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ABOUT TESSIE

Tessie Ragan is a nationally recognized speaker, trainer, and early childhood educator with a deep commitment to the success of family child care providers and early educators in all settings. Drawing on over a decade of hands-on experience and leadership, Tessie's sessions are real, reflective, and rooted in best practice. Whether speaking to large conference audiences or leading intimate workshops, she helps educators build strong systems, empower their practice, and create sustainable, community-centered programs. Looking for something specific? Tessie also offers custom sessions tailored to the needs of your program, team, or event.

POPULAR SESSIONS

You Are the Quality: Investment in Yourself and Your Business

Audience: FCC educators, leaders, trainers

Focus: Professionalism, empowerment, business development

Format: 60–90 min workshop or retreat session

Helps FCC educators lean into their expertise by building intentional self-care systems, investing in business development, and shifting mindset from daycare provider to early childhood professional.

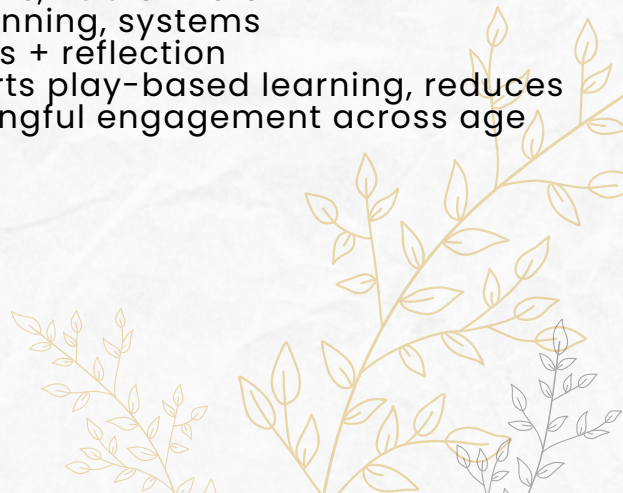
The Link Between a Structured Day and Behavioral Management

Audience: Mixed-age educators, FCC owners

Focus: Behavior guidance, planning, systems

Format: 90-min PD with tools + reflection

Learn how the right amount of structure supports play-based learning, reduces power struggles, and sets the tone for meaningful engagement across age groups.





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Chaos and Learning: Planning Your Family Child Care Day

Audience: New and seasoned FCC providers

Focus: Daily flow, visual schedules, educator wellness

Format: Freebie webinar or intro-level PD

A great entry-point workshop that gives providers a plan for designing their day with balance—for the kids and themselves.

Fostering Close-Knit Communities Through Mixed Ages in ECE

Audience: Programs with mixed-age or looping classrooms

Focus: Classroom community, continuity of care

Format: 2-hour training or conference session

Explores how empathy, long-term relationships, and intentional culture-building turn classrooms into collaborative mini-societies.

Claiming Space: The Power of FCC Advocacy

Audience: FCC providers, ECE orgs, leadership fellows

Focus: History of advocacy, organizing, public voice

Format: 60–90 min session with slides, prompts, and live Q&A

A bold and empowering look at the history and future of advocacy in early childhood education—through the lens of family child care.

