verbal (doesn't stop talking, constant interruptions)
- Sensory Needs & Regulation: How to support sensory needs, self-regulation, overwhelm and provide appropriate sensory breaks
- **Establishing Routines & Structure:** Strategies for transition between activities, using visual schedules and the importance of classroom structure
- Academic Support & Differentiation: 10 Key Accommodations and Adjustments, including modifying work, academic support, increasing curriculum access
- **Building Independence:** Key strategies for self-management, reducing support and increasing autonomous work
- Parent & Staff Collaboration: How to discuss concerns with parents/carers and build a positive relationship

## HOW TO REGISTER

Register at: <u>suelarkey.com.au</u> Educations Events Pty Limited ABN 70 124 402 277 For booking queries contact Dearne: Email: <u>dearne@suelarkey.com.au</u> Web: <u>suelarkey.com.au</u> <u>Pricing:</u> Early Bird \$215 Per person 3 days before event

Full Fee \$245 Per Person



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Where is it?

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