**Child Whisperer Outline: 2 hour training**

**Venue- Lifespan theater??? Larger training?? Or Eastern?? Lakeland?? EIASE a church??**

**Ethology** (from [Greek](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Greek_language): [ἦθος](http://en.wiktionary.org/wiki/%E1%BC%A6%CE%B8%CE%BF%CF%82), *ethos*, "character"; and [-λογία](http://en.wiktionary.org/wiki/-%CE%BB%CE%BF%CE%B3%CE%AF%CE%B1), [*-logia*](http://en.wiktionary.org/wiki/-logia), "the study of") is the [scientific study](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Scientific_method) of animal behavior, and a sub-topic of [zoology](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zoology).

**Horse Whisperer: Wikepedia, Natural horsemanship** is the philosophy of working with [horses](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Horse) by appealing to their instincts and [herd](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Herd) instincts. It involves communication techniques derived from wild horse observation in order to build a partnership that closely resembles the relationships that exist between horses.[[1]](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Horse_whisperer#cite_note-KinseyDenison-0)

Whisperer: a vox parva..unvoiced..wikepedia

**OPERANTCONDITIONING**

* **Positive Reinforcement**: The behavior tends to increase by what we are or are not doing. It is either more frequent or maintained.
* **Positive Punishment**: adding something bad or aversive which decreases behavior.
* **Negative Reinforcer**: Taking away something desirable to increase behavior.
* **Negative Punishment**: Taking away something bad or aversive aversive to reduce behavior.
* **Positive reinforcement**: the adding of an appetitive stimulus to increase a certain behavior or response.
Example: Father gives candy to his daughter when she picks up her toys. If the frequency of picking up the toys increases or stays the same, the candy is a positive reinforcer.
* **Positive punishment**: the adding of an aversive stimulus to decrease a certain behavior or response.
Example: Mother yells at a child when running into the street. If the child stops running into the street the yelling is positive punishment.
* **Negative reinforcement:** the taking away of an aversive stimulus to increase certain behavior or response.
Example: Turning off distracting music when trying to work. If the work increases when the music is turned off, turning off the music is a negative reinforcer.
* **Negative punishment (omission training)**: the taking away of an appetitive stimulus to decrease a certain behavior.
Example: A teenager comes home an hour after curfew and the parents take away the teen's cell phone for two days. If the frequency of coming home after curfew decreases, the removal of the phone is negative punishment.

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|  | **decreases likelihood of behavior** | **increases likelihood of behavior** |
| **presented** | positive punishment | positive reinforcement |
| **taken away** | negative punishment | negative reinforcement |

**Movies:**

1. Jane Goodall

2. Horse Whisperer

3. Temple Grandin

4. Movie I rented at the video store..horse

**Articles:**

1. Gorillas

**Themes:**

1. Behavioral Similarities

2. Attatchment Similaritities

3. Trauma Similarities