



Training Calendar

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

ECS CDA 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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CDA Competency Standard I: To establish and maintain a safe, healthy learning environment

CDA Competency Standard II: To advance physical and intellectual competence

Instructor Led Training: Engaging Infants through Play and Language

Course #: 2024\$REDInfants

Date: July 17th

Time: 3:30PM- 5:30PM

Course Description: Participants will learn to integrate sensory play into daily routines and enhance facilitation of learning and language modeling using Teachstone's CLASS dimensions for infants.

Maximum Capacity: 20
CDA Area: II & III
Target Audience: Infant Teachers
Instructor: Alexis Williams & Santanna Walker
Location: ECS HQ
Fee: None
In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 2/ 0.2

Instructor Led Training: Toddlers Throughout the Day

Course #: 2024SREDToddlers
Date: July 27th
Time: 10:30AM- 12:30PM
Course Description: This course will focus on the toddler's day, with an emphasis on emergent language and literacy and math during circle time, small group, free play and outdoor time.
Maximum Capacity: 20
CDA Area: II
Target Audience: Toddler Teachers
Instructor: Sherry Tindall & Joan Whitson
Location: St. Johns County Main Library
Fee: None
In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 2/ 0.2

Instructor Led Training: Creating a Dream Classroom: Using Best Practice to Plan for the Future

Course #: 2024SREDPreschool
Date: July 30th
Time: 4:00PM- 6:00PM
Course Description: During this training, teachers will explore universal support, accommodations, and adaptations to meet their specific classroom needs. Looking at the subjects of regard for students, classroom transitions, and language use, teachers will reflect on best practices and create a plan to support them in the upcoming school year. This workshop aims to help teachers increase positive feelings about their teaching strategies and classroom management skills.
Maximum Capacity: 20
CDA Area: II & III
Target Audience: Preschool Teachers
Instructor: Krystal Berry, Jazmine Jackson & Tatum Goad
Location: Fleming Island Public Library
Fee: None
In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 2/ 0.2

CDA Competency Standard III: To support social and emotional development and to provide positive guidance

Instructor Led Training: Campfire Chats: Behavior Management Camp

Course #: 2024\$REDInclusion

Date: July 11th

Time: 6:00PM- 7:30PM

Course Description: This half-interactive, half-lecture style session will educate providers and educators on the detrimental effects of preschool expulsions and terminations. Participants will learn to implement effective, evidence-based inclusive classroom practices aimed at addressing and reducing challenging behaviors.

Maximum Capacity: 20

CDA Area: I, II, III & V

Target Audience: Teachers

Instructor: Rebecca Huth & Jhordan Speed- Johnson

Location: ECS HQ

Fee: None

In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 1.5/ 0.15

CDA Competency Standard IV: To establish positive and productive relationships with families

CDA Competency Standard V: To ensure a well- run, purposeful program responsive to participant needs

CDA Competency Standard VI: To maintain a commitment to professionalism

Instructor Led Training: Directors: Leaders vs. Managers

Course #: 2024\$REDDirectors

Date: August 8th

Time: 12:30PM- 2:30PM

Course Description: In this training, we will discuss the differences between leadership and management, and how to make leaders out of teachers. We will talk about how to effectively use the directors' CLASS observation checklist, and how to better know your staff through Compass Points protocol. Participants will also leave with ideas for teacher appreciation.

Maximum Capacity: 20

CDA Area: VI

Target Audience: Directors

Instructor: Brianna DeOsca, Katrina Willis, Sue Murphy & Kelley Warner

Location: ECS HQ

Fee: None

In-Service Hours/ CEUs: 2/ 0.2

Director Support

Please visit www.ecs4kids.gosignmeup.com for Quarterly Provider Training information
See area VI

Infant & Toddler Support

See area II

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School Age

VPK

VPK Program & Policy Updates:

- To read about Emergent Literacy Training required for VPK, please visit:
[Professional Development & Training | OEL \(floridaeearlylearning.com\)](https://www.floridaeearlylearning.com)
- To register for VPK training, please visit:
[Florida Early Childhood Professional Development Registry \(myflorida.com\)](https://myflorida.com)

Conference Information

You are invited to the North Florida Chapter of FLAEYC's Conference!
Please visit: [Browse Courses \(gosignmeup.com\)](https://www.gosignmeup.com) for more information!

Notes

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 professional development opportunities at ECS, please contact Lauren Millecan Berk at (904) 501- 3775!