

CHILD CARE RESOURCE & REFERRAL

A strong predictor of high quality care is caregiver training and belonging to a supportive network. Networking with others who have similar care goals will have a greater, more positive impact than if you work in isolation. The CCRR provides many opportunities for networking, professional development and training. For more information or to register please contact us. at 250-372-7791 or email: kamloopsccrr@shawlink.ca.

WORKSHOPS & TRAINING COURSES

JANUARY

Wed. Jan. 20/6:00-8:00 - **Make n' Take Mini Olympics**
- Take home some National Pride and a love sport that you can share with your children

Friday Jan. 29/6:30-9:00 - **"Movie Night Disguised as a Workshop"** - (I smell popcorn!) Join us for an evening of educational DVD (fun and popcorn included!) -

FEBRUARY

Wed. Feb. 17/6:00-8:00 - **Make n'Take-Time to think about "numeracy literacy"**. Come out for an evening of amazing and hands on fun math Ideas!

Sat. Feb. 27/9:00-12:00 - **Building Partnerships in the Child Care Setting**. Learn ways to establish positive, 2-way communication with families and how to approach those "hard to have conversations".

MARCH

Wed. Mar. 10/6:30-9:00 **"Old School Games" for the Young - Make n'Take** combined with the workshop **"Life Skills Through Physical Play"**-

Thursday March 25/6:30-8:30 - Have you reviewed your policies, procedures and parent agreements lately? Contracts and handbooks don't guarantee that all problems will be avoided but they will provide a framework to deal with issues. We will provide an

overview of the difference between a policy and procedure and look at essentials in policies and agreements. It will be a good time to discuss any particular challenges with your current policies.

APRIL

Wed. Apr. 14/6:00-8:00 - **"Stop to Smell the Roses" - A Make n'Take that you can really "dig"**. Come out for resources and teaching aides that will guarantee you and your children will have the "greenest" thumbs.

Sat. Apr. 24/8:30-4:30 - **First Aid** - (Please bring a brown bag lunch)

Sat. Apr. 10/9:00-1:00 - Are you curious how other daycares arrange their environment? Are you looking for ideas? Join us on for the great **"Tour de Daycare"** (bus ride and snacks included)

MAY

Thursday. May 13/6:00-9:00 - **"How Children View Nature"** - It's the small things in the environment that create the biggest interest and excitement for children. Come out for the workshop and experience nature through the eyes of children. Come prepared for "field" work. You will get great ideas, resources, a make n'take and a field trip... all inclusive!

GOOD BEGINNINGS

FAMILY CHILD CARE COURSES

25 Hour Training Course

Thursdays, 6:00 - 8:30 pm

April 1 - June 3

Course 2214

Cost: \$225.00 plus GST

This course covers all topics necessary for an individual to operate a Licensed Family Day care or informal child care in your home. Manual included. Please bring a large binder for manual and handouts.

Good Beginnings was developed with two strong underlying goals:

- 1) To provide a quality training program developed specifically for caregivers offering family child care, to help these caregivers to be the best they can be and;
- 2) To empower current caregivers with the knowledge of the valuable & quality child care services they provide to children & their families.

Family child care providers are so much more than just baby-sitters.

Program Includes

- Child Guidance
- Business Management
- Health and Nutrition
- Program Planning
- Safety and Emergencies
- Grant Information

KEY ELEMENTS OF SCHOOL AGE CARE

Mondays, 6:00-8:30

Jan 25 - March 29

Course 2189

\$175.00 + GST

Everything you ever wanted to know about school age childcare. Lots of good ideas and discussions ranging from; behavior challenges to development. This is a certificate course for "Responsible Adult" training.

TYPES OF CHILD CARE - CHILD CARE IN BC

TYPE OF CARE	MAXIMUM NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE	AGE RANGE
License-Not-Required (LNR) Family Child Care	2 children or a sibling group, other than the care provider's own	Birth up to and including age 12
Licensed Family Child Care (LFCC)	7 children including the caregivers own. Where there is a child under 12 months old, the caregiver may care for a maximum of 2 or more children between 12 months and 48 months. Where there is no child 12 months or younger, a caregiver may care for a maximum of 4 children under 48 months and the balance of the children are between 48 months and 12 years old	Birth up to and including age 12
In-Home Multi-Age Care (ECE)	8 children including caregivers' own. Where there is a child under 12 months old, the caregiver may care for a maximum of two or more children between 12 months and 36 months. Where there is no child under 12 months a provider may care for a maximum of 3 children between the ages of 12 months and 26 months with the balance of children between 36 months and 12 years old.	Birth up to and including age 12
Group Child Care	Not more than 12 in a group	Under 3 years of age
Group Child care	Not more than 25 in a group	30 months to school age
Preschool	Not more than 20 in a group	30 months to Kindergarten
School Age Child Care	Not more than 20-25 children in a group	Kindergarten up to and including age 12
In Child's Own Home	Children in a family	

If a person or facility providing child care is NOT in compliance with these Child Care Regulations, they are operating illegally. The Community Care Facilities Branch, Ministry of Health, is responsible for the development and implementation of legislation, policy and guidelines to protect the health and safety of persons being cared for in licensed facilities.

To contact the local child care licensing office in your area, please call **Enquiry BC at 1-800-663-7867** or the Local Health Unit.

- We reserve the right to change schedules.
- Fees subject to applicable taxes.

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