



ROCHESTER ASSOCIATION FOR THE
EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT—2015-2016

Always check the RAEYC website for updates ~ Training hours offered for all programs
>>>> Bring your brown bag dinner ~ Drinks provided <<<<

Theme: GROWING MINDS - HOW A CHILD'S BRAIN DEVELOPS

Learning and Moving

Wed.
Sept. 16
6:00-7:30

Creative movement is an ideal way to help young children develop critical-thinking and problem-solving skills. Learn developmentally appropriate movement to increase learning and academic readiness to accompany classroom activities.

Presenter: Carol Benedik-Carmel PT
Location: Al Sigl Center, 1000 Elmwood, GYM

Building Brain Power: Executive Function & Preschoolers

Wed.
Oct. 21
6:00-7:30

Teachers and caregivers should learn about executive function (EF) brain processes and how to provide opportunities for children to strengthen their EF skills. Focusing on EF skills as part of your curriculum will support children's readiness for school and life. In this session we will learn about EF skills and classroom activities and practices that support children's development and learning.

Presenter: Kathleen Hursh
Location: Al Sigl Center, 1000 Elmwood, GYM

Saturday
Nov. 7
8:00-noon

~ Fall Conference ~

Stay tuned for exciting updates!!!

Location: Al Sigl Center, 1000 Elmwood, Door 1

Play, It's That Simple!

Wed.
Jan. 20
6:00-7:30

Come have fun and play with us. Plan to participate in a variety of group games using simple equipment to promote cooperation, social skills, motor development and fitness for children ages 2-5. You will leave with many play ideas to incorporate into your programs for little or no cost.

Presenter: Rose Shufelt, Infant-Toddler Specialist from The Child Care Council
Location: Al Sigl Center, 1000 Elmwood, Door 1

How to Encourage Healthy Brain Development to Include All Children

Wed.
Feb. 24
6:00-7:30

We will look at factors impacting brain development including stress, neurological and sensory issues. Learn strategies to support ALL children in the learning process and promoting healthy brain development.

Presenter: Pam Grant and Jacqueline Lindauer
Location: Al Sigl Center, 1000 Elmwood, Door 1

Look for Updates re:
Spring Seminar,
Children's Film Festival
and other MOYC Activities

April 7-9

New York State AEYC Annual Conference

Westchester Hilton, Rye Brook, NY

For more information visit: www.nysaeyc.org

Making or Breaking a Child's Day...The Pivotal Influence of a Teacher

Wed.
May 18
6:00-7:30

Come to this interactive workshop to learn how to help every child find acceptance, learn coping skills, and feel valued in a group setting. We will showcase findings from well-known early childhood experts leading participants to discover ways to adapt teaching methods and approaches that accommodate children's differences and needs while in an environment of encouragement within a vibrant classroom community.

Presenter: Susan Neal, Rochester Preschool Parent Program, Mary Louise Musler, Early Learning Training Academy
Location: Children's Continuous Care, 369 Mildahn Road Macedon, NY 14502

