



2014-2015 Contra Costa County Professional Development Program



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TRAINING CALENDAR**

TRAINING HOST AND HOURS	TOPIC	DATE & TIME	LOCATION	REGISTRATION AND COST
UC Davis 5 hrs	<p>Partnering with Parents Parent Engagement Focus</p> <p>Working effectively with parents is at the heart of quality child care, yet there are many challenges in developing this relationship. A variety of issues, ranging from money, to values about child rearing, to what makes a good snack, have the potential for conflict. This workshop is an opportunity to learn skills that maximize your ability to establish healthy communication and trust with parents.</p> <p>Topics include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active listening • Parent involvement in your program • Addressing parents' feelings • Conflict resolution 	<p>SEPTEMBER 27, 2014 SATURDAY</p> <p>9:00 AM – 2:30 PM</p> <p>Remember to bring your own lunch.</p>	<p>Contra Costa Child Care Council The Learning Institute</p> <p>1035 Detroit Ave, Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>Learning Institute Registration</p> <p>Online: http://cocokids.org/contra-costa-child-care-council-events/</p> <p>By phone: 925-676-5442 ext. 3105</p> <p>By email: workshopregistration@cocokids.org</p>
Program for Infant/Toddler Care (PITC) 6 hrs	<p>Infant/Toddler Learning and Development Frameworks Seminar</p> <p>WestEd - PITC Partners for Quality</p> <p>**Training will be presented in <u>ENGLISH</u>**</p> <p><u>CANCELED</u></p>	<p>OCTOBER 11, 2014 SATURDAY</p> <p>8:30 AM Registration</p> <p>9:00 AM – 4:00 PM</p> <p>Includes continental breakfast and light lunch</p>	<p>First 5 Contra Costa</p> <p>1485 Civic Court, Suite 1200 Concord, CA 94520</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://englishinfanttoddler2014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$25 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u> October 7, 2014</p>

UPDATED 10.10.14 – TRAINING INFORMATION MAY BE SUBJECT TO FURTHER CHANGES



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<p>Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP) WestEd</p> <p>6 hrs.</p>	<p>Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP) 2015 Assessment Instrument:</p> <p><i>Infant/Toddler and Preschool</i></p> <p>Gain understanding of the DRDP tool and how to use it.</p>	<p>OCTOBER 17, 2014 FRIDAY</p> <p>9:00 - 4:00 PM</p> <p>Lunch on your own.</p>	<p>Contra Costa County Schools Insurance Group (CCCSIG)</p> <p>550 Ellinwood Way Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p> <p>*Free parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://www.cvent.com/d/74qdy/1Q</p> <p>Free</p> <p>Space is limited! First come, first served. Questions, call Maria Lazaro at 805-465-4464</p>
<p>UC Davis</p> <p>5 hrs</p>	<p>Supporting Young Bilinguals Language and Literacy Focus</p> <p>Through group discussions, brief lectures and personal stories, the participants in this course will examine their own experiences related to language and become aware of cultural aspects that influence their personal beliefs and actions. Participants will also explore the concept of the whole child to understand language development in a socio-cultural context.</p> <p>Participants will learn about the different ways children become bilingual, the advantages of being bilingual, and the myths and truths related to this topic. They will examine experiences related to bilingual education and develop a foundation for understanding the experiences of children and families in their programs. They will also explore the process of building respectful partnerships between teachers and families with home languages other than English.</p>	<p>OCTOBER 25, 2014 SATURDAY</p> <p>9:00 AM – 2:30 PM</p> <p>Remember to bring your own lunch.</p>	<p>Contra Costa Child Care Council The Learning Institute</p> <p>1035 Detroit Ave, Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>Learning Institute Registration</p> <p>Online: http://cocokids.org/contra-costa-child-care-council-events/</p> <p>By phone: 925-676-5442 ext. 3105</p> <p>By email: workshopregistration@cocokids.org</p>



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<p>Program for Infant/Toddler Care (PITC)</p> <p>6 hrs</p>	<p>Infant/Toddler Learning and Development Frameworks Seminar</p> <p>WestEd - PITC Partners for Quality</p> <p>**Training will be presented in <u>SPANISH</u>**</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 22, 2014</p> <p>SATURDAY</p> <p><i>8:30 AM Registration</i></p> <p>9:00 AM – 4:00 PM</p> <p>Includes continental breakfast and light lunch</p>	<p>First 5 Contra Costa</p> <p>1485 Civic Court, Suite 1200 Concord, CA 94520</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>To register please go to:</p> <p>http://spanishinfanttoddler2014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$25 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u></p> <p>November 18, 2014</p>



