

Helping You Help Your Kids is My Mission

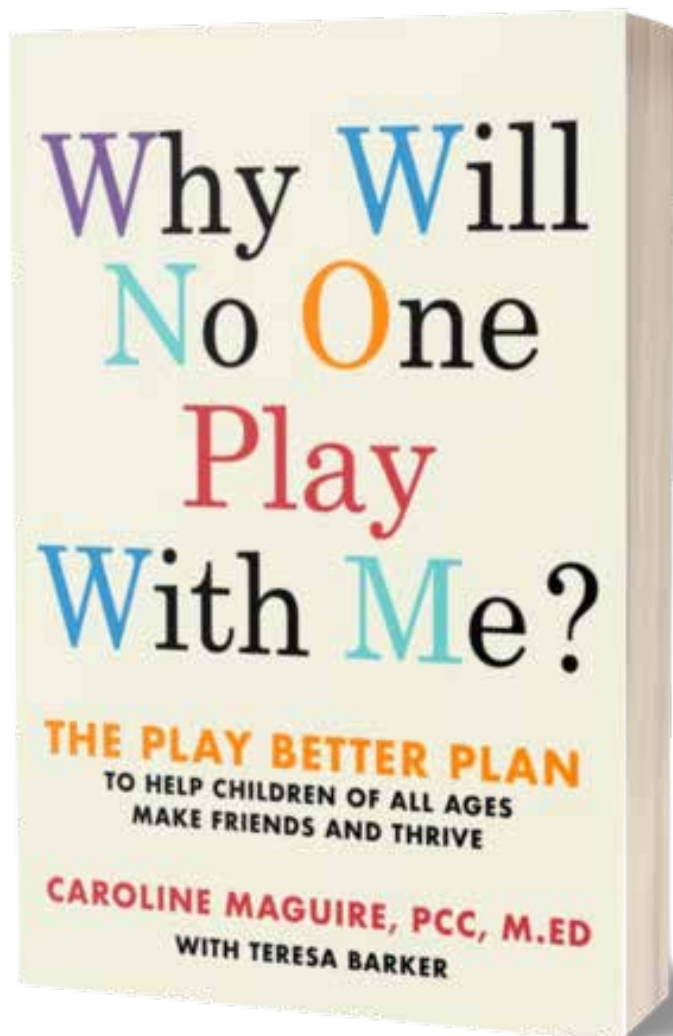
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Her first book, *Why Will No One Play with Me? A Parent's Guide to Coaching Your Child from Social Challenge to Success* will be released in 2019. In the new book, Caroline shares her proven strategies teaching parents how to use coaching with their child during all executive function skill-building sessions (as it relates to the social realm). The book offers readers Caroline's successful "Play Better Plan," a three-part program where children make noticeable progress while building confidence and enjoying a more satisfying social life.

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Caroline Maguire, ACCG, PCC, M.Ed. has been a rock for hundreds of families who have children with ADHD who struggle to fit in socially. Caroline's unique way of drawing out the best in her clients has been recognized internationally as she is invited to speak at conferences and schools around the world on topics related to coaching children and young adults with autism, ADHD, LD, executive function or social skills deficits. Her dedication, passion, and efforts are a direct result of her own struggles to fit in as a child with ADHD and dyslexia.

Caroline has been a resource for many journalists as well as leading ADHD organizations and can be seen in publications such as *U.S. News & World Report*, *Huffington Post*, *ADDitude*, *Attention Magazine* and *WebMD*.

Caroline knows how to engage families to help them make positive changes when sometimes, they might feel they've reached a dead end. She has been on the cutting edge of her field for the past ten years. Caroline earned her PCC from the International Coach Federation (ICF). She is the founder of a new and innovative training curriculum designed for the ADD Coaching Academy. The curriculum is the only comprehensive Family Coach Training program accredited by the International Coach Federation (ICF).

"I learned so much about my daughter—all her many, beautiful layers. And even more importantly, I was given the tools and strategies I needed to help [my daughter] gain self-confidence again and make real friends."

— Maria B, Mother, Play Better Coaching Graduate

Caroline received her undergraduate degree from Trinity College and has a Master's of Education and Early Childhood Development from Lesley University, where she spent four years studying the effects of executive function skills training on children with social skills deficits.

Caroline is a former coach for the Hallowell Center in Sudbury, MA. While with the Hallowell Center, she was the main coach for children and teenagers. In addition to coaching, she led social skills groups and consulted with local schools throughout New England.

She lives with her husband and two children in Concord, MA. Caroline is originally from Cape Cod, where she still enjoys spending long summer days with her happily hyperactive cousins and family members.

Speaking

Is your organization looking for a charismatic speaker with expertise on ADHD or coaching techniques? Caroline Maguire, ACCG, PCC, M.Ed. is an internationally renowned ADHD coach for children adolescents. For over a decade, Caroline has coached children who have ADHD and trained parents on how to coach their children at home. Caroline is a veteran professional in this arena. Because of her expertise, her coaching skills have been sought out by organizations across the globe. She now trains other coaches on how to coach ADHD children.

Popular Topics

WHY WILL NO ONE PLAY WITH ME? TEACHING COACHABLE SOCIAL SKILLS

"Why Will No One Play with Me?" -- a question every parent fears having to answer, yet one that has become more prevalent with each generation. Whether you are the parent of a child with learning differences, social integration issues, one that is a victim of bullying or even the parent of a child navigating the seemingly simple process of growing up, there has never been a greater need for a go-to resource that provides parents with the tools to help their children navigate the challenges of social interactions. In this talk, Caroline introduces audiences to the tools they need to become their child's (or student's) social skills coach.

LEARNING TO WALK IN SOMEONE ELSE'S SHOES: A TECHNIQUE-BASED GUIDE TO HELPING THOSE WITH ADHD NAVIGATE THEIR WORLD

Let's face it – it's frustrating when you witness others, especially your own children, doing and saying things that can make them seem rude or insensitive. In this guided talk, Caroline will present techniques proven to help those diagnosed with ADHD to learn how to recognize other people's point of view (perspective taking), gain greater social self-awareness, change the messages they telegraph to other people, self-evaluate their behavior, and adapt their behavior depending on the unspoken rules, context, people and situation, in order to develop and improve their perspective taking skills.

A-PLUS FUNCTION, B-MINUS FIT: THE BRAIN SCIENCE BEHIND SUCCESSFUL CORPORATE CULTURE

You keep hiring individuals who excel at the technical aspects of their job, but inevitably leave after twelve to eighteen months, taking productivity out the door. Want to know why? Culture fit! 81% of people are fired over soft skills such as emotional intelligence, coachability, social skills and temperament. Emotionally intelligent people outperform employees without soft skills 70% of the time. Retention is costly, and it is crucial that technical contributors succeed. Caroline Maguire reveals the brain-based reasons why and what you can do about it. In this talk, Caroline introduces the four "Archetypes of Awkwardness" and explains how managers should approach each individual differently.

"Caroline is that perfect combination of knowledgeable expert and empathetic best friend (if you are lucky enough to have a best friend this great). She knows her stuff, partly because she has been there. She has the stories to tell and the wit, humility, and wisdom to make those stories meaningful. Audiences have good reasons to love her."

—CHADD - National Resource on ADHD