



# Volunteers of America®

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### Partnerships in Child Care

Providing Child Care Training, Educational Resources,  
Technical Assistance and Coaching

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#### Check out our new look!!

We are always striving to improve and to bring the best opportunities to you! This quarter’s trainings were developed with you in mind! Each training is packed with information and activities that you can use in your classroom right away! Be sure to check out the classes just for infant and toddler teachers!



#### A message from our director:

Dear Partners in Child Care:

Our whole team is excited to be starting a new year with you! We want to congratulate you on all you accomplished in your centers in the learning year we are just closing, and we want to do all we can to support you in achieving your next set of goals for the learning year we are beginning!

Our agency continues to grow, so you will be seeing some new faces joining our team in the coming months. Please introduce yourself when you have occasion to see them, and please don’t hesitate to contact any of us to let us know additional ways we might further and better support you and your centers.

LDE will be continuing the Curriculum Initiative in 2019-20, so contact us if you are interested in purchasing additional high-quality, Tier 1 curricula. Please also note that PICC will be hosting some additional, infant- and literacy-focused trainings in July-September, so be on the lookout for the announcements of those special opportunities, too!

Finally, if you have not done so already, please like out “Volunteers of America Greater Baton Rouge” Facebook page for more news about our community...and have a safe, happy summer!!

Warmest regards,

Karen

# How to Register

## Registration / Cancellations

- Advanced telephone registration is required for all sessions. NO ON-SITE registrations are accepted.
- If for any reason you cannot attend a class you have registered for, please give us a call as soon as possible to cancel so that someone else can benefit from that seat.

## Payment

1. There is no fee for training sessions for providers that accept funding from the Child Care Assistance Program.
2. Participants employed at centers that do not receive CCAP payments must pay \$10.00 per two hours of training.
3. All providers must e-mail or mail in registration form and payment (if applicable) for the registration process to be complete. When we receive your form, you will receive a confirmation notice. If your registration form is not received within 5 days, you will be dropped from the session.

## Training

- Participants must attend the **entire session**. Partial credit is not given.
- **No one is admitted 10 minutes** after the start of a class.
- **Children** are not allowed at training sessions.
- **Identification** may be checked before certificate can be issued.

In the event that a scheduled training session needs to be cancelled, registrants will be notified either by telephone, mail or email.

For additional information, please call our office at (225) 926-8005 between 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM Monday through Friday. After hours, please telephone (225) 926-8005 and leave a detailed message on our voice mail.

Completed registration form for all sessions should be mailed to

Partnerships In Child Care  
 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive  
 Baton Rouge, LA 70815  
 Or e-mailed to: [registration@voagbr.org](mailto:registration@voagbr.org)

Please print information as clearly as possible. It is important to include ALL information requested below.

### Participant # 1

Name: Marvelous Johnson

PICC ID # 11223

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Birth date: 01/01/1988

Last 5 digits of Social Security #

Professional Title: Lead Teacher

Age Group: 3 year olds

Session #	Title	Date	Cost
4421	Interactions Matter	10/1/16	0
4423	Awesome Classrooms	11/3/16	0

# Registration Form

Please print information as clearly as possible. It is important to include ALL information requested below.

Name of Child Care Program: \_\_\_\_\_  Type I  Type II  Type III  Family CC Provider

Center Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Participant # 1

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ PICC ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Last 5 digits of Social Security #

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Professional Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Session #	Title	Date	Cost

## Participant # 2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ PICC ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Last 5 digits of Social Security #

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Professional Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Session #	Title	Date	Cost

## Participant # 3

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ PICC ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Last 5 digits of Social Security #

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Professional Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Session #	Title	Date	Cost

## YOUR Partnerships in Child Care Team

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### Here are some things to remember when preparing for training:

- ✓ **Punctuality** is important. Arrive early to the training site and make arrangements to stay through the entire session. Participants who arrive late or leave before the session is over will not be issued a certificate and no credit will be given.
- ✓ **Prepare** to participate! A great deal of preparation goes into each training session. Trainers want your full participation. Select sessions that interest you so that you will have a positive experience.
- ✓ **Plan** ahead. Know the title of the session you are attending and be sure of the location. This information is listed on the confirmation sheet that you receive after making your payment. If you are unsure of the location, give us a call, we can help you with that.
- ✓ **Professional** attitude precedes you! Remember when attending a workshop, you represent your business or the center that you are employed with. Displaying the same positive behavior that we try to convey to young children is very important. Keep it professional!

**Partnerships in Child Care** is committed to providing quality services for you and your staff. Together we can have continued success in the area of early care and education! Remember, the children in your care deserve knowledgeable, responsible caregivers – the very best!

## Training Locations

<b>Bright Beginnings CDC</b> 20000 Old Scenic Highway Zachary, LA 70791	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>Poplar Grove Daycare</b> 2303 Court Street Port Allen, LA 70767	<b>Tangipahoa Parish School System Technology Center</b> 795 South Morrison Blvd. Hammond, LA 70403	<b>Volunteers of America Wooddale Office</b> 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
<b>Wonder Kids Academy</b> 38050 Post Office Rd. Prairieville, La. 70769		<b>Your center's name could be here!!</b> Just give me a call and we can bring training to your site!

