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Professional Education Opportunities

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Sara Ammar at 905-507-9360 x 303 along with payment information (credit card over the phone).

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Resource Library Hours

- Thursday 4:30 pm – 8:30 pm
- Saturday opening from 9:30 am – 1:30 pm

January 28th, 2012

February 25th, 2012

March 31st, 2012

April 28th, 2012

If you would like to borrow/return/renew your items outside those times, please call 905-507-9360 x 311 to make an appointment.

Learning through Play Series

Early Learning for Every Child Today (ELECT) is a guide to support curriculum in Ontario's Early Childhood settings. It is a living document that will continue to evolve as Early Childhood practitioners working in early childhood settings use it. The ELECT document compliments, rather than replaces, specific curriculum.

CDRCP and Raising the Bar in Peel are collaborating to offer Professional Education sessions to provide information on incorporating play based learning in your curriculum. The image shown will indicate the workshops in the Learning through Play series.



For more information on the document, please visit <http://1000moments.net/documents/Elect.pdf>.

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Professional Education Calendar

Thursday January 19, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

It Shouldn't Hurt To Be a Child

Workshop: This workshop is geared towards Early Childhood Educators and Supervisors. It will refresh and increase your knowledge in regards to child abuse and how it applies to the early learning classroom setting.

Topics include:

- The Early Childhood Educators role in abuse prevention
- Teaching pre-school children about prevention
- Physical & behavioural indicators of child abuse you may observe in the classroom setting
- Children exposed to domestic violence
- Corporal punishment and the law
- Shaken baby syndrome
- Allegations of abuse against a staff member / policies
- Participants will have an opportunity to look at & discuss different classroom scenarios

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Tracy Petersen, Sunshine Children's Centre

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Tuesday January 24, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Building Up the Block Area

Workshop: Blocks are standard equipment in an early learning classroom. Let's explore the value of blocks and how we can use them to extend the learning opportunities for children. You will leave with some new ideas of how to offer more than just the basics and how to enrich the block area with new materials and accessories.

Cost: \$15.00 Raising the Bar in Peel Programs

Presented by: Maritoni Pasquil, Michelle Bridges, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5



*"Play is a means to early learning that capitalizes on children's natural curiosity and exuberance."
ELECT 2007*

Wednesday January 25, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Operating Criteria

Workshop: Every program wants to offer quality care. Come and learn how to use the Operating Criteria as a quality assessment tool. Each participant will receive a copy of the preschool operating criteria.

Cost: \$20.00 Members \$25.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Keri Valade, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Wednesday January 25, 2012

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Conflict Resolution Workshop

Workshop: In this workshop participants will discuss basic behaviour guidance strategies and will be introduced to social conflict resolution. The group will examine the “6 steps to problem solving” approach and will have the opportunity to see this approach in practice

Cost: \$15.00 Raising the Bar in Peel Programs

Presented by: Johanna Irvine, Region of Peel

Location: Peekaboo Traders 220 Traders Blvd E, Mississauga, ON

Thursday January 26, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Dealing With Difficult People: Seven Simple Steps To Success!

Workshop: Throughout your personal and professional life, we will all have to deal with difficult and challenging people and personalities. This is an inspiring and humorous presentation which presents seven very basic and common sense solutions to enact when you find yourself having to go toe to toe with that difficult and challenging person.

Presented By: Michael Lewis

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Saturday January 28, 2012

9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Child Care First Aid & CPR

Workshop: A child specific program, which includes CPR certification. This course focuses on specific emergency medical situations involving children and different approaches to their treatment. Segments include discussions on head injuries, severe allergic reactions and use of the epi-pen, asthma attacks, bleeding, choking, and seizures and when to call 911.

Cost: \$50.00 Members \$60.00 Non- Members

Presented by: Heart Safe EMS

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Tuesday January 31, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Transferring Your Observations to the Planning Sheet

Workshop: This workshop will give the participants the confidence they need to program plan using their skilled observations of children that are currently in their class. The confusion of integrating the interests of the children with the developmental skills they need to learn will be addressed. This is a hands on workshop so be ready to be active and have lots of fun!

Cost: \$15.00 Raising the Bar in Peel Programs

\$20.00 Resource Connection Members

\$40.00 Non-Members



Presented by: Sharon Casey, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

“The Continuum of Development supports the abilities of early childhood practitioners to observe and document children’s activities and interactions in order to plan the curriculum and talk with families and other caregivers.” ELECT 2007

Thursday February 2, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Assertive Leadership for Childcare Professionals

Workshop: Being assertive is a necessary characteristic of successful leaders resulting in high quality care that meets the highest standards. Assertiveness can, however, be overdone resulting in aggressiveness or underdone resulting in passiveness. A fine balance between the two is the best way to obtain the exemplary results desired. Managing Assertively helps supervisors to sharpen their people skills in order to influence their staff in positive ways and motivate them to achieve higher performance. This creates more time for them to enhance their programs. This two hour seminar uses case studies, interactive tools and information sessions to look at ways of identifying a leader’s assertiveness type and the effects that this type will have on their staff. The seminar will give an overview of the elements of the three types of behaviour (passive, aggressive and assertive) including verbal and nonverbal cues, mottos and beliefs, characteristics, confrontation and problem solving methods, and the effects that each of these styles have on self and others. The participants will come away with a variety of strategies and techniques that will help them to gradually change their behaviour to become more assertive. This in turn will boost their confidence, professionalism, ability to deal effectively with people problems and enhance their ability to express themselves without violating their own rights or the rights of others

