

The White Center Providers Group invites you to the 3rd Annual



Early Learning Fair & Conference

Saturday, March 6th 2010

White Center Heights Elementary School
10015 - 6th Avenue SW Seattle, WA 98146

The Early Learning Fair and Conference is for ANYONE who takes care of young children or is interested in doing so.

Registration is due by
February 12th 2010

For questions related to this fair call Sarah (206) 763-2081 or email csws@comcast.net

Cost: \$25

Make Checks payable to WCP
Includes 4 STARS hours.

Payment Options:

If you are in the WCELI boundaries you may be eligible for Professional Development reimbursement funds for this conference. Please check with your director or call Valerie at CCR. (206)329-1011 ext 259

Come meet with representatives from local colleges to learn about upcoming classes

Meet representatives of early learning organizations

Check up on local Union News

Shop at vendor tables

Connect and network with providers in your area

Enjoy a continental breakfast and lunch

A huge THANK YOU to the sponsors of this year's event:

Schedule for the Day

- *8:45 to 9:30 Guided Tour of the new Educare center-*optional.
- 9am to 10am Check-In and Continental Breakfast open
- 10am to 12pm AM Workshop Session #1
- 12 to 1pm Resource Fair and Buffet Lunch provided
- 1-3 pm PM Workshop Session #2
- 3 to 3:30 Closing Ceremony-Raffle, Door Prizes and Evaluations
- *3:30 to 4:15pm Guided Tour of the new Educare Center-*optional.

Bring your STARS ID Number for STARS hours

SINGING AND SO MUCH MORE AM and PM

Lorraine Bayes offers Folk songs, finger plays, felt boards and FUN. Lorraine uses her many years of experience and expertise with Tickle Tune Typhoon using singing, sign language, poetry, stories, learning props, creative movement and rhythm activities to teach ways to incorporate music throughout your day and in your early childhood curriculum while supporting language development, literacy, physical education, social skills and music appreciation.

ONE CHILD, TWO LANGUAGES AM and PM

Vanessa Maanao offers, supporting preschool age dual language learners. Participants in this session will review the stages of second language acquisition and developmentally appropriate activities specifically designed to support the different stages of language. Participants will leave with strategies that can be integrated into their practice such as Total Physical Response (TPR) and Dialogic Reading.

ART REALLY TEACHES AM and PM

Renee Huizenga offers Art really teaches. Release your inner artist. When young children play creatively with visual art materials they are acquiring skills they will use for the rest of their lives. Give yourself an opportunity to interact with a variety of media and experience art appreciation "early childhood style" as you make art based on works by famous American artists.

STORYTELLING AM and PM

Carol Spencer-Coons. Learn how Storytelling can bring new learning outcomes into your classroom. Explore the benefits of telling stories to encourage positive discipline, social awareness and academic confidence in 2 to 5 year olds. No note taking needed-this is a hands on experience.

LARGE MUSCLE ACTIVITIES PM ONLY

Sarah Weir offers Large muscle activities for everyone. You don't have to be an athlete to get moving and have fun. This is an "in real life" workshop to get you and your kids moving with the equipment and space you already have.

SCIENCE FUN. AM ONLY

Starla Bailey offers Eruptions, potions and more...Science fun with young children. Learn simple, cheap and oh-so spectacular ways to erupt volcanoes, send corks into space and much more. This hands on workshop is a definite BLAST!

