

Child Care Training Catalog



March 2010

<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Training Level</u>
3-3	Fort Worth	DLF: Nurturing Caring Attitudes	Basic
3-6	Arlington	Tears & Tantrums Into Learning	Intermediate
3-6	Flower Mound	SUPERvision	Intermediate
3-11	Fort Worth	Walls That Talk	Advanced
3-13	Arlington	Cooking Up A Story	Basic
3-13	Fort Worth	Gamies Babies Play	Basic
3-18	Fort Worth	Individual Care Plans	Advanced
3-20	Dallas	Who Am I & Who Are You?	Basic
3-20	Hurst	Keeping The PEACE	Basic
3-27	Fort Worth	Annual Spring Conference	Basic

April 2010

<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Training Level</u>
4-1	Fort Worth	Environmental Health Hazards	Intermediate
4-6	Fort Worth	DLF: Reducing Staff Turnover	Basic
4-10	Arlington	Music & Movement	Basic
4-10	Fort Worth	Caterpillar Curriculum	Intermediate
4-15	Fort Worth	Problem Solving 101	Basic
4-17	Arlington	Back To Nature	Intermediate
4-17	Fort Worth	Qué Est.án Aprendiendo Los Niños	Basic
4-17	Famers Branch	How About Those Twos!	Basic
4-22	Fort Worth	Rethinking Calendar Time	Advanced
4-24	NRH	Scheduling, Lesson Planning & Routines	Basic
4-24	Fort Worth	Growing Up Wild	Basic

May/June 2010

<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Training Level</u>
5-1	Hurst	Including Children With Special Needs	Basic
5-1	Fort Worth	Hot Tips For A Cool Summer	Basic
5-4	Fort Worth	DLF: Legal Liabilities	Intermediate
5-6	Fort Worth	Conflict In The Workplace	Intermediate
5-8	Arlington	Dealing With Difficult Children	Basic
5-13	Fort Worth	Using Camera For Creative Teaching	Advanced
6-5	Fort Worth	Creative Art: Process Vs. Product	Basic
6-10	Fort Worth	How Rewarding Is Your Classroom?	Advanced
6-17	Fort Worth	Brains & Behavior	Basic
6-26	Fort Worth	Técnicas De Orientación Que Funcionan	Basic

July 2010

<u>Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Training Level</u>
7-1	Fort Worth	SIDS, Shaken Baby, Brain Development	Basic
7-8	Fort Worth	Helping Children Cope With Grief	Advanced
7-15	Fort Worth	Activities for Infants & Toddlers: Day by Day	Basic
7-22	Fort Worth	Science Is Simple	Intermediate
7-29	Fort Worth	Building Vocabulary One Day at A Time	Basic

Receive 5 FREE Spaces for Hosting A Class

We are seeking sites willing to host workshop training events for August and September 2010. Please call Child Care Training Coordinator at 1-888-296-2072 or 817/831-2111.

**No purchase necessary, host facility will receive up to 5 spaces FREE!* We require adult size tables and chairs for 45.



Creative Training Solutions

(817) 831-2111

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Toll Free 1-888-296-2072

earlychildhood@campfirefw.org

Child Care Workshop Registration Information

Things To Know . . . When Signing Up For A Class:

- ◆ The *Child Care Classes* listed in this publication are open to any person, in any county wishing to attend. Just send in your registration form, along with proper payment.
- ◆ **The registration form is located on the last page of the training calendar.** One registration form is needed for each training event. Simply make copies of the form for each event. Advanced registration is encouraged, however, for an additional \$10 per person, you may register at the door (space permitting). Discounts do not apply to on-site registration. *We do not guarantee that registration will be possible on-site, that decision is made on a class-by-class basis. It is best to pre-register to reserve your space. Certificates will be issued to those who have pre-registered for the class, who arrive on time, and who stay until the end.*
- ◆ CEU's are available for many workshops for an additional \$10 per person in cooperation with the University of Texas at Arlington's Division of Continuing Education.
- ◆ Register Early! Classes need a minimum number of participants to avoid cancellation.



◆ We accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express. ***A seat will be reserved for you once your payment is received.*** You may also fax registrations to 817/806-5150 (include credit card info), mail them in with a check, or drop off registrations to Camp Fire USA, Attn: Creative Training Solutions Registrar, 2700 Meacham Blvd Fort Worth, TX 76137, during business hours (M-F, 8:30 am-5:00 pm). After hours use the drop slot located in the door of the main entrance.

