

Training Schedule ❖❖ January - February - March 2012

Class Code	Date & Time	Location	DHR Training Category / Training Level	CDA Content	Title (Target Age Groups)	Description
				Area / Alabama Pathways Core Knowledge Areas		
Baldwin & Escambia Counties						
#4672	Saturday, 1/21/12 9:30am - 11:30am	Overcoming Faith Ministries; Robertsdale	HSU, QCCL Basic	2, 8 CGD, HSN	Happy Hugs: Responsive Caregiving for Infants and Toddlers (Infants / Toddlers)	Participants will be able to determine appropriate activities to care for infants and toddlers in the classroom setting. (Lisa Kirkland)
#4673	Thursday, 2/16/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	Overcoming Faith Ministries; Robertsdale	QCCL, CD Intermediate	2, 3, 8 COA, ICFC, CGD	Facts of ADHD (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	Participants will learn the characteristics, symptoms, & causes as well as behavioral therapy techniques of ADHD. (Beth Adkins, UCP)
#4674	Saturday, 3/10/12 9:30am - 11:30am	Jeff Davis Community College; Atmore	PDG, CD Intermediate	2, 3, 8 CGD	Behavior Guidance in the Classroom (Toddlers / Preschoolers)	This workshop will explore how to implement positive discipline techniques to lead and guide children while preventing common discipline issues. (Kathy Rouse)
Clarke & Washington Counties						
#4675	Saturday, 1/14/12 9:30am - 11:30am	Jackson City Hall, Jackson	CD, QCCL Basic	2, 3, 8 CGD, LEE	Thinking Inside the Box- Creating Prop Boxes to Enhance Dramatic Play (Toddlers / Preschoolers)	This training will introduce teachers to the concept of dramatic play, its developmental benefits and how to create prop boxes to enhance dramatic play. (Lisa Kirkland)
Conecuh & Monroe Counties						
#4676	Thursday, 1/26/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	Reid State Technical School, Evergreen	CD, CCPF Basic	3, 4, 8 CGD, ICFC, LEE	Parenting Counts: Handling Stress (Infants/Toddlers)	Participants will be able to examine effects of repeated stress on young children discuss long-term benefits of teaching children healthy ways to calm down. (Nancy Kalifeh)
#4677	Tuesday, 3/6/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	Alabama Southern, Monroeville	HSU, QCCL Basic	2, 8 CGD, HSN	Happy Hugs: Responsive Caregiving for Infants and Toddlers (Infants / Toddlers)	Participants will be able to determine appropriate activities to care for infants and toddlers in the classroom setting. (Lisa Kirkland)
Mobile County						
#4678	Thursday, 1/12/12 5:00pm - 7:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CCPF, LD Basic	2, 3, 4 DIV	Bringing Culture to the Classroom Through Children's Literature (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	The session will provide strategies and activities that can be used to infuse multicultural education into a preschool curriculum through children's literature. (Dyonne Wilson)
#4679	Tuesday, 1/17/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	1, 8 CGD, LEE	Creating Indoor Environments (All)	In this workshop, participants will discuss the different components needed in the classroom to make an effective learning environment for young children to thrive. (Phyllis Rizzo)
#4680	Thursday, 1/19/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, CCPF Basic	3, 4, 6 CGD, ICFC	Helping Children Cope with Stressful Events (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	Participants will identify educational materials produced by Sesame Workshop to teach participants emergency preparedness, possible child behaviors to look for after traumatic events, concrete age-appropriate ways to support children dealing with loss & the importance of monitoring child exposure to media following a troubling event. (Caroline Martin, APT)
#4681	Thursday, 1/26/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	QCCL, CD Intermediate	2, 3, 8 COA, ICFC, CGD	Facts of ADHD (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	Participants will learn the characteristics, symptoms, & causes as well as behavioral therapy techniques of ADHD. (Beth Adkins, UCP)