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<p>Contra Costa COE, Alameda COE, CPIN, East Bay STEM Network, Mills School of Education</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>Mathematics for Young Children: <u>NUMBER SENSE</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relate appropriate activities for preschool aged children to the Mathematical concepts found in the CA Preschool Learning Foundations and Curriculum Framework. • Describe and demonstrate how to appropriately engage young children in activities that promote children’s development of Math and STEAM/STEM concepts from the Preschool Learning Foundations in Mathematics. • Recognize open ended play materials that offer children opportunity to learn/explore/practice math concepts. • Propose appropriate ways for teachers to take advantage of teachable moments when children are engaged in self-directed play with classroom materials. • Identify steps to implement in their own work as a result of participation in the training. 	<p>DECEMBER 2, 2014 TUESDAY</p> <p><i>5:30 PM Registration & Dinner</i></p> <p>6:00 – 9:00 PM</p>	<p>Connexion at Jack London Park</p> <p>520 Third Street Oakland, CA 94607</p>	<p>FREE</p> <p>Please contact Bruce Simon, Gateways East Bay STEM Network at 510-885-7319 or bruce.simon@csueastbay.edu</p>
<p>Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP) WestEd</p> <p>6 hrs</p>	<p>Meaningful Observations for DRDP 2015</p> <p>Learn strategies for on-going formative classroom assessments using the DRDP with a goal of conducting meaningful observations.</p>	<p>DECEMBER 6, 2014 SATURDAY</p> <p><i>8:30 AM Registration</i></p> <p>9:00 - 4:00 PM</p> <p>Includes continental breakfast and light lunch</p>	<p>First 5 Contra Costa</p> <p>1485 Civic Ct. (Enea Ct.) Ste 1200 Concord, CA 94520</p> <p>*Free parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://meaningfuldrdp2015.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$25 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u> December 2, 2014</p>



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<p>Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP) WestEd</p> <p>6 hrs</p>	<p>Activity Planning in the Preschool Classroom</p> <p>Receive tools, strategies and resources on how to integrate the findings into lesson planning.</p>	<p>DECEMBER 13, 2014</p> <p>SATURDAY</p> <p><i>8:30 AM Registration</i></p> <p>9:00 - 4:00 PM</p> <p>Includes continental breakfast and light lunch</p>	<p>First 5 Contra Costa</p> <p>1485 Civic Ct. (Enea Ct.) Ste 1200 Concord, CA 94520</p> <p>*Free parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://activityplanningdrdp2015.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$25 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u> December 9, 2014</p>
<p>CA Preschool Instructional Network (CPIN)</p> <p>6 hrs</p>	<p>Preschool English Learner Guide – Chapter 8 Extended Module, Recommended Literacy Practices for English Learners</p> <p>THIS TRAINING WILL BE PRESENTED IN SPANISH</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore strategies for promoting English literacy development based on the Preschool English Learner Resource Guide. • Identify the stages of English language acquisition. • Make connections to the CA Preschool English Language Development Foundations. • Receive hands-on materials to use in the preschool classroom. 	<p>JANUARY 10, 2015</p> <p>SATURDAY</p> <p><i>7:30 AM Registration</i></p> <p>8:00 AM - 4:00 PM</p>	<p>Brandman University</p> <p>2950 Buskirk Ave Suite 100 Walnut Creek, CA 94597</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://pelguidechapter82014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$25 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u> JANUARY 6, 2015</p>



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<p>CA Preschool Instructional Network (CPIN)</p> <p>4 hrs</p>	<p>CA Preschool Learning Foundations: Self-Regulation</p> <p><i>Foundations in Social-Emotional Development with a focus on Self-Regulation.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand how cognitive, social, and emotional development are deeply inter-dependent in the early years and play a role in children’s early and lifelong academic achievement. To learn what the Preschool Learning Foundations and Curriculum Framework are and how they fit into California’s Early Learning and Development systems. To discover how to use the Foundations and Framework to enrich learning and development opportunities for all of California’s preschool children. 	<p>JANUARY 10, 2015</p> <p>SATURDAY</p> <p>8:00 AM Registration</p> <p>8:30 AM – 12:30 PM</p>	<p>Brandman University</p> <p>2950 Buskirk Ave Suite 100 Walnut Creek, CA 94597</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://selfregulation2014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$20 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u></p> <p>JANUARY 6, 2015</p>
<p>CA Preschool Instructional Network (CPIN)</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes: CA Preschool Health Foundations and Curriculum Framework, Volume 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the structure and features of the CA Preschool Learning Foundations, Volume 2, Health Domain Discover how to use the CA Preschool Foundations (PLF), and the CA Preschool Curriculum Framework (PCF), to enrich learning and development opportunities in health for all of California’s preschool children. 	<p>JANUARY 15, 2015</p> <p>THURSDAY</p> <p>5:30 PM Registration</p> <p>6:00 – 9:00 PM</p>	<p>CCCOE</p> <p>77 Santa Barbara Rd Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p> <p>*Free parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://healthfoundations2014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$20 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u></p> <p>January 12, 2015</p>