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Mary Soundy, Alpha Child Care

Location: #103 - 75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Tuesday February 7, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

A Closer Look at Observation and Planning with the ELECT Document

Workshop: The first part of this workshop will introduce a variety of ways (data collection) to collect meaningful information through hands-on activities and observations. The latter part will discuss how to use this data in your program planning. Different planning templates will be offered.

Cost: \$20.00 Raising the Bar in Peel Programs

\$20.00 Resource Connection Members

\$40.00 Non Members

Presented by: Helene Pouliot – Cleare, Consultant

Location: #103 - 75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5



*“In early childhood settings, practitioners continually observe for the purpose of teaching and learning.”
ELECT 2007*

Thursday February 9, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

It's Not Called the Dolly Centre Anymore

Workshop: The Home Area is a key interest area in an early learning and care program. Learn about the importance of the Home Area and ways in which to extend the children's daily experiences in this area.

Cost: \$15.00 **Raising the Bar in Peel Programs**

Presented by: Cindy McCullough, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5



"Children learn when they can play, explore the world and interact with adults and peers."

ELECT 2007

Tuesday February 14, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Terrific Transitions

Workshop: Transitions are often difficult for young children. This workshop will help you learn about strategies to make the daily transitions a positive experience for the children in your program.

Cost: \$20.00 Members \$25.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Cindy McCullough, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z3E5

Thursday February 16, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Process vs. Product

Workshop: I welcome you to join me in experiencing process versus product planning. We will be exploring how children's developmental domains; intent of outcomes; and stages of learning, guide us in child engagement. All participants will have an opportunity to dissect children's math and writing development; develop strategies to review their programs; and acquire a material list to support children's exploratory and inquisitive play.



Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Noreen Hornsby, CDRCP

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

"Early child development sets the foundation for lifelong learning, behaviour and health."

ELECT 2007

Thursday February 23, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

The Life of a Child with Separated Parents

Workshop: Children of separated parents are often subject to the tugs and pulls of their parents' dispute regarding their care. At times, the dispute spills over into the childcare setting. This workshop will acquaint participants with the issues faced by the child and at times the childcare workers. Attendees will learn strategies for helping children cope with these circumstances and strategies to manage parents whose issues intrude on the childcare setting.

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members
Presented by: Gary Direnfeld
Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z3E5

Saturday February 25, 2012

9:00 am – 1:00 pm

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Cost: \$50.00 Members \$60.00 Non- Members
Presented by: Heart Safe EMS
Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Tuesday February 28, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Supporting Children with Special Needs Speech and Language Expectations, Early Red Flags and Referrals

Workshop: This presentation will shed some light on the development of speech and language in children from birth to six years of old. Participants will be able to learn more about the language expectations and the strategies to promote it further in each age group. We will also review some services for children who might be experiencing delays in their age expectation levels.

Cost: \$15.00 Administrative Cost
Presented by: Adrina Mamoo, Region of Peel
Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Hosted by Peel Early Learning Special Needs Advisory Committee

Tuesday, February 28, 2012

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Moving Through Change

Workshop: Change can often be overwhelming. Change is a process that needs to be planned for, managed and reinforced. What changes are you anticipating or experiencing in our currently evolving early learning and child care field? Undercover perceptions that may be holding you back from change. Discover and apply new strategies that will support you in moving through change.

Cost: \$15.00 **Raising the Bar in Peel Programs**
Presented by: Keri Valade, Region of Peel
Location: Peekaboo Traders, 220 Traders Blvd. E, Mississauga, ON

Wednesday, February 29, 2012

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Motivating Children Using Encouragement Strategies

Workshop: Encouragement can help you become an even better teacher for children because when encouraging children you are showing them that you care about them and what they are accomplishing and this builds confidence for learning.

An encouraged child learns that they control their own lives and external forces do not govern their

experiences. Encouragement helps children to look internally and to work at what they are doing with less emphasis on what other people think. Encouragement enables the child to look within for value.

Come out to practice encouragement strategies based on day to day situations that occur in your classroom.

Cost: \$15.00 **Raising the Bar in Peel Programs**

Presented by: Maritoni Pasquil and Becky Woodcock, Region of Peel

Location: Peekaboo Mill, 224 Mill Street, Brampton, ON

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ELECT 2007

Thursday March 1, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Privacy and Dual Relationships

Workshop: Staff working in human services are often in situations in which they must make difficult decisions. Staff must be aware of their legal and professional obligations to avoid serious consequences such as liability. In particular, the Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice of the College of Early Childhood Educators will be referenced. This workshop will present 2 of the most important ethical issues, privacy and dual relationships. This is an interactive session with case studies and small group work.