- ◆ Registrations are processed on a first-come, first-served basis until the class is full. We recommend that you send in your registration form as soon as possible, as classes fill up quickly.
- ◆ You may provide one check/money order for multiple classes, payable to Camp Fire USA, for all of the training events for which you are registering. We are unable to accept cash.
- ◆ *There is no limit on the number of staff per facility that you send to each training event. Send your entire staff!*
- ◆ Unfortunately, we are unable to send out confirmation notices. If you have questions as to whether your registration has been received, please call 1-888-296-2072 or (817) 831-2111.
- ◆ No refunds will be given, but substitutions are allowed. If you are unable to attend a workshop, you must call our office 24 hours *before* the training event to make credit or substitution arrangements. Credit and substitutions cannot be made after workshops are over. If you miss a class, you forfeit your fees.
- ◆ Inattentive, unruly, and sleeping participants will be dismissed with no refund. Certificates will not be issued to these participants.
- ◆ Please make child care arrangements for your children. Participants with children will be asked to leave. Child care will not be available during our workshops. We support developmentally appropriate practice, and it is unfair and unrealistic to ask children to sit quietly for several hours.
- ◆ We welcome any further questions you may have. Please contact our Child Care Training Coordinator at 1-888-296-2072 or (817) 831-2111. Thanks for attending!

These workshops are made possible in part by support from United Way of Metropolitan Tarrant County and companies that support early care and education that include, Alcon; Bank of America; BNSF Railway Company; City of Arlington; Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce; Jetta Operating Company, Inc.; Jose, Henry, Brantley, MacLean & Alvarado, L.L.P.; JP Morgan Chase Bank; Kaplan Early Learning, Lakeshore Learning Materials; Lockheed Martin Aeronautics; Oncor; Pier 1 Imports; Raytheon; Star-Telegram; Target; The Beck Group; Wachovia/Wells Fargo; Wortham Insurance and Risk Management; and XTO Energy, Inc.



2010 Spring Conference

Saturday, March 27, 2010

Earn 6 Clock Hours

Where

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137

When

9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Early Bird Special

\$50/person by March 8
\$60/person After March 8

Additional Discounts

Do Not Apply

Includes Box Lunch

Pre-registration Required

CEU's \$10 per person

Camp Fire USA, a leader in early child care education and training, is hosting the third annual Spring Conference for Early Childhood Educators. This will be a fun, informative day with 20 breakout sessions on a variety of early childhood (infant–5 years) development topics. **Full conference agenda will be available at CampFireFW.org/CampFire/ChildCareProfessionals by February 19.**

This conference is designed for all early care and education professionals, including child care teachers, family home providers, directors and assistant directors.

Look for your conference brochure in the mail in February. Call Registrar at 817/831-2111 with any questions.

Space is limited, register today!

CEU's will be available for administrators credential certifications. Conference CEU's are not valid for candidates seeking their CDA renewal.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(1) Child Growth & Development; 6 Clock Hours

Director's Leadership Forum

Each class will cover a different topic

Held monthly. Earn up to 22.5 Clock Hours!

Administration, Management & Leadership

2010 Schedule

March 3
April 6
May 4
August 3
September 14
October 5
November 2
December 7

Time

9:00 - 11:30 am

Cost

\$20 per person
\$30 at the door/person
(space permitting)

Earn

2.5 Clock Hours
Or .25 CEUs

Location

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137

March 3 - Nurturing Caring Attitudes Among Adults

by: Lyn Lucas, M.Ed., Lucas Workshops

April 6 - Reducing Staff Turnover

by DeVonna Powell, BS, Camp Fire

May 4—Knowing Your Legal Liabilities

by: Linda Bardales, BA, Educational First Steps

August 3 - A Director's Game Plan:

