

PODD Communication Book 2-Day Training with Linda Burkhart at Stanley Middle School



February 9th and 10th, 2017
8:30am- 4:30pm

3455 School St. Lafayette, Ca. 94549



Children who have complex communication needs or have only limited speech, in addition to other challenges, often struggle to interact and communicate. This may include children who have physical disabilities, multiple disabilities, sensory processing challenges, limited social interaction skills, and/or a range of cognitive limitations and learning difficulties.

This two-day course will demonstrate the use of a Pragmatic Organization Dynamic Display (PODD) approach developed by Gayle Porter (Melbourne, Australia). Generic templates for multi-page “light tech” communication books have been carefully designed to support genuine communication for a variety of functions throughout the day. These templates may be customized for a range of access methods and other individual needs.

Come learn strategies for creating multi-modal language learning environments that provide receptive models and expressive opportunities for language development. Learn strategies for teaching and using PODD with children and their communication partners. Videos and case examples will be shared. Participants will have an opportunity for hands-on practice with PODD Communication books.

About the Presenter Linda Burkhart is a well-known teacher and leader in the field of assistive technology, adaptive play, and augmentative communication for children who face significant disabilities. She has conducted workshops and presentations nationally and internationally since 1982. She has also developed many publications and software to be used in these areas.

Cost of Attendance: Early bird rate \$350/participant by Jan. 10th, \$375/participant after Jan. 10th

*Morning coffee/tea and lunch provided.
Please share any food allergies/restrictions upon registration.*

For more information or to register, please contact: Robbin Collins, M.S., CCC-SLP
Phone: (916) 216-2116 or Email: MonarchSpeech@gmail.com



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Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Payment Must Accompany Registration

Cost per Participant: \$350 (by Jan. 10th) \$375 (after Jan. 10th)
 Check Included* Credit Card Purchase Order #: _____
(copy of PO required before registration will be confirmed)

Please circle: Mastercard or Visa

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ CVV: _____

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Billing Address for Card (required):

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Signature: _____

*Please make checks payable to: Monarch Speech and Language

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