



Inspired Minds ECC Workshops & Webinars

Connect ~ Play ~ Inspire

At Inspired Minds ECC, we strive to provide your team with the professional development resources, services, support, and knowledge they need to continue their advocacy for young children and high-quality childcare programs. All our workshops are hands-on, interactive workshops that provide practical strategies that go *'Beyond the Basics'* and can be quickly and easily incorporated into your program. Our workshops include strategies, hands-on activities, and reflective discussions. Our workshops are geared towards adults working with children ages 6mo -12 years and are available in OSC OSC-focused format as well. Workshops and webinars are 2-hours unless otherwise noted. All workshops can be extended to 3-hours to provide your team with a more detailed look into strategies, tools, and in-depth reflective discussions. Online or in-person delivery is available.

Workshops to Inspire Your Learning Journey

1. **Active Listening:** Surviving Difficult Conversations with Positive Outcomes
2. **Adventures of Play:** Exploring Risky Play
3. **Approaches to Play:** Exploring Play Schemas
4. **NEW! Anti-Biased Celebrations:** Understanding the Anti-Biased Approach to Celebrations in the Early Learning Environment
5. **AVAILABLE FALL 2024! Beautiful Minds:** Caring for Children with Neurodiversities
6. **Beautiful Oopsies:** Exploring the Creativity of Open-Ended Art Experiences
7. **Brain Architecture Game:** The Powerful Role of Positive Relationships with Young Children
8. **Build It Up!** Designing Creative Block Spaces
9. **Building Stronger Team Together:** Effective Team Communication in Early Childcare Programs
10. **Caring Connections:** Interactions that Matter
11. **Creating Magical Spaces:** Inspiring Early Childhood Environments
12. **Curiosity and Wonder of Treasure Baskets:** Infant and Toddler Play Explorations
13. **DAP Trivia Time:** Understanding Best Practices in Child Care
14. **NEW! Exploring Hygge:** Creating Spaces that Foster Happiness, a Sense Belonging and Togetherness
15. **Finding Calm in the Chaos:** Importance of Self-Care for Early Childhood Educators
16. **AVAILABLE FALL 2024! Image of the Educator:** Identify who you are as a Professional ECE
17. **Inspiring Curiosity to Play:** Creating Provocations and Invitations to Play
18. **Laughter and Learning with ABCs:** Creating Joy through Language and Literacy Play Experiences
19. **Let's Be Friends:** Bullying Awareness with SEL
20. **Let's Move!** Including Movement & Active Play Everyday
21. **Look at Me Grow!** Celebrating Children's Growth and Learning Through Children's Journals, Stories and Portfolios
22. **Managing Stress:** Finding Balance at Work and in Life
23. **Mighty Transitions:** Discovering Transitions that Work
24. **No Waiting! Get Them Shaking:** Exploring and Extending Engaging Transitions
25. **Ooey Goey Messy Fun!** Designing Sensational Sensory Experiences
26. **AVAILABLE FALL 2024! Protectors of Play:** Valuing Play in the Early Learning Years
27. **Redefining Circle Time:** Moving Beyond Adult Directed Group Times with Young Children
28. **Rocks and Sticks and Wonderful Things!** Creative Outdoor Play Experiences for Young Children
29. **Shake, Rattle and Roll!** Creative Music and Movement Experiences for Young Children
30. **Storytime Success:** Creating Memories Through Storytelling



31. **The Inner Child!** Developing the Spiritual Well-Being of Every Child
32. **The Magic of Loose Parts:** Promoting Play with Loose Parts
33. **The ME, The You, The We:** Facilitating Social Emotional Learning
34. **The World is a Stage!** Inspiring Creativity through Dramatic Play
35. **Tinkering and Toying with STEM:** Exploration and Discovery Through STEM, STEAM & STREAM
36. **We All Belong:** Inclusive Practices in the Early Years
37. **We Are Family!** Building Stronger Connections with Families
38. **What a Wonderful World:** Creating Culturally Diverse Environments in Childcare
39. **Where the Wild Things Are:** Providing Effective Active Supervision
40. **Which Way to the Brain?** Brain Smart Strategies to Support Early Learning and Development

Understanding & Guiding Children's Behaviors Workshops

30. **From Crying to Smiling:** Understanding Challenging Behaviours
31. **NEW! The Third Teacher:** Creating Responsive Environments to Support Children's Behaviours
32. **The Daily Struggle:** Facilitating Conflict Resolution
33. **Know No No's:** Understanding Positive Guidance Strategies (3 hours)

Emergent & Play-Based Curriculum Workshops

34. **Unlocking the Magic of Emergent Curriculum:** An Introduction to the Emergent Curriculum Approach
35. **Observing Play with Intention:** Enriching your Emergent Curriculum Approach
36. **Playful Planning:** Enriching your Emergent Curriculum Approach
37. **Reflections of Playful Learning:** Enriching your Emergent Curriculum Approach

Leadership & Management Workshops

38. **Attracting & Retaining an All-Star Staff Team:** Proven Strategies that Work! (3 hours)
39. **Bringing the Village Together:** Team Building Practices for Early Childhood Organizations
40. **Building a Leading-Edge HR Manual for your Childcare Programs** (3 hours)
41. **Building Positive Relationships with Families:** Leadership Strategies to Enhance your Relationships with Families (3 hours)
42. **Conflict Management Strategies for Leaders** (3 hours)
43. **Leadership Through Connection:** Practical Leadership and Coaching Strategies for Early Childhood Leaders (3 hours)
44. **Leading with Advocacy:** Professionalism and Ethics for Early Childhood Leaders
45. **Leading Your Team to Success:** Collective Leadership for Early Childhood Leaders
46. **Mentoring and Coaching Your Team to Success:** Effective Coaching and Mentoring Practices for Early Childhood Leaders (3 hours)