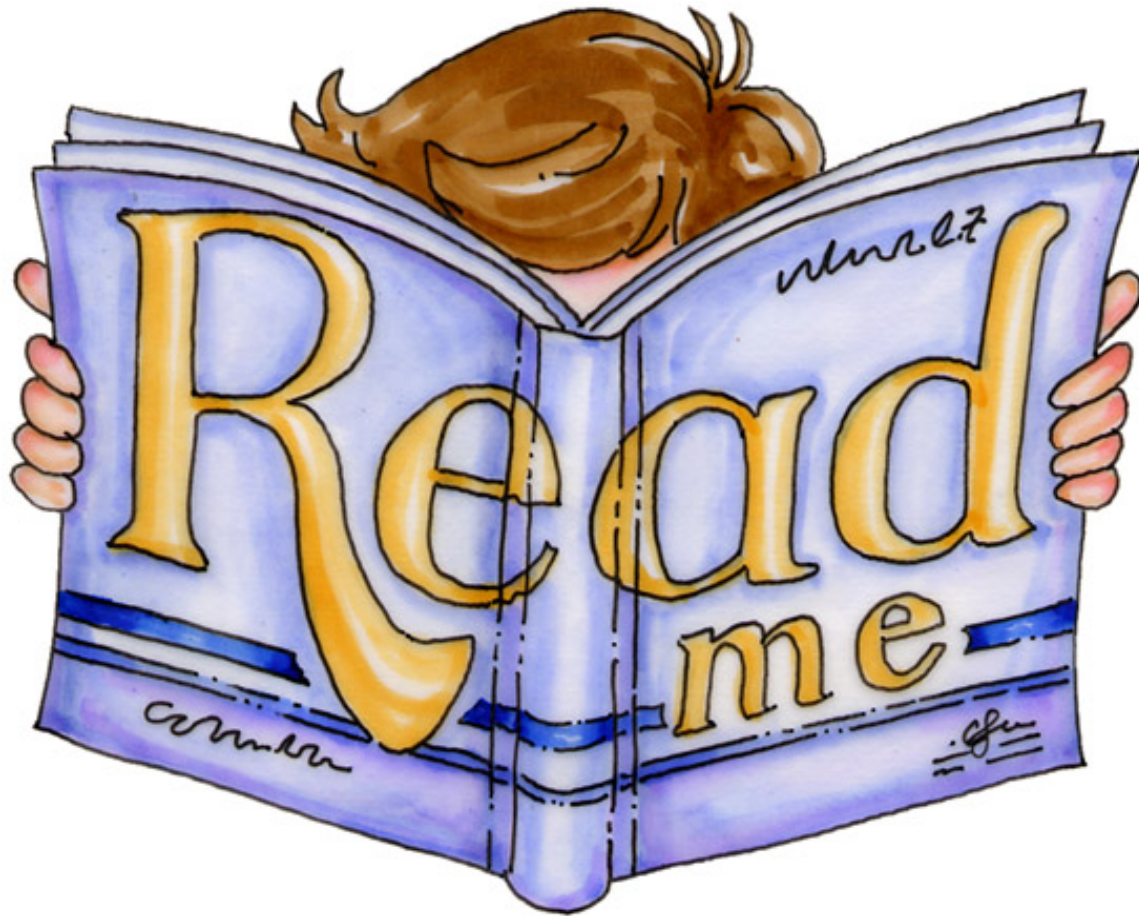




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Virtual Training Flyer
October 2020
Regions 5, 6, 7



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Dear Providers,

As our world has changed, so has the way we will provide trainings. For the time being, we will be offering virtual trainings. In order to participate in these trainings you will need a smart device such as a computer, smartphone, or iPad (tablet) and an internet connection. **If you intend to use a smartphone or tablet, please download the zoom app.** In order to receive your certificate, you must register and login with your first and last name.

As we navigate the new way of doing things, we ask for your patience and understanding. The new registration process steps are outlined below:

- 1. Complete registration form (please ensure that your email address is printed and legible)-Deadline to register for trainings are the Wednesday the week prior to a training.**
2. If slots are available, the director will receive a confirmation letter stating classes and participants names.
3. The director will receive links to register, survey and any handouts for the training.
4. The director will forward the link only to the participants they indicated on the form.
5. The participant will then register and receive a link to attend the training.
6. The director will also receive a link for the evaluation survey and any handouts included for the training. The evaluation survey must be completed after the training by participants.
7. The certificates will be e-mailed to the director within two weeks, except for Health and Safety and Medication. These will be mailed by the trainer to the center.

***Each participant must sign into their own device with the link they are sent after being registered. This is the only way we have a record of the name that goes on the certificate.**

***Please be willing to participate and engage in these trainings.**

***Please have a quiet area designated, so that you can see and hear what the trainer is presenting.**



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October 2, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Tracy Flynn

Improving Quality of Feedback and Language Modeling

Using the CLASS tool this training will discuss effective ways to improve quality of feedback that helps children reach the next level of learning and understanding in the classroom. Participants will discuss and learn developmentally appropriate strategies to promote language and literacy learning.

