

January 2012



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<p>Find us on Facebook at: </p> <p>Leaps and Bounds Family Services</p> <p>United Way for Southeastern Michigan  Early Learning Communities</p> <p>To learn more about the ELC: www.unitedwaysem.org/elc</p> <p>To join the ELC & Register for trainings, call: 313-402-0802 586-675-0451</p> <p>To Self Register visit Great Start Connect: www.greatstartforkids.org</p>			<p>Learning thru Play 10:00-12:00</p> <p>Great Start Connect 5:30-6:30</p> <p>Beyond Business Basics 6:30-8:30</p> <p>Preschool Development 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Play & Learn 9:30-10:30</p> <p>Play & Learn 9:00-10:00 1:30-2:30</p> <p>ASQ Training 6:30-8:30</p> <p>Planning with Children 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Learning thru Play 9:00-11:00</p> <p>Activity Times 11:30-1:30</p> <p>Kitchen Art Fun 9:00-11:00 PN: 11:30-1:30</p>	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		<p>Bloodborne Pathogens 6:30-9:00</p>	<p>Let's Be Friends 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Play & Learn 9:30-10:30</p> <p>Play & Learn 9:00-10:00 1:30-2:30</p> <p>Learning thru Play (CEU's available) 6:30-8:30</p> <p>Recalling with Children 6:30-8:30</p>		<p>Planning with Children 9:00-11:00</p> <p>Recalling with Children 11:30-1:30</p> <p>Recognizing Trauma in Young Children 10:00-12:00</p> <p>Building Family Relationships 12:30-2:30</p>
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
		<p>Gifts of Infancy 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Planning with Children 10:00-12:00</p> <p>Business Basics: How to Start a Child Care in Your Home 6:30-8:30 (DHS approved tier 2 training)</p>	<p>Play & Learn 9:30-10:30</p> <p>Play & Learn 9:00-10:00 1:30-2:30</p> <p>Schedules & Routines (CEU's available) 6:30-8:30</p> <p>Writing Objective Anecdotal Notes 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Care Giving Routines 9:00-11:00</p> <p>Great Start to Quality Orientation (Pts. 1 & 2) 9:00-3:30</p>	<p>First Aid/CPR 9:00-1:00</p> <p>PN: Winter Fun 10:30-12:30</p> <p>Terrific Twos I 9:00-11:00</p> <p>Terrific Twos II 11:30-1:30</p>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
		<p>Heath & Safety 6:30-9:00</p>	<p>Recalling with Children 10:00-12:00</p> <p>Planning with Children 6:30-8:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Play & Learn 9:30-10:30</p> <p>Play & Learn 9:00-10:00 1:30-2:30</p> <p>Easier Cleanup (CEU's available) 6:30-8:30</p> <p>ASQ Training 6:30-8:30</p>	<p>Math Learning 9:00-11:00 PN: 11:30-1:30</p> <p>Let's Pretend 9:00-11:00 PN: 11:30-1:30</p>	<p>Macomb County Early Childhood Conference (Call for Info)</p>
29	30	31	<p>PN: Provider Network Meeting GSC: Great Start Connect</p> <p>The Matrix Center 13560 E. McNichols, Detroit, MI 48205</p> <p>Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church 8129 Packard, Warren, MI 48089</p> <p>Detroit Merit Academy 1091 Alter Road (near Jefferson) In Library, Detroit, MI 48215</p>			

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JANUARY EVENTS

January Events:

*Center Director Meet & Greet-January 19th 1-3 p.m.
At The Matrix Center*

Opportunity for local Center Directors to network and exchange resources.

Macomb County Early Childhood Conference-January 28th 8:00 a.m.-3:45 p.m.

At Macomb Community College

Please call 586-498-4000 for registration information
Scholarships available (first come first serve)

Parent Café-At The Matrix Center

For more details contact Ramana Roberson at
[734-285-4001](tel:734-285-4001) (Great Start parent member) or

ADDITIONAL PLAY & LEARN

In addition to our Play & Learn Groups at our regular locations, we will host groups at alternative locations. These Play and Learns offer a hands on approach to reinforce what parents and providers learn in training. Trainings will be offered prior to and after the Play & Learns.

FUN and INTERACTIVE, these groups will engage parents and children together.

Forest Park Elementary
18361 Forest
Eastpointe, MI 48021

January 12th & 26th
Training 8:30-10:30 a.m.
Play & Learn 11:00 a.m.-noon
Training 12:30-2:30 p.m.

NEW TRAININGS

Ages & Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) Training-
Training teaches providers how to instruct parents to administer this assessment tool. Parents may also attend to learn to directly administer the tool.
*January 5th at Mt. Calvary
January 26th at the Matrix Center*

Business Basics Training-Training on how to start a licensed childcare facility (approved tier II training) and how to enhance your facility that is already licensed.
January 4th and 18th at Mt. Calvary

Social-Emotional Training-Learning how to care for young children on a social-emotional level.
January 14th at the Matrix Center

TESTIMONIALS

It was a fun class with a lot of hands on experiences.

I learned new ideas that I can actually take back and do with my children. I especially liked the cornstarch and water. It is cheap and the kids will love it.

~Taken from Evaluations at the Backyard Science Training November 18th at the Matrix Center

TRAINING FOCUS-YEAR 4

Year 4 Trainings are now available!
The first three topics in the Year 4 Training series will be offered this month.

Planning with Children

At Matrix
1/5 6:30-8:30 p.m.
1/18 10:00 a.m.-noon
At Mt. Calvary
1/14 9:00-11:00 a.m.
1/25 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Recalling with Children

At Matrix
1/12 6:30-8:30 p.m.
1/25 10:00 a.m.-noon
At Mt. Calvary
1/14 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.



Writing Objective Anecdotal Notes

At Matrix
1/19 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Call to register!