Our annual Spring Fling was held on Thursday, April 15, 2021 at First United Methodist Church Parking Lot! Over 200 Children came out to join in the fun! 68 volunteers from our community came together to make this year’s Spring Fling a huge success!!
# Training Calendar

## ITS-SIDS
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**Registration deadline:** June 29, 2021

**July 1, 2021**
6:30-8:30pm
2 DCDEE Credits
Ashli Elder
ACPC

**ACPC Office**
$5

## First Aid/CPR
Pediatric CPR and First Aid

**Registration deadline:** July 8, 2021

**July 13, 2021**
6:00-10:00pm
CVCC-Alexander Campus

**CVCC Alexander Center**
No FEE for Alexander Providers

## Staying on Track: The Importance of Schedules and Routines
Why are daily classroom routines and schedule so important in the daily lives of teachers and young children? How does following a consistent daily schedule with embedded routines support the social and emotional development of the children in your class? What can we do to help children ‘stay on track’ as they move through a typical preschool day? Through this training, you will receive answers to these questions and develop a deeper understanding of the role of schedules and routines in supporting healthy social-emotional development for all children.

**Registration deadline:** July 13, 2021

**July 15, 2021**
6:30-8:30pm
2 DCDEE Credits
Michelle Boyles
ONLINE

**ZOOM Online**
$5

## Resetting the Brain
Does your brain ever become amped up or shut down? This training will focus on strategies to assist with bringing the thinking brain back online. Come learn to implement some rapid resets for the brain to help build resilience.

**Registration deadline:** July 27, 2021

**July 29, 2021**
6:30-8:30pm
2 DCDEE Credits
Ashli Elder
ACPC

**ACPC Office**
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## First Aid/CPR
Pediatric CPR and First Aid

**Registration deadline:** August 05, 2021

**August 10, 2021**
6:00-10:00pm
CVCC-Alexander Campus

**CVCC Alexander Center**
No FEE for Alexander Providers
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<td>Using Basic Sign Language with Infants and</td>
<td>Teaching infants and toddlers to use sign language gives them the opportunity to see, hear and feel language. This professional development experience will guide you through the discovery of how to use sign language as a tool to promote children's confidence, classroom management, and form connections. Participants will learn the benefits of using sign language with young children, tips, techniques, and common sign language early educators can use to support and enhance the learning environment for young children.</td>
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<td>This training focuses on developmentally appropriate motor skill development and movement. The Movement Guide includes a collection of activities and instructional strategies designed to help child care providers gain the knowledge and confidence necessary to give infants, toddlers, and young children more physically active play.</td>
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<td>Leap Into Lesson Planning</td>
<td>So you have completed the NCFELD training but are staring at a blank lesson plan asking yourself, “How do I use NCFELD to plan?” Please bring your copy of the NCFELD book, a blank lesson plan, and a completed lesson plan and we will tackle intentional teaching and planning using NCFELD.</td>
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Isn’t it exciting to see a few things in our world start to return to normal? We are excited to say that our Lending Library and Workroom are once again open to you as providers to come in and use!!!

As a safety precaution we will continue to keep our front door locked so when you stop by just ring the bell for someone to assist you.

HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON!
It’s time to stand up and speak out for the workforce behind the workforce!

Policymakers in North Carolina are working right now on the budget, determining how to use both the federal COVID relief dollars and state funds. We must make sure that they prioritize early education and recognize the value of the early childhood workforce – before, during, and after COVID-19. It’s long past time for child care teachers to earn the professional compensation and benefits they deserve.

Add your name to this petition. Tell policymakers that you believe early educators deserve worthy wages for worthy work! For more information visit: https://ncearlyeducationcoalition.org/take-action/worthywagespetition/