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: JoAnne Nugent, Ed D, Humber College

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Tuesday March 6, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

WHMIS Training

Workshop: WHMIS provides workers and employers with information about the hazardous materials to which they may be exposed. Both provincial and federal regulations require employers to provide proper training to all workplace parties who are likely to handle, store or otherwise be exposed to hazardous materials. The specific content includes an overview of the Ontario Occupational Health & Safety Act; WHMIS Legislation; Labels & Material Safety Data Sheets; Occupational Health and Controlling Hazards.

Cost: \$50.00 Members \$60.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Heartsafe EMS

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Thursday March 8, 2012

3:30 pm – 6:30 pm

ELECT- Communication, Language and Literacy for the Preschool to Kindergarten Child

Workshop:

In this workshop we will look at:

- Opportunities for verbal and nonverbal communication
- Domains of Language development/ reading and writing stages and strategies
- Using English and the child's home language
- Cognition and numeracy



Cost: \$15.00 Administrative Cost

Presented by: Alka Burman, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

"In order to be able to determine a child's capacity to learn, the child needs adequate opportunities to learn in a language that she or he can understand." **ELECT 2007**

Tuesday March 20, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Fostering Resiliency in Children

Workshop: Resiliency – “the ability to recover quickly from setbacks,” (Encarta Dictionary). Children are naturally resilient, so what happens in their young lives that change their ability to cope? Come to this informative workshop on increasing resiliency in children and find out how you as a professional can help children learn the skills they will need to cope with changes and challenges throughout their lives.

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Elizabeth Hawley, CDRCP

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Wednesday March 21, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Understanding the Nipissing Screening Tool And The Ages and Stages Questionnaire

Workshop:

- This workshop will give participants a hands-on experience looking at what the Nipissing and the Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) can tell us about a child's development.
- Participants will learn about generating appropriate questions to parents to determine when a referral for formal assessment may be warranted.
- Participants will also meet in small groups to review actual case history information and completed Nipissing Screen and a completed ASQ to learn what needs to happen next.

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Pat Dymont, PEP-Start

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Thursday March 22, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Small and Large Group Times

Workshop: Have you struggled with group times? This workshop will look at some of the challenges and solutions to group experiences for children. Come out and explore a variety of ideas to make group time a success and how it can be a positive experience for you and the children.

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Thursday March 22, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Policy Writing for Today's world

Workshop:

THIS SESSION WILL HELP YOU:

- Understand the differences between policy, procedure and to how implement each;
- Determine what policies are necessary in today's organizations;
- How policies and procedures fit into the continuous improvement process

SESSION OBJECTIVES INCLUDE

- Concepts of role of policies and procedures; hands-on basic practice of policy and procedure writing;
- Sharing best practices with colleagues to increase
- Confidence in document writing

PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN

- How to evaluate the current state of their policies and start developing new policies based on priorities using risk management principles;
- The role of policies, procedures, guidelines and rules in effective management

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Kathleen Douglass

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Tuesday March 27, 2012

3:30 pm – 5:30 pm

ADHD: An Inclusive Environment

Workshop: This session will review the signs/symptoms and recommendations for a child diagnosed with ADHD and further enhance your understanding on how these can impact the child's daily routines. We will discuss a variety of environments and how to modify your program to be inclusive for children. There will be an opportunity for the group to participate and examine myths about ADHD. Scenarios will be played out and each group will be given the opportunity to examine the outcomes. We will provide you with practical ways to adjust your programs to allow a healthy learning and inclusive environment.

Cost: \$30.00 Members \$40.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Kelly Woodward, CDRCP

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z3E5

Thursday March 29, 2012

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Adult Child Interactions

Workshop: One of the most important aspects of quality care is the adult child interactions that take place throughout the day. In this workshop you will explore the important role you play in the development of the young child's emotional and social skills and how to foster an authentic relationship.

Cost: \$20.00 Members \$25.00 Non-Members

Presented by: Maritoni Pasquill, Region of Peel

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

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Cost: \$50.00 Members \$60.00 Non- Members

Presented by: Heart Safe EMS

Location: #103-75 Watline Avenue, Mississauga, ON, L4Z 3E5

Professional Education Registration Form

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Workshop Information

Please indicate which workshops you would like to attend

January 2012

- It Shouldn't Hurt to be a Child
- Operating Criteria
- Dealing with Difficult People
- Child Care First Aid & CPR
- Transferring Your Observations to the Planning Sheet

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All registrations must be accompanied by payment. If you are paying by cheque, please fax in a copy of the cheque along with the registration form and deposit the cheque in the mail by the next business day. Cheques should be made payable to CDRCP. Postdated cheques are not accepted as payment confirms your registration. A Service Charge will apply to all NSF cheques. Cash and Debit payments will only be accepted if paying at the time of registration. **No-show policy - Failure to attend a workshop will result in loss of payment.**

Enclosed is my payment of \$ _____

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