



## 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

#### **Online Training: PBIS Classroom Management; Part 1**

**Course #:** 2020SRC- 3

**Date:** 11/30/2020- 12/11/2020

**Time:** Online as you are able during the specified dates

**Course Description:** Overview of the pyramid model and how implementing effective classroom management practices, including positive relationships, supportive learning environments, and rules and rituals, is developmentally appropriate.

**Maximum Capacity:** 15

**Course Objectives:** Participants will explain effective classroom management practices and describe how they will be implemented in their classroom.

**Access Code Online: ELCNF**

**CDA Area:** 1 & 3

**Target Audience:** Teachers & Directors

**Instructor:** Lauren 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 2: STEPS TO ADVANCE CHILDREN'S PHYSICAL & INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT**

### **Online Training: Meaningful Classroom Practices**

**Course #:** 2020SRC- 2

**Date:** 10/26/2020- 11/6/2020

**Time:** Online as you are able during the specified dates

**Course Description:** Overview of schedules, transitions, and individualization, and how to effectively implement these practices in the classroom.

**Maximum Capacity:** 15

**Course Objectives:** Participants will describe various developmentally appropriate classroom practices and explain how to implement them in their classroom.

**Access Code Online: ELCNF**

**CDA Area:** 2 & 3

**Target Audience:** Teachers & Directors

**Instructor:** Lauren 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:** 3/ 0.3

## **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**

**Online Training: Brain Development & Emotional Intelligence**

**Course #:** 2020SRC- 1

**Date:** 10/7/2020- 10/21/2020

**Time:** Online as you are able during the specified dates

**Course Description:** Overview of brain development in young children and how it impacts their emotional intelligence.

**Maximum Capacity:** 15

**Course Objectives:** Participants will describe various stages of brain development, activities to encourage brain development, and explain how brain development impacts emotional intelligence.

**Access Code Online:** ELCNF

**CDA Area:** 2 & 3

**Target Audience:** Teachers & Directors

**Instructor:** Lauren 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

## DIRECTOR SUPPORT

See Content Area 1, 2 & 8

## INFANT TODDLER

See Content Area 1, 2 & 8

## FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME

See Content Area 1, 2 & 8

## SCHOOL AGE

See Content Area 1, 2 & 8

## 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**

**See Content Area 1, 2 & 8**

### **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