Founded in 1837, Erskine Theological Seminary prepares men and women to fulfill the Great Commission through theological higher education that is ecclesial, missional, and confessional (Matthew 28:16-20).

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Play Therapists are licensed mental health professionals or school counselors/psychologists who have earned a Master’s or Doctorate degree in a mental health field or in school counseling/psychology and obtained considerable clinical experiences and supervision. With this certificate, counselors can obtain the necessary credentials in order to apply for their Registered Play Therapist certification.

We do not believe that there is one kind of counseling and psychotherapy that works for everyone and so we work with you to tailor the treatment to meet your unique needs.

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WHY BECOME A REGISTERED PLAY THERAPIST?

“You can discover more about a person in an hour of play than in a year of conversation.” - Plato
What is Play Therapy?

“Play Therapy is based upon the fact that play is the child’s natural medium of self expression. It is an opportunity which is given to the child to ‘play out’ his feelings and problems just as in certain types of adult therapy an individual ‘talks out’ his difficulties.”

-Virginia Axline

The Erskine Christian Counseling Center is proud to add Play Therapy Certificate, to its list of accredited tools for addressing cognitive, behavioral, and emotional challenges. Licensed professionals use play therapeutically to help clients better process their experiences and develop more effective strategies for managing their worlds.

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- CC 570 Practicum in Play Therapy

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