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Practical Work and How It Relates to Imitation & Discipline:

An Early Childhood Workshop

with Stephen Spitalny

at Highland Hall Waldorf School December 12, 2015 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

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There is a direct relationship between the practical work of the adult and self-discipline in the child. Look to self-discipline of the adult before considering the question of discipline in the young child. The more meaningful and necessary work the adult engages in, the more the child's own will develops both in terms of capacities for engaging his or her will and actual skill development. Since imitation is the mode of learning in the young child, a central role of the adult is to become worthy of that imitation.



Early childhood consultant and writer Stephen Spitalny offers inspiring lectures, workshops and mentoring to teachers and parents around the world. Steve was a kindergarten teacher at the Santa Cruz Waldorf School for 24 years. To learn more about Stephen, please visit his website chamakanda.com or follow his blog at chamakanda.blogspot.com.