Strategies for Supervising and Coaching Staff

by: Pam Rinn, M.Ed., Camp Fire

Sept - 14 - Building Optimal Enrollment: Marketing Basics

By: Micheline Farhoud, Eagle Mountain, ISD

October 5 - Don't Agonize: Organize

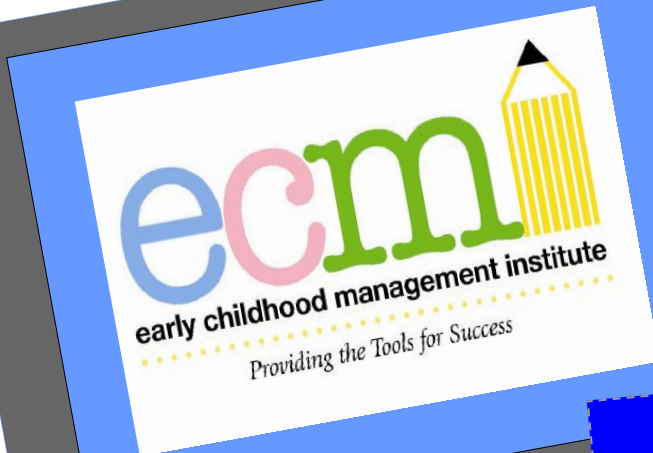
by: Linda Bardales, BA, Educational First Steps

Nov 2 - What Do Teachers Need Most From Their Directors?

by: Barb Reid, M.Ed., Camp Fire

Dec 7 - Teambuilding With a Twist

by: Laura Varnell, M.Ed., The Sunshine Playhouse



Renew Your
Administrator's
Credential!

Effective Business
Strategies

*Is your credential awarded
through another agency? No
problem, convert and renew
with Camp Fire's ECMI.*

If you have an ECMI (or other) Child Care Administrator's Credential and have found it difficult to find training to complete your business hours for renewal for your credential, we have good news for you. On March 16th we will offer an all day course on effective business strategies presented by our experienced ECMI instructors.

The cost for the class is \$50 and you can register for the class by calling Mary Tyler at 817-831-2111 ext. 115.

Earn 10 clock hours of business training by attending a six hour class covering effective business strategies on March 16th, 8:30 AM -3:30 PM and completing a required homework assignment. Class will be held at Camp Fire USA, 2700 Meacham Blvd, Fort Worth, TX 76137.

Take this one day course and you also have the option to renew or convert your current credential with us! Bring a copy of your current credential and copies of your training certificates from the past 3 years.

For more information please contact Barb Reid at 817-831-2111 ext. 113 or email Barb at barb@CampFireFw.org.

Child Care Job Bank

Camp Fire is pleased to be able to host the North Texas Child Care Job Bank on our website. Visit our website to check out current job listings.

We can post your job openings FREE.
Send your ad to: JobBank@CampFireFW.org

Professional Development - Directors Credentialing Program



Administrator's Credential

A program designed for the new or experienced child-care director interested in acquiring or enhancing management skills. Upon completion of this exciting 6 day, 50-hour program, persons are eligible to receive the child-care *administrator's credential* which is recognized by DFPS.

Program Fee - \$525*

Pre-registration required

For More Information and Registration Materials

Call Barb Reid

at 1-888-296-2072 or
(817) 831-2111, ext. 113

-or-

visit our website to download materials:

CampFireFW.org

*All classes meet from
8:30 am – 5:30 pm
(one hour lunch on your own)*

*Discounts do no apply to ecmi

Next Class

Arlington

*February 23, 24, 25, 2010 and
March 2, 3, 4, 2010*

Location: Church on Rush Creek
2350 Green Oaks
Arlington, TX 76017

Registration Deadline: Feb 12, 2010

Upcoming Classes

Dallas

*April 20, 21, 22, 2010 and
April 27, 28, 29*

Location: Texas A&M
Whitehurst Ed. Bldg.
Classroom 101 & 102
17360 Coit Road
Dallas, TX 75252

Registration Deadline: April 9, 2010

Fort Worth

*June 15, 16, 17, 2010 and
June 22, 23, 24*

Location: Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137

Registration Deadline: June 4, 2010

Dallas

*Sept 28, 29, 30, 2010 and
Oct 5, 6, 7 2010*

Location: Texas A&M
Whitehurst Ed. Bldg.
Classroom 101 & 102
17360 Coit Road
Dallas, TX 75252

Registration Deadline: Sept 17, 2010

CPR, First Aid & Pre-Service Classes



Camp Fire will offer the American Heart Association CPR Heart saver Course (infant, child, adult), which includes rescue cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), with an emphasis on information needed by childcare providers. A 2-yr certificate will be issued upon successful completion of class. Pre-registration with payment is required.

