

# EXECUTIVE FUNCTION: MORE THAN JUST ATTENTION!



## ABSTRACT

The executive function system plays a critical role in the overall learning process as the all-encompassing self-regulatory system of cognition. Deficits in executive function impact all aspects of learning, including academic and social. In this mini-course, you will learn about the executive function system, its role in speech and language development, and specific tools to support executive function development in children of all ages.



## LEARNER OUTCOMES

1. The participants will be able to describe foundational and higher-level executive function skills.
2. The participants will be able to communicate the role that executive function plays in the learning process.
3. The participants will be able to describe different techniques for supporting and improving executive function skills in children.

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## ABOUT TERA

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This breakout session will be an extension of the Executive Function Keynote presentation. You will learn Tera Sumpter's 4-part framework for executive function intervention and ways to integrate EF work into your current therapy settings for children who need support with attention, working memory, inhibition and more.



## LEARNER OUTCOMES

1. The participants will be able to describe the SEEDS framework to executive function intervention.
2. The participants will be able to develop reflexive questions for executive function intervention.
3. The participants will be able to incorporate new activities into their classrooms, therapy sessions or homes.

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