



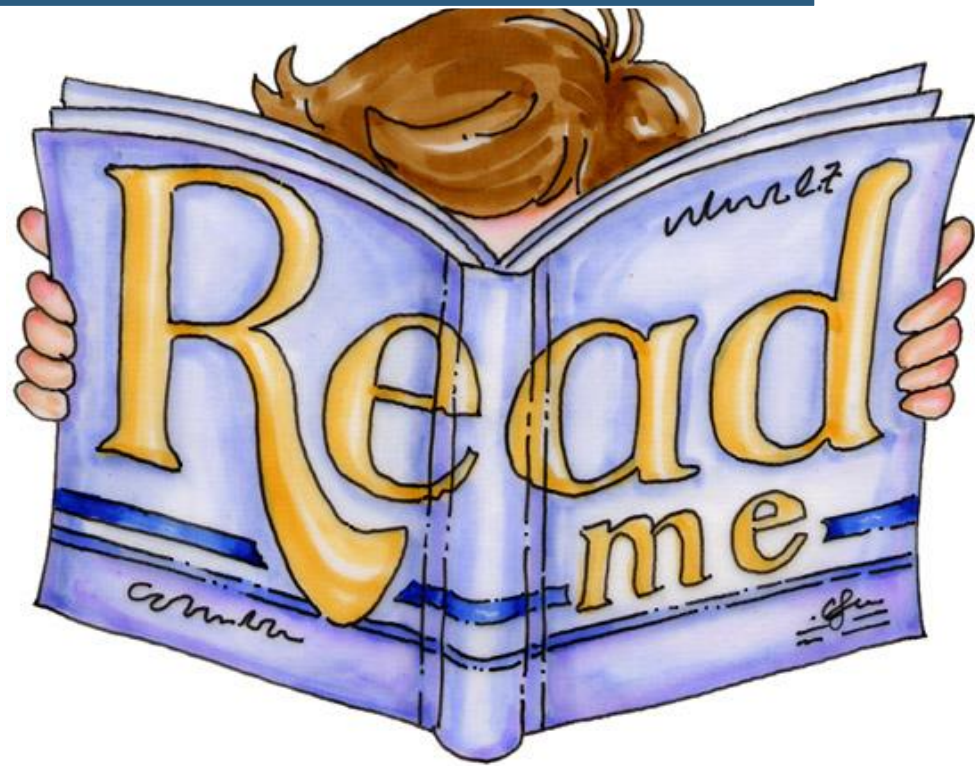
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October, November, December

2017

## Training Catalog



Region 7

# OCTOBER

## OCTOBER 7, 2017

### PLAYDOUGH POWER

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Jacqueline Richard

This simple pre-k staple lets children use their imaginations and strengthen the small muscles in their fingers. Playdough also encourages children's language and literacy, science, and math skills!

CDA Area: 2, 7, 8

Session#5137

### FEEDBACK LOOPS & TOOTSIE POPS

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Jacqueline Richard

They have more in common than you think. How many back and forth exchanges are needed for an effective feedback loop? Come join us to learn the answer.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session#5138

### INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT DURING TRANSITIONS, IS IT POSSIBLE?

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Jacqueline Richard

A great transition is one that is efficient quick, has clear teacher follow through and all the while, the students know what to do and what is expected. Oh! And it must have learning opportunities embedded within. With all that, is it possible to complete a smooth transition and still incorporate Instructional Support? Let's explore the possibilities.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session#5139

## October 21, 2017

### WHAT'S YOUR COLOR

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Angell Floyd

Come find out your personality color and how to effectively communicate with other personalities.

CDA Area: 6

Session#5140

### TAMING TEMPER TANTRUMS

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Angell Floyd

This training will discuss common causes of temper tantrums and skills used to prevent them.

CDA Area:

Session#5141

### LOVE DOESN'T HURT

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Angell Floyd

Learn how to recognize signs of abuse and what to do about it.

CDA Area: 1

Session#5142

# November

November 4, 2017

**BUILDING BRIDGES: CLOSING THE GAP BETWEEN HOME AND SCHOOL**

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM  
 Location: Rapides Parish Library  
 Robertson Branch  
 809 Tioga High School  
 Ball, LA 71405  
 Trainer: Shaunda Guidroz  
 Find ways to engage parents in helping to enhance lesson time.  
 CDA Area: 4  
 Session#5143

**DRAMATIC PLAY AND YOU: MAKING THE MOST OF IT**

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM  
 Location: Rapides Parish Library  
 Robertson Branch  
 809 Tioga High School  
 Ball, LA 71405  
 Trainer: Shaunda Guidroz  
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 Using your dramatic play center to teach important life lessons.  
 CDA Area: 3, 7, 8  
 Session#5144

**READING: IT'S MORE THAN JUST A BOOK**

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM  
 Location: Rapides Parish Library  
 Robertson Branch  
 809 Tioga High School  
 Ball, LA 71405  
 Trainer: Shaunda Guidroz  
 Reading with enthusiasm and to promote learning.  
 CDA Area: 3, 7, 8  
 Session#5145