SESSIONS FOR 2010

Jan 18 Feb 15 March 15 April 19 May 17 June 21
July 19 Aug 16 Aug 19
Sept 20 Sept 23 Oct 18 Nov 15
Limit: 15 students per session, call for availability

Time: 6:30 pm—9:00 pm Monday or Thursday Evening
Location: 2700 Meacham Blvd., Ft. Worth
Instructor: Paula Kirspel
Cost: \$20.00 per person, buy 3, get one Free
Registration Registration with fee must be received prior to class



Camp Fire is pleased to be offering the American Heart Association Basic First Aid training course, which includes rescue breathing and choking to meet the needs and concerns of child care providers. A 2-yr certificate will be issued upon successful completion of class. Pre-registration with payment is required.

SESSIONS FOR 2010

Jan 19 Feb 16 March 16 April 20 May 18 June 22
July 20 Aug 17
Sept 21 Oct 19 Nov 16
Limit: 30 students per session, call for availability

Time: 6:30 pm—9:00 pm Tuesday Evening
Location: 2700 Meacham Blvd., Ft. Worth
Instructor: Paula Kirspel
Cost: \$20.00 per person, buy 3, get one Free
Registration Registration with fee must be received prior to class

PRE-SERVICE TRAINING

8-Hour Pre-Service Training required by DFPS of staff with less than 6 months prior experience in a regulated child care center before being counted in staff-child ratio. *Pre-Service does not count toward yearly annual training requirements.*

Training will be taught by Camp Fire's staff who have extensive experience and education in the child care field. Topics presented as required by the Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS) include:

- Developmental Stages
- Developmentally Appropriate Activities
- Positive Guidance & Supervision
- Positive Interactions & Children's Self-esteem
- Health & Safety Practices
- SIDS, Shaken Baby Syndrome & Early Childhood Brain Development

Each participant will receive a Pre-Service manual that is included in the cost of the training!

SCHEDULE FOR 2010

Jan 23 March 25 June 19
Aug 21 Sept 18 Oct 28

Location: Camp Fire USA Resource Center
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Ft. Worth, TX 76137
Time: 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
(one-hour lunch break on your own)
Cost (per person): \$64.00 Per Person, buy 3, get 1 free
(NO REFUNDS can be given. A substitute person is allowed.)

NO REFUNDS can be given for CPR, First Aid and Pre-Service. However a substitute for the registered person is allowed if arrangements are made **by registration deadline date before** each class. *Class size is limited – please register early!*

For more information, contact our Child Care Training Coordinator at (817) 831-2111.

Turning Tears & Tantrums Into Terrific Learning Opportunities

Age-Group Focus: Toddlers

by Dianna Clayton



Our goal in training young children is not to control their behavior, but rather to help children become responsible individuals who can regulate their own behavior and who have a healthy respect for rules and authority. Discover ways you can work with children by setting limits, letting them learn from the consequences of their actions, think for themselves, and teaching them to be responsible. Learn powerful ways to have fun with children and nurture their inner spirit by creating a learning environment that supports positive behavior.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309(b)(2) Guidance & Discipline & CDA Subject Area 3; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, March 6, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

New World United Methodist
Church
2201 N. Davis Drive
Arlington, TX 76012
(817/460-4212, x715, directions only)

Fee: \$ 18 per person

At The Door Fee: \$28 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

No additional discounts apply

SUPERvision

Age-Group Focus: 3 - 5 Years

by Linda Winkelman

Child and classroom supervision is a fundamental activity in a child care center and it sounds so simple! All you have to do is watch the children, right? Not exactly. Join us as we explore ways to put the "super" in supervision, learn new techniques, and enrich your program all at the same time.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(4) Risk Management & CDA Subject Area 1; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, March 6, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Trietsch Enrichment Center
6101 Morris Rd.
Flower Mound, TX 75028
(972/539-6491, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

Walls That Talk (CDA Renewal)

Age-Group Focus: All Ages

by Barb Reid

Messages that you display on your walls are viewed by children, colleagues, families, parents and administration. What messages are you sending? We will explore how to display messages and what messages you want to send.

