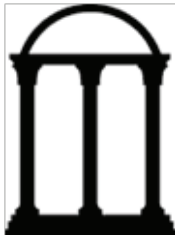




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Swainsboro Fall 2010 Conference

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The Early Start Child Care Resource & Referral Agency is a program of Savannah Technical College. Funded, in part, by Bright From The Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning through the Federal Child Care and Development Block Grant. The Early Start Child Care Resource & Referral Agency offers educational programs and materials to all people without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex or disability.



Why you should attend a conference sponsored by the Child Care Resource & Referral Agency of Southeast Georgia

1. Earn a **MAXIMUM** of 6 hours of State Approved Training
2. In addition to clock hours required by Bright From The Start, participants will earn CEUs through Savannah Technical College as needed for the CDA credential
3. Network with other child care professionals
4. Opportunity to visit our marketing table filled with information and goodies!
5. Participate in research-based, developmentally appropriate, quality child care training at the local level. No need to travel!

Conference Agenda:

8:00 am to 8:45 am	Check-in
8:45 am to 8:55 am	Welcome
9:00 am to 11:00 am	Session I
11:00 am to 11:15 am	Break
11:15 am to 1:15 pm	Session II
1:15 pm to 2:30 pm	Lunch Lunch is “on your own”
2:30 pm to 4:30 pm	Session III



Potential Presenters Include:
(listed in alphabetical order)



Krissy Kraus-Hickson, Brunswick, GA
Stephen Hickson, Brunswick, GA
Kendall Johnson, Savannah, GA
Amanda Reynolds, Swainsboro, GA
Lori Sugarman, Atlanta, GA
Paula VanOtteren, Brunswick, GA
Cynthia Washington-Bell, Hinesville, GA

Anticipated Agenda

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER
8:00 AM – 8:45 AM	Conference Check-in	
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Session I Concurrent Workshops	
	Infectious Disease	Amanda Reynolds
	CPR	Cynthia Washington-Bell
	Child Abuse & Its Impact	Kendall Johnson
	My Place in the World	Stephen Hickson
	Building Self-Esteem in Young Children	Krissy Kraus-Hickson
	Speaker of the House	Paula VanOtteren
	Infant Room Teeny Tiny Yoga	Lori Sugarman
11:00 AM – 11:15 AM	Morning Break	
11:15 AM – 1:15 PM	Session II Concurrent Workshops	
	Injury Control	Amanda Reynolds
	CPR Continued	Cynthia Washington-Bell
	Preventing Sexual Abuse in Young Children	Kendall Johnson
	My Place in the World	Stephen Hickson
	Building Self Esteem in Young Children	Krissy Kraus-Hickson
	Speaker of the House	Paula VanOtteren
	Teeny Tiny Yoga for 2 - 4 year olds	Lori Sugarman
1:15 PM—2:30 PM	Lunch - On Your Own	
2:30 PM – 4:30 PM	Session III Concurrent Workshops	
	Child Abuse	Amanda Reynolds
	First Aid	Cynthia Washington-Bell
	Domestic Violence and Its Impact	Kendall Johnson
	My Place in the World	Stephen Hickson
	Building Self-Esteem in Young Children	Krissy Kraus-Hickson
	Speaker of the House	Paula VanOtteren
	Teeny, Tiny Yoga for 2 - 4 year olds	Lori Sugarman

DESCRIPTION OF WORKSHOPS

Health and Safety Workshops

Infectious Disease - ECE-2 - This training will address the prevention of communicable disease in all areas from birth to school age; in family child care homes and center based care. This workshop has been developed to meet the requirement for all child care providers to have a minimum of 2 hours instruction in disease prevention within their first year of employment.

Injury Control - ECE-2 - This training has been developed to assist providers in identifying common injuries, hazards, dangers and safety issues to assist them in reducing injuries to children in their care. This workshop has been developed to meet the requirement for all child care providers to have a minimum of 2 hours instruction in childhood injury control within their first year of employment.

Child Abuse and Neglect - ECE-6 - This training has been developed to recognize possible child abuse and neglect for children of all ages. This workshop has been developed to meet the requirement for all child care providers to have a minimum of 2 hours instruction in child abuse and neglect identification and prevention within their first year of employment.

CPR/1st Aid - ECE-2 - Basic life support and first aid for infants, children and adults. Does not include AED training. *These workshops do not count as part of your annual 10 hours training; they are additional requirements. If you successfully complete the course, you will receive your certification.*

Child Abuse and Its Impact on the Lives of Children and the Community - ECE-6 - Participants will identify facts and myths about child abuse or maltreatment and how it impacts the lives of children and the community. This is a graphic class and is not part of the Basic Core.

Protecting Children from Sexual Abuse - ECE-6 - Participants will learn to recognize common signs of sexual abuse and how to protect children. This is a graphic class and is not part of the Basic Core.

Domestic Violence and Its Impact on children and the Community - ECE-6 - Participants will learn the definition of domestic violence according to Family Law, identify attitudes, thoughts and behaviors or perpetrators and victims of domestic violence. Participants will learn to recognize the red flags of abusive relationships, identify the cycle of abuse, and learn how to protect themselves and others from perpetrators. This is a graphic class.

