

# RICHARD DANIEL CURTIS

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Author and leading Child Behaviour Expert

## Curriculum Vitae

### Experience

1999-2002 Mental Health Support Worker in in-patient adult and child units

2000-2003 BA (Hons) Primary Education with Qualified Teacher Status, Sheffield Hallam University

2003-2010 Teacher, rising to head of Pupil Referral Unit

2010-2013 Primary Inclusion Adviser for a local authority

2012-13 worked with the Nurture Group Network to produce *The Boxall-Curtis Profile*

2013 Founder of *The Root Of It* - a special needs support and training service

2013-14 MA Education, Edge Hill University - focus on the impact of nurture groups on a child's relationship with their teacher

2014 Publication of *101 Tips for Parents*, *101 More Tips for Parents* and *101 Behaviour Tips for Parents*

2012-16 Author of the Social and Emotional Development Scale (known as *The Curtis Scale*)

2016 Founder of *The Mentoring School* - putting the psychology in mentor training

2016 Publication of *Gratitude in Primary Schools*, *Gratitude in Secondary and Higher Education*, *Boosting Positive Mental Health in Teens* (with Naomi Richards)

2017 Publication of *The Parent's Guide to the Modern World* and *The Young Person's Guide to the Modern World*

2017 Start of PhD Psychology, University of Southampton - focus on social and emotional development of children

### Media experience

#### Publications

Daily Mail, Guardian, Independent, Mirror, Sunday People, 7 Days in Dubai, Daily Echo, Romsey Advertiser, Tesco Living, Mouth of Mums, Mother and Baby, Ozy, Practical Parenting, SEN Magazine, Market Watch, Toddle About, Family Capers

#### Radio

BBC Five Live, LBC, Natural Health Radio, WLRFM, U105, 106.9 SFM, Wave 105, Hope FM, BBC Radio Scotland, BBC Radio Oxford, BBC Radio Kent, BBC West Midlands, BBC Radio Solent

#### Television

Sky News, ITV News, BBC, Newsivity, Special Edition Films

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