



# Professional Development Calendar October 2011- March 2012

## October 2011

10/4/11 10:30am-11:45pm	Pre-Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
10/4/11 6:30pm-9:30pm	Intro to CSEFEL Location CCC
10/6/11 6:00pm-9:00pm	Mandatory Reporting Location: CCC <i>This course provides an overview of basic information that individuals working with children in child care facilities need when reporting abuse and neglect. Kirsten will offer signs of abuse, and tips on procedures for going through this process.</i>
10/11/11 6:30-8:30pm	Annual CACFP Location: CCC
10/13/11 6:30pm-9:30pm	Full CPR Location: CCC
10/14/11 9:00am-11:00am	New Provider Orientation (NPO) - LCI/LCP Only
10/14-15/11	MtAEYC Annual Conference
10/17/11 6:30pm-9:30pm	CPR/First Aid Abbreviated Location: CCC
10/18/11 10/25/11	CSEFEL: Infant/ Toddler Module I 6:30pm-9:30pm Location: CCC <i>Participants will gain knowledge of the impact caregiver self-awareness has on early development, and effectively supporting families. Participants will be able to pinpoint social and emotional needs and to emphasize, support, and enhance wellness in the lives of infants and toddlers.</i>
10/20/11 6:30pm-8:30pm	Full First Aid Location: CCC
10/25/11 6:30pm-8:30pm	Annual CACFP Location: Learning Partners, Livingston
10/27/11 6:30pm-8:30pm	Y.I.K.E.S Emergency Preparedness Location: CCC <i>The registration deadline date for this class is 15 business days prior to the class. The purpose of this training is to reduce the risk of emergencies in the child care settings and help child care providers respond during emergencies that can occur. Participants will be introduced to the Y.I.K.E.S. Planning Guide, developed by the State of Montana.</i>
10/29/11 8:00am-3:00pm	CSEFEL: Family/Group Module I Location: CCC <i>Caregivers promote healthy development by working to support social emotional wellness in all young children, and make every effort to prevent the occurrence or escalation of social emotional problems in children at-risk, identifying and working to remediate problems that surface, and, when necessary, referring children and their families to appropriate services.</i>

## November 2011

11/1/11 10:30am-11:45pm	Pre-Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
11/1/11 11/8/11 6:30pm-9:30pm	CSEFEL: Infant/Toddler Mod II Location: CCC <i>Participants will gain knowledge of the impact caregiver self-awareness has on early development, and effectively supporting families. Participants will be able to pinpoint social and emotional needs and to emphasize, support, and enhance wellness in the lives of infants and toddlers.</i>
11/5/11 10:00am-12:00pm 11/16/11 6:30pm-8:30pm	Tame the Tube Location: CCC <i>Children ages 2-5 spend, on average, 32 hours a week in front of the television watching TV, videos, DVDs, and playing video games. Screen time can be habit forming and is linked to irregular sleep patterns, delayed language acquisition and reduced physical activity. Join us in this two-part series workshop as we discuss screen time and its negative effects, ways to replace screen time with activities and methods to implementing your own screen time reduction policy into your parent handbook and program. Limited activity boxes for use in your program will be offered at the conclusion of this 2-part workshop.</i>
11/8/11 10:30am-1:00pm	Licensing Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
11/9/11 9:00am-11:00am	New Provider Orientation (NPO) Location: CCC
11/10/11 6:30pm-8:30pm	Discovering Your Personality Location: CCC <i>Understanding how our personalities affect our relationships with others.</i>
11/19/11 8:00am-3:00pm	CSEFEL: Family/Group Module II Location: CCC <i>Caregivers promote healthy development by working to support social emotional wellness in all young children, and make every effort to prevent the occurrence or escalation of social emotional problems in children at-risk, identifying and working to remediate problems that surface, and, when necessary, referring children and their families to appropriate services.</i>
11/22/11 11/29/11 6:30pm-9:30pm	CSEFEL: Infant/Toddler Module III Location: CCC <i>Participants will gain knowledge of the impact caregiver self-awareness has on early development, and effectively supporting families. Participants will be able to pinpoint social and emotional needs and to emphasize, support, and enhance wellness in the lives of infants and toddlers.</i>



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### December 2011

12/6/11 10:30am-11:45am	Pre-Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
12/6/11	Mandatory Reporting Location: CCC <i>This course provides an overview of basic information that individuals working with children in child care facilities need when reporting abuse and neglect. Kirsten will offer signs of abuse, and tips on procedures for going through this process.</i>
<b>THESE DATES HAVE BEEN CHANGED</b> Call CCC for dates, times, location	Cook's Training Location: Herrick Hall Food Lab, MSU Campus <i>This class is open to CACFP participants only and will assist child care providers in implementing the new food list.</i>
12/8/11	Science Through Dinosaurs Location: Museum of the Rockies <i>Participants will gain knowledge of concepts essential to teaching young learners about science through dinosaurs. They will also be able to implement Dino-Science into regular curriculum.</i>
12/14/11 9:00am-11:00am	New Provider Orientation- LCP/LCI only Location: CCC

