

Sandplay Institute - Frequently Asked Questions

Do I have to attend all weekend seminars?

To secure the cohesiveness of the group we ask that you make a commitment to the program for at least one year. If you submit the documentation that you have completed 18 hours of STA approved introductory coursework, you may be exempt from the first weekend. Each teacher has a different perspective and provides new information, case material and insight. If you are an experienced sandplay therapist and you would like additional training in a specific area, you may enroll in individual modules.

What are the hours and schedule of each weekend?

Each weekend is 16 hours starting Friday at 6 P.M. and ending Sunday at noon.

The exception to this is the Fundamentals seminar weekend in April, which is 18 hours and starts Friday at 3 P.M.

What if I have to cancel? Will my fees be refunded?

The full tuition is due 60 days before the start of each weekend, or October 1 of the year you are attending (if you are paying for the full year). Please see the Cancellation Policy in the STI brochure for additional details.

If there are no certified members where I live, how do I begin my personal process?

Individual hours for process must be arranged by the student. If you need assistance to locate a qualified sandplay therapist/consultant, refer to the STA website for possibilities.

What are my options for receiving case consultation?

Group case consultation may be offered as an option before each seminar. You may also arrange consultation in advance with visiting faculty. Check the STA website for other resources. Many consultants provide online options.

Where can I stay for the weekend?

Participants will be responsible for their own accommodations. Rooms with reasonable rates are available at the location of the seminar. It is possible for these to be shared with other participants.

How do I register?

Class size is limited and early registration is advised. Full year registration or weekend seminar payment is required 60 days before the seminar date. Payments can be made with credit card or check to Sandplay Therapists of America. Print the [registration form](#) and mail the completed form with your check or credit card information to:

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