DESCRIPTIONS CONTINUED

Building Self-Esteem in Young Children - ECE-4 Providers will benefit from this workshop as they learn practical techniques in helping children develop emotional security which will allow the child to know, accept, and take pride in himself or herself.

My Place in the World - ECE-3 - This hands-on, interactive class will provide participants will opportunities to present social studies' activities in their classroom. Participants will learn to develop activities that will allow children to explore, ask questions and to seek new answers.

Speaker of the House - ECE-3 - Participants in this workshop will have the opportunity to identify three forms of parental communication, create a parent information board design by participating in one activity with a small group, identify three factors that negatively impact family-provider relationships and participate in one activity with a small group to provide a journal using a scenario given by the instructor.

Infant Room Teeny, Tiny Yoga - ECE-3 - Learn 20 movement that will increase sleep, soothe fussiness, aid digestion, and have babies smiling and laughing. Participants will practice on life-size dolls. Breathing and relaxation skills for teachers are also included in this session. Laughter Yoga will start the session!

Teeny Tiny Yoga for the Two - Four Year Old Classroom - ECE-3—A fresh series of movements and poses will breathe new life into your transition times, lines, circle times, and parts of the day where the children could use some playful structure. Yoga teaches children (and you) balance, confidence, and playfulness through imagination. Breathing and relaxation skills for teachers are also included in this session. Laughter Yoga will start the session!

TRAINING POLICIES

REGISTRATION

- All participants must pre-register and pay any applicable fees in order to attend the conference. .
- Enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis.
- A registration form must be completed for each person planning to attend the conference
- **Your registration is not complete until payment has been received.**

FEES

- Training fees may be mailed, with registration form to:
Early Start Child Care Resource and Referral Agency
ATTEN: Lauren Dumas, Training Assistant
190 Crossroads Parkway
Savannah, GA 31407
- Payments may be made by telephone using your VISA, MasterCard, or Discover card
- There is a \$30.00 service charge for returned checks or money orders.

CANCELLATIONS

- Conferences may be canceled for several reasons. These reasons include, but are not limited to:
Insufficient registrations Inclement weather Natural disasters
- If a conference is canceled due to circumstances beyond our control, participants will be notified when a new training date has been chosen. Registrations will be transferred to the new training date.
- Participants who cancel at least 24 hours prior to the day of the conference, may receive a letter of credit.
- “No Shows” will not be issued a letter of credit and will forfeit their registration fees.
- Participants may have someone substitute for them if they cannot attend.

REFUNDS

- **We do not issue refunds, EXCEPT when a training date has been cancelled by Early Start Child Care Resource and Referral.** Participants who cancel, may receive a letter of credit to attend another training event hosted by Early Start Child Care Resource & Referral or the Chatham Childcare Collaborative, provided a notice of cancellation is received **AT LEAST 24 hours PRIOR to the date of the conference.**

CLASS ETIQUETTE

- All participants are required to participate in each workshop for the full training time allowed.
- Participants will not be permitted to attend class if they arrive ten minutes or more after the scheduled start of the workshop.
- Participants will not receive credit for the class if they leave ten minutes or more before the scheduled end of the workshop.
- All workshops are hands-on, interactive classes. Participants are expected to actively participate. Failure to participate in the workshop may result in no training credit being received. The following is a list of unacceptable behavior. This list is not all-inclusive: Sleeping, phone calls, leaving class, texting, or disruptive talking/behavior.
- ***To maximize the learning opportunity for each person, please make child care arrangements for your children. Children will not be permitted to attend training workshops.***

OTHER INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW:

If you need special assistance to attend a training workshop, please call Gloria Bennett, Training Administrator at 912.443.3381.

Workshops are offered on a first-come, first-seated basis. Arrive early to ensure there is space available for you in the class you need to attend.

Remember - the room temperature is pre-determined by the host site. Feel free to bring a sweater or jacket with you for your comfort. We have no control over thermostat settings.

Registration Form

Please complete a registration form for each person planning to attend.
We accept copies of the registration form.

Name: _____

Are you an Informal Provider? Yes No If yes, what is your provider # _____

Address: _____
Street or Mailing Address City State Zip

Daytime Phone # _____ Evening Phone # _____

Email Address: _____
Registration confirmation will only be sent to providers submitting an email address.

Please register me for the Swainsboro 2010 Fall Conference:
Saturday, October 16, 2010
Southeastern Technical College (formerly Swainsboro Tech), Kite Road, Swainsboro, GA

COST OF CONFERENCE: \$30.00 if postmarked ON OR BEFORE 10/1/10
\$40.00 if postmarked AFTER 10/1/10
\$50.00 for walk-ins on day of conference

* Mail your check or money order to: Early Start Child Care Resource & Referral
ATTN: Lauren Dumas, Training Assistant
190 Crossroads Parkway
Savannah, GA 31407

- **Funds are not deposited until the date of the conference.**

For your convenience, payments may be securely made over the phone using your VISA, MasterCard or Discover card. To make a payment by phone, please call 912.443.3381.

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