

Bangkok Patana School

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"Behaviour as Communication: Understanding the Messy Complexity of Childhood"

A Workshop for Parents - 8:00 am -9:00 am Q&A Session - 9:00am - 9:30am Wednesday, October 22nd, 2025 (Theatre)

Dear Parents,

International Education Consultant, and architect of what he calls **The Mona Lisa Effect®**, Matthew Savage will be working with teachers at Bangkok Patana School from 22-23 October 2024. During his visit, he will be offering a Parent Workshop on **Wednesday 22nd of October**, in the Theatre at 8am, entitled **"Behaviour as Communication: Understanding the Messy Complexity of Childhood"**

This insightful and interactive workshop designed for primary school parents explores how children's behaviour often communicates more than words - and how we, as adults, can learn to interpret what is silently or invisibly being expressed.

Through a blend of practical content and engaging activities, parents will be invited to reflect on:

- The contrast between the ordered expectations we often hold and the rich, messy reality of childhood and adolescence.
- How to tune into the actual frequencies at which our children are trying to communicate with us.
- The concept of "Antidata"—the relational wealth we uncover when we look between the lines.

This workshop is not about offering expert advice, but about creating a space for shared understanding, curiosity, and connection.

We look forward to welcoming you on **Wednesday 22nd of October** for this workshop.

Please complete the Microsoft Form below to indicate your attendance at this workshop:

>> Parent Workshop Sign Up <<

Kind regards,

David Walton

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