Please note: you will receive 2 clock hours for attending this session. You may earn one more clock hour when you complete and return an optional homework assignment.

Advanced - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(4) Teacher-Child Interaction & CDA Subject Area 3; 2 Clock Hours or .2 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, March 11, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:00 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 35 Participants



***Discounts Do Not
Apply When Registering At The Door**

Cooking Up A Story: Food Experiences That Make The Literacy Connection

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by Wendy King

Cooking activities can be fun and easy while supporting literacy. Food experiences do not have to use heat, but they can still heat up language skills. Learn how to integrate food experiences into your lesson plan to expand literacy activities. Come explore activities, ideas, and resources that can be used in the preschool classroom.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, March 13, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Arlington Human Services Center
Room 110 (park & enter around back)
401 W. Sanford
Arlington, TX 76011
(817/274-2393, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

Games Babies Play

Age-Group Focus: Infant/Toddler

by Barb Reid

Sensory experiences are key to infants and toddlers learning about their world. This will be a fun filled session exploring all types of games and activities that you can do with infants and toddlers to enhance their sensory learning.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(9) Sensory Experiences for Infants & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Price Rollback

Saturday, March 13, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 18 per person

At The Door Fee: \$28 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

No additional discounts apply

Individual Care Plans

Age-Group Focus: Infant to Pre-K

by DeVonna Powell

Good teaching begins with observation. When you use individual assessment tools to pinpoint where the child is currently on the development continuum, then you can plan individual care plans to meet the child's specific needs. This advanced class focuses on using your child assessments as a tool to plan individualized care plans. We will discuss program structure and schedules that will enable you to implement the individual care plans while still maintaining an interactive classroom.

Advanced - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(7) Observation & Assessment & CDA Subject Area 7; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, March 18, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$30 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants



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Apply When Registering At The Door**

Who Am I & Who Are You?

Age-Group Focus: Adult

by *Charlote Echols*

Take a closer look at your own personality style as well as those that you work with. After you leave this workshop you will have an appreciation of each other's strengths, challenges, needs, and wants. Come join us for this interactive training where you will learn more about yourself and others, so you can be more successful in your workplace.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(7) Personality Styles & Communication & CDA Subject Area 8; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, March 20, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Preston Hollow
United Methodist Church
6315 Walnut Hill
Dallas, TX 75230
(214/369-4630, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

Keeping The PEACE: Positive Guidance Techniques

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by *Ranelle Livingston*

Would you like to learn ways to turn negative behavior into positive learning? Do you feel there has to be a better way to deal with problem behavior than just punishment? Learn how to use positive guidance techniques, including Planning, The Environment, Assessment, Consistency, and Education to help children master the art of self-control. We will work on skills needed to help children as they learn how to handle upsetting situations in a positive way.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(2) Guidance & Discipline and CDA Subject Area 3; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, March 20, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

The Glory Church
Kids In Glory
824 W. Pipeline Rd.
Hurst, TX 76053
(817/282-0909, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

Environmental Health Hazards: Creating Safer & Healthier Environments

Age-Group Focus: All

by *Carol Stroebel, Washington DC*

Children's Environmental Health Network

Approximately 80,000 chemicals are in common use today but are inadequately tested for their impact on human health, let alone children's health. Children are particularly vulnerable to environmental hazards because they are still growing. Although our children are spending up to a fifth of their time in child care settings, across the nation there has been an overall failure to protect young children from environmental health hazards in these settings. Come learn to identify environmental health hazards in and around your facility. Learn to determine methods to properly remove these hazards. Discover positive ways to communicate with parents about measures to reduce environmental health risks at home. Leave with local and national resources to obtain additional information and assistance.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(2,3) Adult & Child Health, Safety & CDA Subject Area 1; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Only \$5

Thursday, April 1, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 5 per person (refreshments provided)
At The Door Fee: Must Pre-Register
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants



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Apply When Registering At The Door**

Enhancing Learning Through Music & Movement

Age-Group Focus: 3 - 5 Years

by Al Stewart

This high-energy interactive session will provide you the opportunity to experience developmentally appropriate songs, finger plays and movement activities. Throughout the session, these activities will then be analyzed as to what skills are being taught, enhanced and/or extended. You should wear comfortable clothes and shoes during this session.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(10) Planning Developmentally Appropriate Learning Activities & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, April 10, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am -12:00 pm