# Region 2

East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, West Baton Rouge, West Feliciana

## July

You may register for July sessions now. Each participant can register for a maximum of 6 clock hours each month.  
Each center can register a maximum of 5 participants per session.

Session #	Date & Time	Session Title	Class Information	Location
5449	July 11, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm	Tummy Time	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Infant Teachers	Kidz Karousel Academy – Main 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
5450	July 13, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Growing Professionally in Early Childhood Education	Trainer: Dayvetta Ferchaud CDA Area: 6 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Other Audience: All Staff	Volunteers of America Wooddale Office 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
5452	July 13, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Researching and Collecting Data Composing Competency Statements (Class I)	Trainer: Kendra Barnes CDA Area: 5 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Other Audience: CDA Candidates	Volunteers of America Wooddale Office 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
5454	July 16, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm	Curriculum 101: Frog Street – Toddler	Trainer: Brandi Cunningham-Crowell CDA Area: 5 Training Hours: 2 Related to: Curriculum Audience: Toddler Teachers using Frog Street	Partnerships In Child Care 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
5455	July 18, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm	Document this, Document that – Support for TS Gold	Trainer: Kendra Barnes CDA Area: 7 Training Hours: 2 Related to: TS GOLD Audience: All Staff	Partnerships In Child Care 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
5456	July 18, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm	Playing is Learning	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 2 Related to: ELDS Audience: Preschool Teachers	Kidz Karousel Academy – Main 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
5457	July 20, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Toddlerish: A Closer Look at Behavior Guidance	Trainer: Desiree Collins CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: Toddler Teachers	Volunteers of America Wooddale Office 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
5459	July 25, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm	Understanding Quality of Feedback	Trainer: Desiree Collins CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	Kidz Karousel Academy – Main 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
5460	July 25, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm	Care for the Caregiver: Managing Stress and Avoiding Burnout	Trainer: Effie Toliver CDA Area: 6 Training Hours: 2 Related to: Other Audience: All Staff	Partnerships In Child Care 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815

<b>5461</b>	<b>July 27, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Growth and Development: The More You Know, the More You Help Children Grow</b>	Trainer: Dayvetta Ferchaud CDA Area: 8 Training Hours: 4 Related to: ELDS Audience: All Staff	<b>Volunteers of America Wooddale Office</b> 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
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# August

You may register for August sessions beginning July 17, 2019. Each participant can register for a maximum of 6 clock hours each month.  
Each center can register a maximum of 5 participants per session.

<b>Session #</b>	<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Session Title</b>	<b>Class Information</b>	<b>Location</b>
<b>5463</b>	<b>August 1, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Hands on Excitement: Teaching without a “Learning Wall”</b>	Trainer: Brandi Cunningham-Crowell CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
<b>5464</b>	<b>August 8, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Introduction to the Louisiana Early Learning and Development Standards</b>	Trainer: Kendra Barnes CDA Area: 5 Training Hours: 2 Related to: ELDS Audience: All Staff	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
<b>5465</b>	<b>August 8, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Giving Effective Feedback</b>	Trainer: Marian McGruder CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5466</b>	<b>August 15, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Preschoolish Behavior: Is this Normal?</b>	Trainer: Desiree Collins CDA Area: 2, 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
<b>5467</b>	<b>August 15, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Breaking the Cycle of Reacting- Positive Discipline that Works!</b>	Trainer: Marian McGruder CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: ELDS Audience: All Staff	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5468</b>	<b>August 17, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Planning for Emergency</b>	Trainer: Brandi Cunningham-Crowell CDA Area: 1 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Emerg Prep Audience: All Staff	<b>Volunteers of America Wooddale Office</b> 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
<b>5470</b>	<b>August 17, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Research and Collecting Data Composing Competency Statements (Class II)</b>	Trainer: Kendra Barnes CDA Area: 6 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Other Audience: CDA Candidates	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5472</b>	<b>August 17, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Emergency Preparedness for Child Care Centers</b>	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 1 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Emerg Prep Audience: All Staff	<b>Poplar Grove Daycare</b> 2303 Court Street Port Allen, LA 70767
<b>5474</b>	<b>August 20, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>This is My Business – Improving Staff Performance</b>	Trainer: Effie Toliver CDA Area: ADM 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: Other Audience: Directors/Administrators	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5475</b>	<b>August 22, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Preschoolish Behavior: Taking a look at Behavior Expectations</b>	Trainer: Desiree Collins CDA Area: 2, 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802

<b>5476</b>	<b>August 22, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>More than GooGoo GahGah!</b>	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Infant/Toddler Teachers	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5477</b>	<b>August 24, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Child Development Matters!</b>	Trainer: Brandi Cunningham-Crowell CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Bright Beginnings CDC</b> 20000 Old Scenic Highway Zachary, LA 70791
<b>5479</b>	<b>August 27, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Making Connections with CLASS</b>	Trainer: Mary Sue Slack CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5480</b>	<b>August 29, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Preschoolish Behavior: Being Proactive and Using Redirection</b>	Trainer: Desiree Collins CDA Area: 2, 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802

## September

You may register for August sessions beginning August 19, 2019. Each participant can register for a maximum of 6 clock hours each month.  
Each center can register a maximum of 5 participants per session.