November 18, 2017

**ACTIVE SUPERVISION**

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM  
 Location: Rapides Parish Library  
 Robertson Branch  
 809 Tioga High School  
 Ball, LA 71405  
 Trainer: Dana Comeaux  
 This training will provide strategies to help teachers implement active supervision techniques both in the classroom and on the playground. They will learn about scan and count and playground zoning.  
 CDA Area: 3  
 Session#5146

**BEING YOUR BEST PROFESSIONAL SELF**

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM  
 Location: Rapides Parish Library  
 Robertson Branch  
 809 Tioga High School  
 Ball, LA 71405  
 Trainer: Dana Comeaux  
 This session will discuss the importance of maintaining a professional attitude. This session will provide strategies to help you portray your best professional self.  
 CDA Area: 6  
 Session#5147

**COLLECTING, ASSESSING, AND RECORDING DATA**

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM  
 Location: Rapides Parish Library  
 Robertson Branch  
 809 Tioga High School  
 Ball, LA 71405  
 Trainer: Dana Comeaux  
 This session will provide strategies for effectively collecting and recording data on children in the Early Childhood setting.  
 CDA Area: 2, 7, 8  
 Session#5148

# December

December 2, 2017

**NA NA NA BOO BOO! BULLYING AND TEASING IN PREK**

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405  
Alexandria, LA 71302

Trainer: Angell Floyd

Let's learn strategies to alleviate bullying and teasing in the classroom.

CDA Area: 3

Session#5149

**UNDERSTANDING CULTURES IN THE CLASSROOM**

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Angell Floyd

This training discusses the importance of incorporating diversity in the classroom.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session#5150

**ACTIVITIES THAT PROMOTE SOCIAL EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Angell Floyd

This training defines social emotional development and its importance in a child's overall success. This session will provide specific activities that will promote social emotional skills.

CDA Area: 3

Session#5151

December 16, 2017

**IMPLEMENTING WHAT WORKS**

Time: 9:30 AM-11:30 AM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Dana Comeaux

This session offers techniques in implementing TS Gold. Learn strategies in collecting accurate data and inputting into the TS Gold system.

CDA Area: 2, 7, 8

Session#5152

**TEACHER CHILD INTERACTIONS**

Time: 12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Dana Comeaux

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 Pre-k and toddler classrooms.

CDA Area: 3, 7, 8

Session#5153

**PROMOTING SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Location: Rapides Parish Library  
Robertson Branch  
809 Tioga High School  
Ball, LA 71405

Trainer: Dana Comeaux

This training takes a look into how the child develops socially and emotionally from birth to five years of age. Once we have an understanding as to what is supposed to take place then we can start to examine our teaching and activities come up with best practices to foster that development.

CDA Area: 3

Session#5154

# Health & Safety and Medication Administration

<h2>Health &amp; Safety</h2>	<p>Trainer: Marci Merchant</p> <p>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 child care providers and staff with the best practices for health and safety in a child care setting.</p> <p>CDA Area: 1</p>	
<p>October 21, 2017 Session # 5155</p>	<p>12 Buckle My Shoe 1058 Hwy 155 Mansura, LA 71350</p>	<p>9:30 AM-12:30 PM</p>

<h2>Medication Administration</h2>	<p>Trainer: Marci Merchant</p> <p>This training is designed to provide information for child care providers to become knowledgeable in medication administration. As well as to inform and educate child care providers and staff with the best practices for medication administration in a child care setting.</p> <p>CDA Area: 1</p>	
<p>October 21, 2017 Session # 5156</p>	<p>12 Buckle My Shoe 1058 Hwy 155 Mansura, LA 71350</p>	<p>1:00 PM-4:00 PM</p>

**Registration/Cancellations:**

- Registration forms must be completed and returned to Volunteers of America PICC-Acadiana.
- Registrations may be mailed, faxed, or emailed.
- Classes close on the Tuesday before the training at 12:00 p.m., no registrations will be accepted after this time.
- If for any reason you cannot attend a class you have registered for, please give us a call as soon as possible.

**Payment:**

- There is no fee for training sessions for providers that accept funding from the Child Care Assistance Program.
- Participants employed at centers that do not receive CCAP payments and Class B child care centers, must pay \$10.00 per three hours of training.
- All providers must email or mail in registration form 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 3 days, you will be dropped from the session.

**Training:**

- Participants must attend the entire session.
- No one admitted 15 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 or email.**

**For additional information, please call our office at (337) 704-2838 between 8:00 AM-4:30 PM Monday through Friday.**

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**Partnerships in Child Care-Acadiana**

**Applicant Information**

**Name of Child Care Program:**

**Cell Phone:**

**E-Mail Address:**

**Mailing address:**

**City:**

**State:**

**ZIP Code:**

**\*\*\*\*It is imperative that we have at least a cell phone number for the director of the center in case of training cancellations.**

**Contact Person:**

**\*\*\*\*Please limit each registration to one training session**

**Session Number**

**Training Title**

**Date**

**Participant Names**

**Participant Cell phone number**

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