High Point Church

Enter campus from 360 service road
Follow Balloons to Correct Bldg.
2500 E. Arbroom Blvd.
Arlington, TX 76014
(817/394-3150, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

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The Caterpillar Curriculum: Exciting Possibilities In The Emergent Classroom

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by D. Hallman & D. Collins

Are you creating memories in your classroom that will last a lifetime? Does your classroom create an atmosphere to promote beautiful childhoods? Is play the basis of all learning? Come play with us as we discover the wings of the emergency curriculum where the teachable moments become the basis for learning and create new excitement in your classroom.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, April 10, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Camp Fire USA

2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

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Problem Solving 101

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by Pam Rinn

Tired of being the referee in your classroom? You will learn ways to defuse the tantrums, tugging and turmoil that can happen between preschool children. It takes practice, but children can learn positive ways to settle the little squabbles that occur during the day.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(2) Guidance & Discipline & CDA Subject Area 3; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, April 15, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA

2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$30 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants



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Back to Nature

Age-Group Focus: 12 Months - 5 Years

by *Dena Silvers*

When did our connection to nature slip away? Has technology, hectic lifestyles and lack of "green" spaces caused our children to have Nature Deficit Disorder? What will be the result?

This workshop will remind you why nature is so important in our lives and the lives of children. Ideas for "Going Green" at varying levels will be presented and brainstormed. Resources and worksheets will help you make plans to start or continue getting "Back to Nature". You will leave feeling differently about yourself, the children in your care, your curriculum and environment.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, April 17, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
4400 W. Arkansas
Arlington, TX 76016
(817/451-7561, x12, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

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Qué Están Aprendiendo Los Niños - Cuando Usted (What The Children Are Learning)

Age-Group Focus: Infant - 5 Years

by *Maria Orozco*

Trabaja con niños menores de 5 años, usted es testigo mas que ninguna otra persona, del monto de aprendizaje y desarrollo durante este periodo de la vida de los niños.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(1) Child Growth & Development & CDA Subject Area 8; 4 Clock Hours or .4 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, April 17, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

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How About Those Twos!

Age-Group Focus: Two Year Olds

by *Carolyn Middleton*

Is the two's area considered the "combat zone"? This workshop will help you develop strategies and techniques to change two's from terrors to treasures. Join us as we use developmentally appropriate strategies to make the most of this complex developmental stage.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(1) Child Growth & Development & CDA Subject Area 8; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, April 17, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

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2720 Hollandale Ln.
Farmers Branch, TX 75234
(972/277-4297, directions only)

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At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants



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Rethinking Calendar Time (CDA Renewal)

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by Barb Reid

When we look at child development we have to consider whether calendar time is an appropriate activity for the preschool classroom. Excluding calendar time leaves us with a big hole in our daily schedule. Come and explore alternate developmentally appropriate activities that we can do to fill that space.

Please note: you will receive 2 clock hours for attending this session. You may earn one more clock hour when you complete and return an optional homework assignment.

Advanced - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(10) Planning Developmentally Appropriate Learning Activities & CDA Subject Area 2; 2 Clock Hours or .2 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, April 22, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm

7:00 - 9:00 pm

Camp Fire USA

2700 Meacham Blvd.

Fort Worth, TX 76137

(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 35 Participants

The ABC's of Scheduling, Lesson Planning & Daily Routines

Age-Group Focus: Adult

by Cheryl Butimore

Do you ever feel like you are running around in a circle? Like your kids are running your classroom? Like all of your great plans have lost their way? Come back to the basics of classroom management - back to the ABC's of scheduling, lesson planning and organization ideas glorie! Don't miss this one!!

