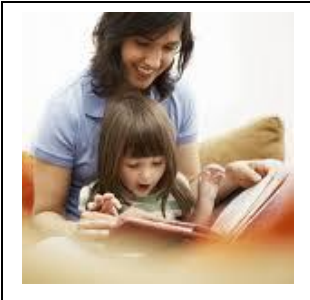


**Montana Association for Gifted and Talented Education  
(AGATE) and the Montana Office of Public Instruction (OPI)  
present:**

## **2010 Parent Institute: Parenting High-ability Children**



**Date:** June 12 & 13, 2010 (Saturday and Sunday)  
**Time:** 10:00 AM - 8:30 PM, 8:00AM-3:00PM  
**Who:** Parents, grandparents and caregivers of high-ability/high-achieving children  
**What:** Workshop on parenting gifted children  
**Where:** Great Northern Best Western Hotel  
835 Great Northern Boulevard  
Helena, MT 59601

**Price:** \$35 per person (includes AGATE membership, materials, food and one night of shared lodging, \$10 if you are already an AGATE member)

### *Space is limited to first 50 registrants*

- Noted authors Tamara Fisher and Karen Isaacson will facilitate the weekend
- Books, games, and more for purchase from invited vendors
- Networking with other parents of gifted and high-ability children
- Handouts, books, and other resources
- Gain advocacy advice and legislative insights
- Participate in question/answer session with a panel of gifted students

*A limited number of travel scholarships are available through AGATE!*  
For info, contact Holly Shupert at [hshupert@yahoo.com](mailto:hshupert@yahoo.com) or visit [www.mtagate.org](http://www.mtagate.org)

**Contact Deb Poole**, Gifted and Talented Specialist, Montana Office of Public Instruction  
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"The surest path to positive self-esteem is to succeed at something which one perceived would be difficult. Each time we steal a student's struggle, we steal the opportunity for them to build self-confidence. They must learn to do hard things to feel good about themselves." ~ Sylvia Rimm ~

"All of us do not have equal talent, but all of us should have an equal opportunity to develop our talent." ~ John F. Kennedy ~

"I asked Mom if I was a gifted child. She said they certainly wouldn't have PAID for me."  
~ Calvin (Calvin & Hobbes) ~