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#4682	Tuesday, 1/31/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	3, 8 CGD, LEE	Making Math Marvelous (Preschoolers)	This session will provide comprehensive, hands-on learning activities that stimulate children's cognitive and critical thinking skills. (Cynthia Jackson)
#4683	Tues - Thurs. 1/31/12 - 2/2/12 8:30am - 12:30pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, LD, CCPF, QCCL, HSU, PDG Basic	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 CGD, HSN, LEE, ICFC, PRD	Getting Started (All)	This course introduces participants to foundational information they will need to provide safe & nurturing interactions & developmentally appropriate activities that will benefit the children in their care. MUST ATTEND ALL SESSIONS TO RECEIVE TRAINING CREDIT!
#4684	Thursday, 2/2/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	3, 4, 8 CGD, DIV, ICFC	Number Friends (Preschoolers)	Participants will review cognitive math skills taught using "number friends." (Dollien Perine)
#4685	Tuesday, 2/7/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	3, 8 CGD, LEE, ICFC	Fostering Secure Attachments (Infants / Toddlers)	This workshop will help participants to analyze their own ideas and caregiving practices, as well as discuss how to build secure attachments with the children and families in their programs. (Phyllis Rizzo)
#4686	Wednesday 2/8/12 10:00am - 12:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	PDG, CCPF Basic	3, 4, 8 CGD, DIV, ICFC	Director's Forum: Teaching Our Children to Respect Differences (All)	Participants will review information about preschool bullying and respecting diversity. Participants will discuss information on how to respect diversity in the classroom, tell if bullying is taking place, and how to stop it as well as prevent it from happening again. All participants will receive a set of children's books and folder of materials. (Violetta Simpson)
#4687	Thursday, 2/9/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CCPF, PDG Intermediate	2, 3, 8 PPD, ICFC	How to Talk So Adults and Children Will Listen (All)	Participants will review their own communication preferences while demonstrating activities that can help them with both child and adult communication. (Kathy Rouse)
#4688	Thursday, 2/16/12 6:45pm - 8:45pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	LD, QCCL Basic	2, 3, 8 CGD, LEE	Watch Out! Interactive Storytelling (Preschoolers)	This session provides comprehensive interactive storytelling strategies that will help circle time be a time of learning and fun with language, books & music. (Cynthia Jackson)
#4689	Thursday, 2/23/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	PDG, CCPF Basic	3, 4, 8 CGD, DIV, ICFC	Teaching Our Children to Respect Differences (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	Participants will review information about preschool bullying and respecting diversity. Participants will discuss information on how to respect diversity in the classroom, tell if bullying is taking place, and how to stop it as well as prevent it from happening again. All participants will receive a set of children's books and folder of materials. (Allison Goff)
#4690	Saturday, 2/25/12 9:30am - 11:30am	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	2, 3, 8 CGD, LEE	Thinking Inside the Box- Creating Prop Boxes to Enhance Dramatic Play (Toddlers / Preschoolers)	This training will introduce teachers to the concept of dramatic play, its developmental benefits and how to create prop boxes to enhance dramatic play. (Lisa Kirkland)
#4691	Thursday, 3/1/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, HSU Basic	1, 6 HSN, ICFC	Child Abuse Prevention (All)	Participants will discuss how to recognize possible signs of abuse and neglect, prevention techniques & resources for supporting families. (Kathy Rouse)
#4692	Saturday, 3/3/12 9:30am - 11:30am	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	LD, HSU Basic	3, 8 ICFC, CGD, LEE	Don't Forget Your Manners! (Preschoolers)	Participants will identify and explore ways to build on young children's natural, everyday encounters with manners by providing activities that are visual, concrete, and relevant to the children's lives. (Tiffany Conner, APT)

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#4694	Thursday, 3/8/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	2, 3, 8 CGD	Five Domains of Development (All)	Participants will learn the 5 domains of development, be able to identify possible areas of concern, & locate and utilize local resources for children and families. (Beth Adkins, UCP)
#4695	Tuesday, 3/13/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, PDG Intermediate	2, 3, 8 CGD, ICFC	Challenging Behaviors: Where Do We Begin? (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	This workshop will help educators understand more about challenging behaviors in young children, address the strong feelings this behavior may evoke, & introduce tips for implementing changes in approaches to support young children's growth. (Nancy Kalifeh)
#4696	Thursday, 3/15/12 5:00pm - 7:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, QCCL Basic	3, 4, 8 CGD, DIV, ICFC	Number Friends (Preschoolers)	Participants will review cognitive math skills taught using "number friends." (Dollien Perine)
#4697	Tuesday, 3/20/12 6:30pm - 8:30pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CCPF, PDG Intermediate	2, 3, 8 PPD, ICFC	How to Talk So Adults and Children Will Listen (All)	Participants will review their own communication preferences while demonstrating activities that can help them with both child and adult communication. (Kathy Rouse)
#4698	Wednesday, 3/21/12 10:00am - 12:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, HSU Basic	2, 3, 8 HSN	Director's Forum: Moving with the Brain in Mind (All)	This workshop will provide participants with information on brain structure, brain functioning and the important role in stimulating early brain development in young children through healthy choices. Make sure to dress in clothes that are comfortable to move in! (Phyllis Rizzo)
#4699	Thursday, 3/22/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	LD, CCPF Basic	2, 3, 8 CGD, LEE, ICFC	Raising Readers (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	Participants will review research based programs that teach literacy concepts such as letter recognition and sounds. The workshop also offers ways to extend those programs using popular children's books and exciting hands on learning activities. All participants will also receive a set of children's books as well as a wealth of information. (Jessica Stinson)
#4700	Tuesday, 3/27/12 6:45pm - 8:45pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	HSU Basic	1, 8 HSN, CGD	How Safe Is Your Classroom? (All)	Participants will be able to recognize hazards in the classroom and discuss ways to prevent them. (Lisa Kirkland)
#4701	Tues - Thurs. 3/27/12 - 3/29/12 8:30am - 12:30pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	CD, LD, CCPF, QCCL, HSU, PDG Basic	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 CGD, HSN, LEE, ICFC, PRD	Getting Started (All)	This course introduces participants to foundational information they will need to provide safe & nurturing interactions & developmentally appropriate activities that will benefit the children in their care. MUST ATTEND ALL SESSIONS TO RECEIVE TRAINING CREDIT!
#4702	Thursday, 3/29/12 6:00pm - 8:00pm	GRCMA Training Room; Mobile	QCCL, CD Intermediate	2, 3, 8 COA, ICFC, CGD	Facts of ADHD (Preschoolers / School-Agers)	Participants will learn the characteristics, symptoms, & causes as well as behavioral therapy techniques of ADHD. (Beth Adkins, UCP)