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(7) Scheduling & Lesson Planning & CDA Subject Area 5; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

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Saturday, April 24, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Good Beginnings School

8521 Davis Blvd.

North Richland Hills, TX 76180

(817/281-1400, directions only)

Fee: \$ 18 per person

At The Door Fee: \$28 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

No additional discounts apply

Growing Up Wild

Age-Group Focus: 3 - 7 Years

by Christy McLaughlin

The Science School at Museum of Nature & Science

Learn how to build on a young children's sense of wonder about nature and invite them to explore wildlife and the world around them. During the three-hour training workshop you will sample activities and receive a curriculum and activity guide. Activities are designed for 3 - 7 year olds and are correlated to the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) Standards and the Head Start Domains. **Please bring scissors, markers and glue stick.**

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Price Rollback

Saturday, April 24, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Camp Fire USA

2700 Meacham Blvd.

Fort Worth, TX 76137

(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 15 per person

At The Door Fee: MUST Pre-Register

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants—Limited Space

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Celebrating and Including Children With Special Needs In Early Learning

Age-Group Focus: Infant - Preschool

by Lyn Lucas

This interesting workshop focuses on overcoming the challenges and fears sometimes associated with accepting children with special needs into care. Leave with an inspired vision and understanding of how to accommodate children with special needs so they can participate in your program as actively as possible. Learn the many benefits to all children and families of a truly inclusive classroom community.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(1) Care of Children With Special Needs and CDA Subject Area 8; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Price Rollback

Saturday, May 1, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Peace Lutheran Church
(enter east side covered entrance)
Red Apple Preschool
941 Bedford Euleess Rd.
Hurst, TX 76053
(817/284-7833, directions only)

Fee: \$ 18 per person
At The Door Fee: \$28 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

No additional Discounts Apply

Hot Tips For A Cool Summer

Age-Group Focus: 4 - 12 Years

by Carolyn Middleton

Ready or not, summer is almost here! Come to this session to get ideas for planning and implementing an effective and exciting summer program.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(10) Planning Developmentally Appropriate Learning Activities & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, May 1, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Trinity Lutheran Church
3621 Tulsa Way
Fort Worth, TX 76107
(817/732-8522, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

Conflict In The Workplace

Age-Group Focus: Adult

by DeVonna Powell

Whenever you have a group of people together for periods of time, conflict is inevitable. In this class, we will discuss the types of conflict and how to best combat it. The "triggers" that can induce anger in you or others. How to recognize the "triggers" and how to respond instead of react. We will discuss 5 simple ways to keep your cool in conflict and 6 steps to conflict resolution. As a teacher it is imperative that you know how to deal with conflict between your peers and/or the parents so you can be a better role-model to the children.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(7) Conflict Resolution & CDA Subject Area 6; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, May 6, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$30 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants



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Dealing With Difficult Children

Age-Group Focus: 2 - 5 Years

by *Teresa Obert*

Power struggles, chaos, revenge! Who will survive? This is no movie - this is your room! Every teacher has encountered the "you can't make me" look and felt the wrath of the inconsolable child. How we handle volatile encounters with our children can make or break our day. Come explore the reasons behind the behavior and discover creative ways to face your most challenging children.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(2) Guidance & Discipline & CDA Subject Area 3; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, May 8, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Arlington Human Services Center
Room 110 (park & enter around back)
401 W. Sanford
Arlington, TX 76011
(817/274-2393, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

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Digital Photography: Using a Camera For Creative Teaching (CDA Renewal)

Age-Group Focus: All Ages

by *Barb Reid*

Going beyond using photos for labeling and family pictures, we will look at ways to use a digital camera to enhance lesson plans and learning.

Please note: you will receive 2 clock hours for attending this session. You may earn one more clock hour when you complete and return an optional homework assignment.

Advanced - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (c)(7) Lesson Plans & CDA Subject Area 5; 2 Clock Hours or .2 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, May 13, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:00 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 35 Participants

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Creative Art: Process Vs. Product

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by *Laura Varnell*

As teachers, are we more concerned with the product or the process of the art the children are taking home? How do we talk to parents, whose ideas may not be the same as ours? Come and get hands-on experience with art activities that focus on learning rather than on a perfect finished product. Join us for this fun and creative experience! **Please bring scissors, markers and glue stick.**

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 3 Clock Hours or .3 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, June 5, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
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At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants



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How Rewarding Is Your Classroom? (CDA Renewal)

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by Barb Reid

Do rewards have a place in the classroom? We will look at the affects of rewards and ways to motivate children to accomplish learning.

Please note: you will receive 2 clock hours for attending this session. You may earn one more clock hour when you complete and return an optional homework assignment.