CDA #2 3 6
Session# 6408

October 3, 2020

8:30 AM-10-30 AM

Jacqueline Richard

Emergency Preparedness

With hurricane season quickly approaching come and learn how to best prepare children and families for a disaster.

CDA Area: 1
Session# 6409

October 3, 2020

10:30 AM-12:30 PM

Jacqueline Richard

Helping Children Rebound in Crisis

Once disaster strikes who do we help the children? Come learn strategies to help children cope in a crisis.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8
Session# 6410



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October 3, 2020

12:30 PM-2:30 PM

Jacqueline Richard

Finding Questions Worth Asking

Our world demands that children be critical thinkers and creative problem solvers. This training supports teachers in recognizing the difference between “teaching to learn” and “teaching to think.” After engaging in this learning experience, learners will be prepared to ask questions and guide conversations that encourage children’s introspection and deep thought.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8
Session# 6411

October 5, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Shaunda Guidroz

Establishing Effective Learning Centers

Arranging your classroom in a way that creates an effective learning environment is the first step towards engaging your students.

CDA Area: 3,7,8
Session# 6412

October 7, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Dana Comeaux

Let's Play it Safe

Learn techniques and strategies to make your classroom and playground a safe place for the children.

CDA Area: 1
Session# 6413

October 8, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Tracy Flynn

Key Training Module-1A-Connecting the Pieces:

Using Standards with Infants and toddlers-This training will provide a foundational understanding of Early Childhood Development and Learning in accordance to the Louisiana Early Learning and Development Standards.

CDA # 2 3 8
Session# 6414



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October 12, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Shaunda Guidroz

Communication in the Classroom

Enhance your use of rich, authentic conversation with children in all areas of the classroom.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session# 6415

October 13, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Jacqueline Richard

How Do I Relate Professionally?

This training kit is designed to introduce teachers to strategies for relating, communicating, and sharing professionally.

CDA Area: 5, 6

Session# 6416

October 15, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Tracy Flynn

Promoting Social and Emotional Skills in the Classroom

This training participants will learn to define and describe the aspects social emotional development. Identify key social emotional skills that contribute to school readiness. Gain strategies for how to promote social emotional development to build self-esteem in children in today's society.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session# 6417

October 19, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Shaunda Guidroz

Preventing Problems in the Classroom

Learn strategies for building on encouraging positive behavior in the classroom.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session# 6418



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October 20, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Dana Comeaux

Teacher Child Interactions

This training provides strategies that will help teachers to strengthen their interactions with children. This training will take an in depth look at the domains and dimensions of the CLASS instrument and how it relates to prek and Toddler classrooms.

CDA Area: 3,7,8

Session# 6419

October 22, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Tracy Flynn

Ways to Manage an Effective Program During the COVID Crisis

Teacher will learn ways to improve the use observations, documentations and planning that support child development and learning, to ensure an effective operation of the program. This training will help child care providers and parents gain a better understanding of the types of child care that can be offered and received during the COVID-19 pandemic, and the tools and resources available to them to keep our children safe.

CDA #1 5 7

Session# 6420

October 24, 2020

8:30 AM-10:30 AM

Tracy Flynn

Using Assessments to Guide Children's Learning and Development

This Training participants will learn "teaching strategies gold" and the importance of observation-based assessment in promoting children's development and learning, how to conduct effective observations and assessments of children throughout activities and routines within the daily schedule.

CDA# 6 7 8

Session# 6420



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October 24, 2020

10:30 AM- 12:30 PM

Tracy Flynn

Building up Self-Esteem to Support Positive Behaviors

Participants will learn the importance of providing a supportive environment and ways to use effective strategies to promote children's self-regulation and support acceptable behaviors and guidance for children with challenging behaviors.

CDA# 2 3 4
Session# 6422

October 29, 2020

6:00 PM-8:00 PM

Shaunda Guidroz

Maintaining Routines and Transitions

Learn how to keep things rolling in the classroom environment.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8
Session# 6423



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Health and Safety

This training is designed to provide information for Child Care Providers to become knowledgeable in the health and safety of the children they care for. Also, to inform and educate childcare providers and staff with the best practices for health and safety in a childcare setting.

CDA Area: 1

***Please note that participants will receive two registration links for Health and Safety and Medication trainings.**

October 14, 2020	5:30 PM-9:30 PM	Allison Talley	Session # 6424
October 17, 2020	8:30 AM-10:30 AM	Allison Talley	Session # 6426

Medication Administration

This training is designed to provide information for childcare providers to become knowledgeable in medication administration. As well as to inform and educate childcare providers and staff with the best practices for medication administration in a childcare setting.

CDA Area: 1

***Please note that participants will receive two registration links for Health and Safety and Medication trainings.**

October 3, 2020	8:30 AM-12:30 PM	Allison Talley	Session # 6428
October 21, 2020	5:30 PM-9:30 PM	Allison Talley	Session # 6430



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