



Training Calendar

For more information and to register for any of these trainings, please go to our website:
<https://ecs4kids.gosignmeup.com/Public/Course/Browse>

ECS CDA-PLUS PROGRAM

Baker, Bradford, Clay, Duval, Nassau, Putnam and St. Johns Counties:

ECS offers a comprehensive CDA program that prepares students to apply for the Direct Assessment visit from the Council for Professional Recognition for a National Child Development Associate Credential.

Students completing all parts of the program may earn up to 9 credits in articulation to the AS degree in Early Childhood Management at FSCJ.

Call for class details and registration information.

Scholarships may be available.

Pre-Registration is required.

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CONTENT AREA 1: PLANNING A SAFE, HEALTHY, LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

CONTENT AREA 2: STEPS TO ADVANCE CHILDREN'S PHYSICAL & INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT

Online Training: Infant CLASS Overview

Course #: 2020SRC- 8

Date: 4/26/2021- 5/28/2021

Time: Online as you are able during the specified dates

Course Description: Log on to learn about how implementing the CLASS tool for interactions can create a positive learning environment for infants!

Maximum Capacity: 30

Course Objectives: Participants will describe the infant CLASS domain and specific interactions they can implement.

Access Code Online: ELCNF

CDA Area: 2 & 3

Target Audience: Infant Teachers

Instructor: Lauren Berk (Millecan)

Location: NEW! Canvas Learning Management System! Canvas is incredibly user friendly, making for an easier and much more pleasant learning opportunity. On the start date of each course, you will receive an email from the course facilitator containing very specific instructions on how to log in and access the course, as well as information about the course.

Fee: None

In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 4/ 0.4

Online Training: Toddler CLASS Overview

Course #: 2020SRC- 9

Date: 4/26/2021- 5/28/2021

Time: Online as you are able during the specified dates

Course Description: Log on to learn about how implementing the CLASS tool for interactions can create a positive learning environment for toddlers!

Maximum Capacity: 30

Course Objectives: Participants will describe the toddler CLASS domains and specific interactions they can implement.

Access Code Online: ELCNF

CDA Area: 2 & 3

Target Audience: Toddler Teachers

Instructor: Lauren Berk (Millecan)

Location: NEW! Canvas Learning Management System! Canvas is incredibly user friendly, making for an easier and much more pleasant learning opportunity. On the start date of each course, you will receive an email from the course facilitator containing very specific instructions on how to log in and access the course, as well as information about the course.

Fee: None

In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 4/ 0.4

Online Training: Preschool CLASS Overview

Course #: 2020SRC-10

Date: 4/26/2021- 5/28/2021

Time: Online as you are able during the specified dates

Course Description: Log on to learn about how implementing the CLASS tool for interactions can create a positive learning environment for preschool children!

Maximum Capacity: 30

Course Objectives: Participants will describe the preschool CLASS domains and specific interactions they can implement.

Access Code Online: ELCNF

CDA Area: 2 & 3

Target Audience: Preschool Teachers

Instructor: Lauren Berk (Millecan)

Location: NEW! Canvas Learning Management System! Canvas is incredibly user friendly, making for an easier and much more pleasant learning opportunity. On the start date of each course, you will receive an email from the course facilitator containing very specific instructions on how to log in and access the course, as well as information about the course.

Fee: None

In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 4/ 0.4

Online Training: CLASS Tool Comparison

Course #: 2020SRC-11

Date: 4/26/2021- 5/28/2021

Time: Online as you are able during the specified dates

Course Description: Log in to learn the difference between the three age groups of the CLASS tool and how their dimensions overlap!

Maximum Capacity: 30

Course Objectives: Participants will describe each of the CLASS tools and their dimensions, then examine how the specific interactions overlap across tools.

Access Code Online: ELCNF

CDA Area: 2 & 3

Target Audience: Directors

Instructor: Lauren Berk (Millecan)

Location: NEW! Canvas Learning Management System! Canvas is incredibly user friendly, making for an easier and much more pleasant learning opportunity. On the start date of each course, you will receive an email from the course facilitator containing very specific instructions on how to log in and access the course, as well as information about the course.

Fee: None

In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 4/ 0.4

CONTENT AREA 3: POSITIVE WAYS TO SUPPORT CHILDREN'S SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

CONTENT AREA 4: STRATEGIES TO ESTABLISH POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH FAMILIES

CONTENT AREA 5: STRATEGIES TO MANAGE AN EFFECTIVE PROGRAM OPERATION

CONTENT AREA 6: MAINTAINING A COMMITMENT TO PROFESSIONALISM

CONTENT AREA 7: OBSERVING AND RECORDING CHILDREN'S BEHAVIOR

CONTENT AREA 8: PRINCIPLES OF CHILD GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

DIRECTOR SUPPORT

See Content Area 2

INFANT TODDLER

See Content Area 2

FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME

See Content Area 2

SCHOOL AGE

See Content Area 2

VOLUNTARY PRE-KINDERGARTEN

See Content Areas 1-8 for Additional Training Related to VPK
To register for VPK training, please visit:

<https://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/child-care/training.shtml>

VPK Program & Policy Updates:

Professional Development for VPK Providers now available through Early Learning Florida!!

Early Learning Florida is a statewide professional learning system designed to support the development of early childhood professionals' knowledge and skills in effectively educating and caring for young children. Developed in partnership with the Florida Office of Early Learning and the University of Florida Lastinger Center, Early Learning Florida connects early learning educators to research-based, high quality professional development courses, high-impact resources, and targeted supports that have been proven to significantly improve program quality, teacher-child interactions, and child learning and development outcomes.

Each course offers up to 2.0 IACET-approved CEUs, the equivalent of 20 professional development hours. Upon successful completion and mastery of a course, the UF Lastinger Center awards the participant with 2.0 IACET CEUs and a downloadable certificate of mastery within 14 days of mastery.

There are three course models available:

1. Early Learning Florida Online-only Courses
2. Early Learning Florida Online + Communities of Practice (CoP) Model
3. Early Learning Florida Online + Technical Assistance (TA) Coaching Model

Course enrollment is offered for free, but is subject to availability. Interested VPK providers should contact their local early learning coalition if interested in participating in any of the Early Learning Florida courses.

The available courses, course descriptions and registration information are all available on the Early Learning Florida website found at <https://www.earlylearningflorida.com>

CONFERENCES AND/OR TRAININGS COVERING MULTIPLE CDA AREAS

NOTE TO PARTICIPANTS

- If you cannot attend the training after registering, please cancel your registration on the website or notify ECS as soon as possible so that we can open your spot for another participant.
- If you have questions about this document, or training at ECS, please contact Lauren Millecan at (904) 726-1500 ext. 2237