<b>Session #</b>	<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Session Title</b>	<b>Class Information</b>	<b>Location</b>
<b>5481</b>	<b>September 5, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>This is My Business – Hiring &amp; Keeping the Best Employees</b>	Trainer: Effie Toliver CDA Area: ADM 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: Other Audience: Directors/Administrators	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5482</b>	<b>September 10 &amp; 12, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Engaging Young Children in Conversations</b>	Trainer: Marian McGruder CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: All Staff	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5484</b>	<b>September 12, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>All About Me: Family Diversities</b>	Trainer: Kendra Barnes CDA Area: 4 Training Hours: 2 Related to: ELDS Audience: All Staff	<b>Kidz Karousel Academy – Main</b> 1020 Main Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802
<b>5485</b>	<b>September 14 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Let’s Examine Behavior Guidance</b>	Trainer: Desiree Collins CDA Area: 2, 3 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Volunteers of America Wooddale Office</b> 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806
<b>5487</b>	<b>September 19, 2019 6:30pm – 8:30pm</b>	<b>Talk to me Baby!!</b>	Trainer: Brandi Cunningham-Crowell CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Infant Teachers	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5488</b>	<b>September 21, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm</b>	<b>Observing Young Children: Do You See What I See?</b>	Trainer: Dayvetta Ferchaud CDA Area: 7 Training Hours: 4 Related to: TS GOLD Audience: All Staff	<b>Volunteers of America Wooddale Office</b> 2124 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806

<b>5490</b>	<b>September 21, 2019</b> 8:30am – 1:30pm	<b>They Cry and Won't Settle Down</b>	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: Infant Teachers	<b>Poplar Grove Daycare</b> 2303 Court Street Port Allen, LA 70767
<b>5492</b>	<b>September 24, 2019</b> 6:30pm – 8:30pm	<b>Hugs, Hitting, Conflicts, Sharing: How To Support Emotional Development in Young Children</b>	Trainer: Mary Sue Slack CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 2 Related to: CLASS Audience: Preschool Teachers	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5493</b>	<b>September 26, 2019</b> 6:30pm – 8:30pm	<b>This is My Business – Working with Families</b>	Trainer: Effie Toliver CDA Area: ADM 5 Training Hours: 2 Related to: Other Audience: Directors/Administrators	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815
<b>5494</b>	<b>September 28, 2019</b> 8:30am – 1:30pm	<b>The Professional Portfolio</b>	Trainer: Kendra Barnes CDA Area: 6 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Other Audience: CDA Candidates	<b>Partnerships In Child Care</b> 1933 Carolyn Sue Drive Baton Rouge, LA 70815

## Toddler Talk!

### 10 Ways to Promote Language and Communication Skills of Infants and Toddlers

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>1. Get Chatty</b>	Engaging in conversations with children
<b>2. Be a Commentator</b>	Giving descriptions of objects, activities or events
<b>3. Mix It Up</b>	Using different types of words
<b>4. Label It</b>	Providing children with the names of objects or actions
<b>5. Tune In</b>	Engaging in activities or objects that interest children
<b>6. Read Interactively</b>	Using books to engage children's participation
<b>7. Read It Again &amp; Again &amp; Again!</b>	Reading books multiple times
<b>8. Props, Please!</b>	Introducing objects that spark conversations
<b>9. Make Music</b>	Engaging in musical activities
<b>10. Sign It</b>	Using gestures or simple signs

Available at: <http://mtbt.fpg.unc.edu/>



# Region 3

Livingston, St. Helena, Tangipahoa

Session #	Date & Time	Session Title	Class Information	Location
5496	July 20, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Let's take a Closer Look at Behavior Guidance	Trainer: Brandi Cunningham-Crowell CDA Area: 3 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: All Staff	TBA
5498	August 24, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Pat it! Roll it! Create it!!	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: All Staff	Tangipahoa Parish School System Technology Center 795 South Morrison Blvd. Hammond, LA 70403

# Region 4

Ascension

Session #	Date & Time	Session Title	Class Information	Location
5500	August 17, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Quality Talk, Quality Time: Language Modeling in the Early Childhood Classroom	Trainer: Dayvetta Ferchaud CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 4 Related to: CLASS Audience: All Staff	Wonder Kids Academy 38050 Post Office Rd. Prairieville, La. 70769
5502	September 14, 2019 8:30am – 1:30pm	Literacy Begins with You!	Trainer: Loretta Hall CDA Area: 2 Training Hours: 4 Related to: Other Audience: CDA Candidates	Wonder Kids Academy 38050 Post Office Rd. Prairieville, La. 70769



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## **Training Schedule for July, August and September 2019**

### **Regions 2, 3 and 4**