DR. SUZANNE SIMPSON

Keynote Speaker | Pro D Facilitator

Complex students
Overwhelmed staff
Real solutions

Finding leadership in classrooms that have never felt harder.

When staff do everything they were trained to do and it's still not enough, students disengage and staff burn out... But when educators understand youth perspective, behaviour improves, classrooms calm down, and teaching becomes what it was meant to be.

These sessions give every adult in your building classroom strategies to use right away.

KEYNOTE SAMPLE

Taking Back the Classroom: Finding Empowerment in Today's World

Classrooms don't feel like they used to. Disruptive behaviour that was once rare now feels constant. Based on what teens in crisis said they needed most, this keynote gives adults the confidence to lead again.

You will leave with:

- Permission to hold the line without over-explaining
- Confidence to navigate difficult moments without escalating
- A clear, unified stance on screen use and boundaries

PRESENTATION SAMPLE

6 Ways to Reduce School Chaos... and Actually Enjoy Teaching Again

Most behaviour problems aren't a discipline issue; they're a connection issue. Drawing on youth research, this workshop offers tangible ways to lower conflict and respond with certainty.

You will leave with:

- Six connection strategies grounded in real youth voices
- Practical tools to respond to behaviour as communication
- A framework for the relational safety that supports discipline

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Dr. Suzanne Simpson is an educator, researcher, and host of *Get on Their Turf* podcast. She has taught in diverse settings, from French Immersion classrooms to inpatient psychiatric care. Her sessions translate doctoral research with youth into evidence-based tools every educator can use.

Book Suzanne for your next keynote or Pro D

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DR. SUZANNE SIMPSON: GET ON THEIR TURF

WHAT EDUCATORS ARE SAYING

> *"A deeply transformative experience. The blend of research and real-world application made it one of the most valuable professional development experiences I've had."*
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> ***— Jen L, North Vancouver***

> *"[Suzanne] is thoughtful, professional and engaging. We look forward to having her return to share more with our teams."*
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> ***— Leanne M, Richmond***

> *"A realistic, pragmatic, and humorous approach to some very difficult content."*
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> ***— Lara W, Vancouver***

> *"Dr. Simpson... shares concrete strategies to address students' social and emotional needs, while helping educators take care of themselves too."*
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> ***— Sarah C, West Vancouver***

COMING SOON: DEBUT BOOK

THE THREE QUESTION SHIFT:

End Power Struggles and Build Connection with the Teenager in Front of You

AVAILABILITY

Based in BC, Canada | Available to travel worldwide

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DR. SUZANNE SIMPSON: FEES AND BOOKING

> Planning Pro-D for a single school? Let's talk. I work with school budgets.

SPEAKING FEES

Keynote	District and association events, up to 90 minutes	**from $2,500**
Half day		**from $2,000**
Full day		**from $3,000**
Online session	90+ minutes	**from $750**
Evening parent presentation		**from $1,500**

TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION

Within a 90-minute drive of Vancouver	**no charge**
Driving time over 90 minutes	**from $200**
Events requiring a flight	**from $1,000**

Booking with a nearby school or district? Travel costs can be shared.

FREE CONSULTATION

Not sure what fits your staff? Book a free 30-minute exploratory call.
We'll talk through your goals and your budget, with no obligation to book.

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