



**THE
SUNFLOWER
SCHOOL**

Presents

Making Beautiful Things

Reggio Inspired Ateliers
Build, Create and Make



Keynote:

Create your Culture of Making

Saturday September 29th, 2018

9 Townline

90 Lawrence Ave., Unit 74A

32 First Street, M1

Orangeville, Ontario

8:30 to 3:30

Price \$150

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4th Annual Reggio inspired conference

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Name (each person must fill one form out) _____

Email address _____

Organization/School/Centre _____

Food Restrictions _____

Receipt issued to (personally or your school/centre) _____

Method of payment _____

All cheques are payable to The Sunflower School and need to be received before September 21st 2018

Morning Workshop choices 2 Hours (please check off your first three choices #1, #2 and #3)

Lawrence location

_____ "Whatness" of materials by Heather Jackson, RECE

_____ Mini Ateliers by the Teachers of The Sunflower School

Townline location

_____ The Atelier of Place by Diane Kashin

_____ Journey through the Marsh by Vicki Griffith

Lord Dufferin

_____ An Atelier in mark making by Cindy Green

_____ Atelier of Taste: The Image of the Child by Rosalba Bortolli

_____ Mini Ateliers by the teachers of The Sunflower School

Afternoon workshop choices 2 hours (please check off your first three choices #1, #2, #3)

Lawrence

_____ Creating your own set of blocks by Right brained mom

_____ Toddler Atelier by the teachers of The Sunflower School

Townline

_____ Make Transparent Story Telling Blocks by Nicole

_____ Make Wood Cookie Chalkboard by Keri

_____ Make a Mirrored box by Chantelle and Jess

_____ Journey through the Marsh by Vicki

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_____ Make Sensory bins by Kim and Justin

_____ Make Infant activity center by Rosie and Laura

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How do you make beautiful things for your classrooms?

How do beautiful ideas come together?

Mini Ateliers • Hands on design, making, and building • Vendors

Flow of the Day

8:30 to 9:00 • Registration and School tours

9:00 to 9:30 • Keynote: Culture of Making

9:30 to 11:30 • Workshops

11:30 to 12:00 • School Tours

1200 to 12:45 • Lunch

1:00 to 2:00 • Workshops

2:00 to 3:00 • School Tours

Keynote presentation: 9:00 to 9:30

All three locations will have the same keynote presentation address about the Culture of Making at The Sunflower School, your keynote location will depend on which morning workshop you choose

Lawrence • Lower Level School age room • Culture of Making

Townline • Toddler room • Culture of Making

Lord Dufferin • Sr Preschool room • Culture of Making

Morning Workshops 9:30 to 11:00

Lawrence 90 Lawrence Ave, Orangeville

The "Whatness" of Materials by Heather Jackson, RECE and Director of The Sunflower School

We will look at creating encounters with everyday materials for young children and to deeply think with children about materials and loose parts. We will look at the theory of Slow looking by Shari Tishman. We will look to understand the complexity of loose parts. What do we see, What do we notice and What do we wonder- we will use these questions to fully develop encounters with loose parts and materials.

Mini Ateliers by The Teachers of The Sunflower School

- Mark Making Paintbrushes
- Tablecloth of Words learn how to embroider a simple stitch
- Felt books

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Atelier of Place by Diane Kashin, RECE

When we consider the atelier as a place of research, invention and empathy, expressed by means of '100' languages it does not have to be indoors. Nature is an atelier, rich in resources, with potential to dig with hands and minds. When we give children the gift of place, nature becomes an atelier. Pedagogy of place is using nature as the starting point for play and learning. In this interactive workshop participants will explore the concept of place thinking deeply of possibilities and connections.

Journey through the Marsh by Vicki Griffiths

Morning Workshops 9:30 to 11:00

Lord Dufferin 32 First Street, Orangeville

Atelier of Mark Making by Cindy Green, RECE

During this session, educators will have the opportunity to engage in exploration and expression with multiple languages for mark making. Together we will explore the relationship between various mark-making tools and surfaces. Inspired by the book Mosaic of Marks, Words, Materials we will wonder and dialogue about the interplay and relationship between materials and minds.

Atelier of Taste: The Image of the Child by Rosalba Bortolli, RECE

In this interactive workshop we will be engaging in conversations about the cultural idea of food based on the educational philosophy of Reggio Emilia and the approach to early learning. It is to honour the image of the child and to connect these principles to food education, values and traditions. We will taste and explore food in respectful and valued way. It is about giving quality and care to teachers, children, families, and the community.

Mini Atelier by the Teachers of The Sunflower School

- Mark Making paint brushes
- Tablecloth of words
- Wind holders
- Story Stones

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Toddler Atelier by the Teachers at The Sunflower School

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Make Transparent Story Telling Blocks by Nicole Mclean, RECE

Make Tree Cookie's Chalkboard by Keri Best, RECE

Make Mirrored Boxes by Chantelle RECE and Jess

Journey through the Marsh by Vicki, RECE

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Lord Dufferin 32 First Street, Orangeville

Make Sensory bin tubes and boxes by Kim Moses, RECE and Justin

Fabian, RECE

Make Infant Activity center by Rosie Lister, RECE and Laura Almudevar,

RECE

School Tours 2:00 to 3:00

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact us

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