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UC Davis 5 hrs	<p>CSEFEL Module 1 Building Relationships and Creating Supportive Environments, Part 1 of 3 Teaching Pyramid Focus</p> <p>The Pyramid Model identifies ways to support children’s social-emotional development and address challenging behaviors in group care. Module 1 focuses on two key elements of the pyramid: 1) building positive relationships with children, families, and colleagues and 2) designing supportive environments, schedules, and routines. Topics include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to structure transitions • Helping children learn rules and routines • The use of descriptive acknowledgement and encouragement • Planning activities that promote engagement 	<p>FEBRUARY 7, 2015 SATURDAY</p> <p>9:00 AM – 2:30 PM</p> <p>Remember to bring your own lunch.</p>	<p>Contra Costa Child Care Council The Learning Institute</p> <p>1035 Detroit Ave, Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>Learning Institute Registration</p> <p>Online: http://cocokids.org/contracosta-child-care-council-events/</p> <p>By phone: 925-676-5442 ext. 3105</p> <p>By email: workshopregistration@cocokids.org</p>
UC Davis 5 hrs	<p>CSEFEL Module 1 Building Relationships and Creating Supportive Environments, Part 2 of 3 Teaching Pyramid Focus</p> <p><i>See US Davis CSEFEL Module 1, Building Relationships and Creating Supportive Environments, Part 1 of 3 for description.</i></p>	<p>FEBRUARY 21, 2015 SATURDAY</p> <p>9:00 AM – 2:30 PM</p> <p>Remember to bring your own lunch.</p>	<p>Contra Costa Child Care Council The Learning Institute</p> <p>1035 Detroit Ave, Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>Learning Institute Registration</p> <p>Online: http://cocokids.org/contracosta-child-care-council-events/</p> <p>By phone: 925-676-5442 ext. 3105</p> <p>By email: workshopregistration@cocokids.org</p>



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<p>UC Davis</p> <p style="text-align: center;">5 hrs</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">CSEFEL Module 1 Building Relationships and Creating Supportive Environments, <u>Part 3 of 3</u> Teaching Pyramid Focus</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>See US Davis CSEFEL Module 1, Building Relationships and Creating Supportive Environments, Part 1 of 3 for description.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MARCH 7, 2015 SATURDAY</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9:00 AM – 2:30 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Remember to bring your own lunch.</p>	<p>Contra Costa Child Care Council The Learning Institute</p> <p>1035 Detroit Ave, Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p> <p>*Free Parking</p>	<p>Learning Institute Registration</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Online: http://cocokids.org/contracosta-child-care-council-events/</p> <p style="text-align: center;">By phone: 925-676-5442 ext. 3105</p> <p style="text-align: center;">By email: workshopregistration@cocokids.org</p>



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<p>CA Preschool Instructional Network (CPIN)</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>CA Preschool Learning Foundations and Frameworks, Physical Development: <u>Fundamental Movement Skills Module</u> Volume 2</p> <p>Participants will learn about three strands of Fundamental Movement Skills; including Static and Dynamic Balance, Locomotor, and Manipulative skills, along with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The “ABCs” of movement development • How to provide the foundation for building more complex movement • Ways to allow the creation of patterns of coordination 	<p>MARCH 12, 2015 THURSDAY</p> <p>5:30 PM Registration</p> <p>6:00 - 9:00 PM</p>	<p>CCCOE</p> <p>77 Santa Barbara Rd Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p> <p>*Free parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://fundamentalmovement2014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$20 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u> March 9, 2015</p>
<p>CA Preschool Instructional Network (CPIN)</p> <p>3 hrs</p>	<p>CA Preschool Learning Foundations and Frameworks, Physical Development: <u>Active Physical Play</u> Volume 2</p> <p>Participants will learn about three strands of Active Physical Play; including Active Participation, Cardiovascular Endurance, and Muscular Strength, Muscular Endurance and Flexibility, along with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to address the health-related components of physical fitness which is considered one of the most important indicators of physical health and lack of it plays an important role in the development of cardiovascular disease. • Join us as we experience the joy of play as a way to preserve good health! 	<p>MARCH 26, 2015 THURSDAY</p> <p>5:30 PM Registration</p> <p>6:00 - 9:00 PM</p>	<p>CCCOE</p> <p>77 Santa Barbara Rd Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p> <p>*Free parking</p>	<p>To register please go to: http://activephysicalplay2014-15.eventbrite.com</p> <p>Questions: 925-942-5313</p> <p>\$20 REGISTRATION FEE</p> <p><u>Registration Deadline:</u> March 23, 2015</p>



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