



# All About Social Skills

Social communication differences are a hallmark of Autism Spectrum Disorder. Teaching social skills can be a challenging but important task for educators, providers, and parents. In the first half of the presentation, we will cover social communication development with special consideration for cultural and linguistically-diverse populations. In the second half, the presenters will discuss how to support teachers and clinicians in creating goals and practices while celebrating neurodiversity of all students. This session is led by speech language pathologist, James Engracia M.A. CCC-SLP, and Dr. Natasha Lewis Harrington, psychologist and autistic advocate.

## Course Objectives:

- Demonstrate understanding of social communication development
- Be able to develop social communication goals with special consideration for culturally and linguistically diverse populations and neuro-diversity lens
- Be able to describe therapeutic intervention strategies to support social communication development

**Who should attend:** Parents, providers, educators interacting with individuals with autism or other social communication challenges from birth through high school-aged

**Content level:** Beginner

**Clock hours:** WA State approved clock hours (2 hrs) available for an additional fee

## WHEN

Monday, July 6, 2020  
4:00 – 6:00 PM PT

## WHERE

Webinar

## COST (per person)

**\$35** – register before June 15  
**\$45** – register on or after June 15  
\*10% discount for groups of 5 or more

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## Social Skills Follow-Up Sessions

Did you or are you planning to attend our “All About Social Skills” webinar? If so, these follow up sessions were designed for you! The University of Washington Autism Center will be hosting a variety follow up trainings to discuss how to incorporate social skills in different scenarios. Not sure which follow up to attend? Read the brief descriptions below!

Topic	Date/Time	Description
Social Skills + AAC	Monday, July 13 9:00-10:00 AM	Exploring intervention strategies to assist and support the development of social skills for students with AAC
Social Skills + Social Cognition	Monday, July 20 9:00-10:00 AM	Incorporating socio-emotional language, perspective-taking, and problem solving into social skills
Social Skills + Daily Routines	Monday, July 27 9:00-10:00 AM	Using or incorporating social skills into daily routines for the home environment
Social Skills + Developing Group Considerations	Monday, Aug 3 9:00-10:00 AM	Evidence-based strategies for social skills in group settings
Social Skills + Classroom	Monday, Aug 10 9:00-10:00 AM	Incorporating skills into the classroom or school setting

**Cost:** \$20 per person per follow-up webinar

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