Advanced - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(4) Teacher-Child Interaction & CDA Subject Area 3; 2 Clock Hours or .2 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, June 10, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm

7:00 - 9:00 pm

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Fort Worth, TX 76137
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Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 35 Participants

Brains & Behavior

Age-Group Focus: Infant - 5 Years

by Pam Rinn

Do you ever wonder how to engage children in exploring the world? Learning how physical maturity plays a role in how children adapt to learning environments. By paying attention to behaviors of children and their temperaments, caregivers can adapt and create environments that optimize children's learning. Come learn the latest information on brain development and environments for children birth through 5 years.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(1) Child Growth & Development & CDA Subject Area 8; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, June 17, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm

7:00 - 9:30 pm

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2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
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Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$30 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

Técnicas De Orientación Que Funcionan

(Guidance Techniques That Work)

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by Hortencia Serna

El aspecto más desafiante del cuidado de los niños es la disciplina. En este entrenamiento, vamos a aprender a guiar la conducta de los niños, enseñarles un comportamiento aceptable y orientarlos a desarrollar el autocontrol.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(2) Guidance & Discipline & CDA Subject Area 3; 4 Clock Hours or .4 CEU's awarded by UTA

Saturday, June 26, 2010

Sign-in: 8:45 am

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 24 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants



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SIDS, Shaken Baby Syndrome, and Brain Development

Age-Group Focus: Infants

by DeVonna Powell

Infant teachers - come to this workshop and earn your required training in SIDS, Shaken Baby Syndrome and Brain Development. You will understand that good practice in the childcare setting should follow good research.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (d)(1,2,3) SIDS, Shaken Baby Syndrome & Brain Development & CDA Subject Area 8; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, July 1, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$30 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants

Helping Children Cope With Grief (CDA Renewal)

Age-Group Focus: All Ages

by Barb Reid

You think that it will never happen but then a tragedy occurs and a child in your classroom is exposed to the painful process of grieving for a loved one, pet or acquaintance. We will look at some tools and skills that will help you support a child and their family during these difficult times.

Please note: you will receive 2 clock hours for attending this session. You may earn one more clock hour when you complete and return an optional homework assignment.

Advanced - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(4) Teacher-Child Interaction and CDA Subject Area 4; 2 Clock Hours or .2 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, July 8, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:00 pm

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2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
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At The Door Fee: \$34 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 35 Participants

Activities For Infants and Toddlers: Day By Day

Age-Group Focus: Infants & Toddlers

by Kathryn Addison

Activities for infants and toddlers are not planned tasks that take place with a group of children. Rather, they are the opportunities caregivers offer children to explore and make discoveries that delight the child. Often times, activities and routines can be combined. What makes caring for this age group deeply satisfying is your ability to appreciate and find joy in these everyday discoveries. Come and learn a variety of ways you can plan experiences for infants and toddlers to observe, explore, and learn about the world around them day by day.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, July 15, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm
7:00 - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA
2700 Meacham Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76137
(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free
At The Door Fee: \$30 per person
Optional CEU: \$10 per person
Limit: 45 Participants



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Science Is Simple

Age-Group Focus: Infant - School-Age

by DeVonna Powell

Come join us as we explore fun and simple ways to incorporate science into all aspects of your classroom environment. We will have hands-on experiments and materials to incorporate into your classroom as well as discuss why science is such an important element to the learning environment in an early childhood classroom.

Intermediate - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(3) Age-Appropriate Curriculum & CDA Subject Area 2; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, July 22, 2010

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At The Door Fee: \$30 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants



Building Vocabulary One Day at a Time

Age-Group Focus: Preschool

by Barb Reid

Children depend largely on the sensitivity and skills of the adults in their world to take the time and patience to explain the words in their environment. Vocabulary development is closely linked to children's future success in school. We will explore strategies for enhancing vocabulary in preschool children and create a few activities to take back to the classroom as well.

Basic - Meets Licensing Standard 746.1309 (b)(1) Child Growth & Development & CDA Subject Area 8; 2.5 Clock Hours or .25 CEU's awarded by UTA

Thursday, July 29, 2010

Sign-in: 6:45 pm

7:00 - 9:30 pm

Camp Fire USA

2700 Meacham Blvd.

Fort Worth, TX 76137

(817/831-2111, directions only)

Fee: \$ 20 per person, Buy 3, Get 1 Free

At The Door Fee: \$34 per person

Optional CEU: \$10 per person

Limit: 45 Participants

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