### January 2012

1/3/12 10:30am-11:45am	Pre-Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
1/3/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Into to CSEFEL Location CCC
1/10/12 10:30am-1:00pm	Licensing Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
1/10/12 1/17/12 6:30pm-9:30pm	CSEFEL: Preschool Module I <i>The focus of this series is that relationships are the foundation for children's ongoing social and emotional development. Participants will then be able to utilize strategies for creating an environment that prevents challenging behaviors and promotes social and emotional development.</i>
1/11/12 9:00am-11:00am	New Provider Orientation (NPO) (new providers only) Location: CCC
1/12/12 1/26/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Developmentally Appropriate Play (Book Club Series) Location: Learning Partners, Livingston <i>Enhance the depth and richness of children's play. Developmentally Appropriate play is complex, long lasting, and all-engaging for children. It requires facilitation and guidance, thoughtful planning, and attention to the environment and materials.</i>
1/18/12	CPR/First Aid Abbreviated Location: CCC
1/19/12	Tax Time Location: CCC <i>It's tax season, learn about how being an individual business affects other components of the tax return. Learn about estimated taxes, withholding and maintaining records of business expenses. Plus tips on keeping those receipts and records organized!</i>
1/24/12 2/7/12 2/28/12 6:30pm-7:30pm	NurtureShock (Book Club Series) Location: CCC <i>NurtureShock offers a revolutionary new perspective on children that upends a library's worth of conventional wisdom. With impeccable storytelling and razor-sharp analysis, the authors demonstrate that many of modern society's strategies for nurturing children are in fact backfiring. NurtureShock gets to the core of how we grow, learn and live.</i>
1/31/12 2/2/12	CSEFEL: Preschool Module II Location: CCC <i>The focus of this series is that relationships are the foundation for children's ongoing social and emotional development. Participants will then be able to utilize strategies for creating an environment that prevents challenging behaviors and promotes social and emotional development.</i>

### February 2012

2/7/12 10:30am-11:45am	Pre-Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
2/9/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Teachable Transitions Location: CCC <i>Learning about how to move from activity to activity efficiently and effectively.</i>
2/11/12 9:00am-12:00pm	Mandatory Reporting Location: CCC <i>This course provides an overview of basic information that individuals working with children in child care facilities need when reporting abuse and neglect. Kirsten will offer signs of abuse, and tips on procedures for going through this process.</i>
2/15/12 9:00am-11:00am	New Provider Orientation- LCP/LCI only Location: CCC
2/21/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	CSEFEL: Preschool Module III Overview Location: CCC
<b>THIS DATE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO 2/16/12</b> 6:30pm-8:30 pm	Toys and Materials: Increasing the Playability with Simple Adaptations Location: CCC <i>This session explores the value of toys from the child's perspective, presents guidelines for selecting toys for group settings, and suggests simple adaptations to increase a toy's ability to interest and actively engage children while meeting individual interests, and needs, even IEP and IFSP goals.</i>



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3/6/12 10:30am-11:45am	Pre-Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
3/6/12 3/8/12 6:30pm-9:30pm	CSEFEL: Preschool Module III-A
3/7/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Y.I.K.E.S Emergency Preparedness Location: CCC <i>The registration deadline date for this class is 15 business days prior to the class. The purpose of this training is to reduce the risk of emergencies in the child care settings and help child care providers respond during emergencies that can occur. Participants will be introduced to the Y.I.K.E.S. Planning Guide, developed by the State of Montana.</i>
3/13/12 3/15/12 6:30pm-9:30pm	CSEFEL: Preschool Module III-B
3/20/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	CSEFEL: Make and Take
3/20/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Licensing Orientation (new providers only) Location: CCC
3/21/12 9:00am-11:00am	New Provider Orientation (NPO) (new providers only) Location: Learning Partners, Livingston
3/22/12 3/27/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Marketing: Tom Copeland Series Location: Learning Partners, Livingston <i>Understanding the importance of effective marketing of your childcare facility to prospective parents.</i>
3/28/12 6:30pm-9:30pm	Full CPR Location: CCC
3/29/12 6:30pm-8:30pm	Full First Aid Location: CCC

## SAVE THE DATE



### Denita Dinger April 28th, 2012

Denita Dinger is an experienced child care provider, an inspiring keynote speaker, and author of an up-coming Redleaf Press book. Graduating from NSU in Aberdeen, South Dakota, she received her BS in Elementary Education with a minor in Early Childhood Education. Denita's enthusiasm is contagious and her outside the box thinking leads to fantastically fun ways for young children to learn through play. Denita has 12 years of experience as a Family Child Care provider and loves sharing her ideas and stimulating others to create ideas of their own.

Denita's passion for following a child's lead to create opportunities for young children to learn and grow is contagious. You will leave her session with a new appreciation for yourself and a fresh perspective on the important role you play in the lives of young children. Idea after idea will be shared demonstrating the learning potential found by being "un"derful: thinking outside the box, sharing stories, feeling the beat, providing opportunities and simply following young children's lead! You will gain confidence that indeed play counts.

### Montana Infant/ Toddler Caregiver Course

*This class explores research and theory to enhance caregivers' abilities to create an environment and to give children the building blocks necessary for healthy physical, social and emotional development. Caregivers will be given skills to utilize to effectively and respectfully communicate with parents and families. This series begins January 5th, 2012; classes will continue each Thursday until April 7th. After successfully completing this course participants will receive a \$500 stipend. The cost for the class is \$160 plus an additional \$130 if participants wish to receive college credit. Enrollment for this class is first come first serve basis. Please call Ann Klaas with questions at 994-7454 or email her, ann.klaas@montana.edu.*

### MT Preschool Teacher Education Course

*This course will explore quality care giving for preschoolers. These classes will not only rejuvenate your energy for working with preschoolers, but strengthen the skills you have so you can continue to successfully accommodate young children. Cost for the course is \$160 and an additional \$135 for participants who wish to receive college credit. Class will start January 25th, 2012. After successfully completing this course participants will receive a \$500 stipend. Please call Child Care Connections, 587-7786, to register.*