

Let's Talk About Education

How to Work with Children in MakerSpaces



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Date & Time: Wednesday, February 13, 2019, 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. **Location:** MakerSpace, Central Public Library (2nd Floor)

Validated parking available at Citi Plaza

Audience: Parents, teachers, youth workers, and kids

RSVPs not required, but appreciated: www.edu.uwo.ca/research/letstalkeduc.html



Would you like to know more about how to work with children and youth in MakerSpaces to help them learn through doing and learn about different ways of Making including computational MakerEd? Then this workshop is for you! The evening will begin with short, TED-style talks from educators sharing their perspectives on Maker education, followed by several mini-Maker sessions using robots, micro-controllers, screen devices, invention kits, and other items, and finishing with an interactive Q&A session. Participants are encouraged to bring their own devices with a USB port (phone, tablet or laptop), an artefact of a making process or product such as designs, STEM toys, a piece of clothing, or a household item, and/or a picture of a Maker object.



