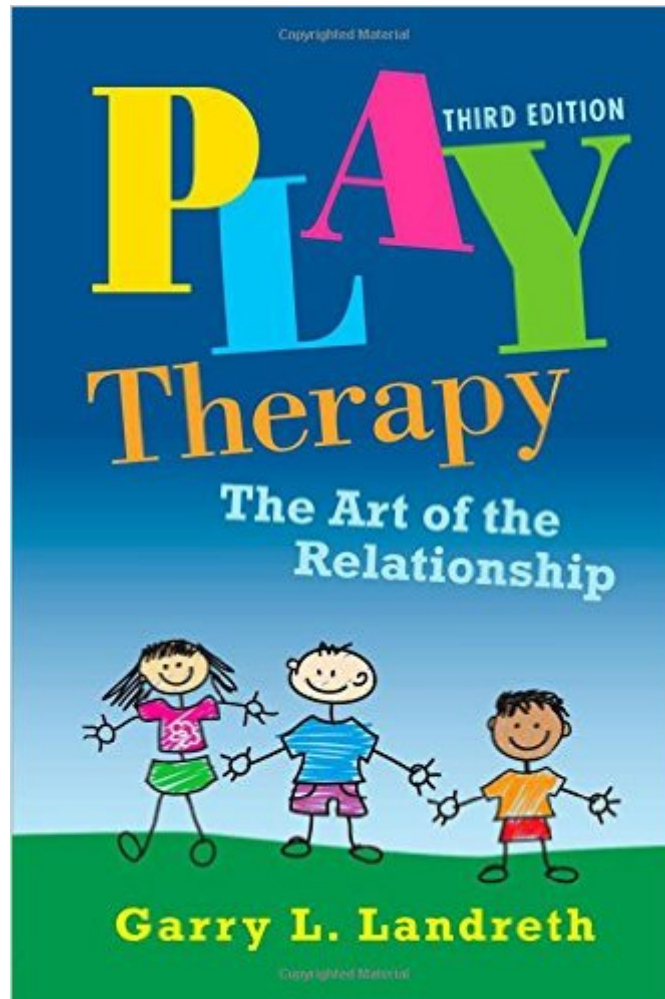


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Play Therapy: The Art of the Relationship is the newest incarnation of Garry Landreth's comprehensive text on creating therapeutic relationships with children through play. It details the Child-Centered Play Therapy model, which stresses the importance of understanding the child's world and perspective. This approach facilitates the play therapy process while allowing therapist and client to fully connect. Professors who have taught a course based on the previous edition will be pleased to find the core message intact, but updated with a significant body of recent research. Expanded to cover additional topics of interest, the new edition includes: a full chapter on current research in play therapy new sections on supervising play therapists, legal and ethical issues and multicultural concerns 30 new photographs that show the author demonstrating techniques in-session practical tips for working with parents instructions on play room set-up and materials online instructor resources. The Third Edition will feel both familiar and fresh to educators and trainers who have relied on Landreth's text for years. The guidelines, transcripts, and case examples offered help therapists govern sensitive issues at every stage of the therapeutic process, from the first meeting to the end of the relationship.

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I read this book for an intro to play therapy course I took. It was a great introduction to the field. It is clear that Landreth has lots of experience and is passionate about play therapy. He did a great job

informing me, a new counselor, how to use play therapy effectively and tips for some of the more common problems in the play room. I gave it four stars, instead of 5, because at times it felt really repetitive.

I love the use of the simplified yet descriptive language. I needed this book for a play therapy course, and it has opened up my mind to an assortment of wonder, insight, and information. While reading, I could feel the author's passion for children and play therapy. I found the ENTIRE book to be useful. I like that it is written from a humanistic, child-centered orientation. I think that this book, along with Virginia M. Axline's 1947 "Play Therapy", are essentials to any person that is trying to learn the basics of play therapy.

If you work with young children, or with adolescents who are not good at talk therapy...this book helps you understand how play reaches children. You can't help a child or adolescent heal if you can't build relationship.

Great book, essential for anyone working with children. Bought this book after a friend told me that his supervisor recommended it and it transformed the way I work with children. This book is amazingly easy to read while providing a wealth of information.

Good introduction to play therapy. Anyone who is interested in play therapy should utilize this book to provide a solid foundation.

This book is very good! For some who work with children is good guidebook for approach to every child. Autor is very successful in his work and in teaching other therapist. Vocabulary is very simple and it is easy to understand for beginners!

Landreth is the king of child-centered play therapy. He takes Rogers' basic theories and translates them into the language of play therapy. His writing is reader-friendly, easy to understand, and held my interest.

This book omits the jargon and drudge of a standard text book and presents each section in an easy to read and enjoyable format. A great book for the beginner in non-directive child centered play therapy. It covers every aspect that a professional starting out needs to know and gives guidance to

the many difficult situations that may arise.

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