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NSU
Child and Family Network

**Child Care Training
Calendar
2017**

April
May
June

1800 Warrington Place 1410 Neel Kearby Blvd
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<http://cfn.nsula.edu>

Office Hours
8:00 am – 4:30 pm
Monday – Friday

TRAINING COSTS

Rates for type III centers and FCCH providers with a TIPS number from CCAP below:

<u>Regular and health workshops</u>	<u>FREE</u>
<u>CEU sessions</u>	<u>FREE</u>

Rates for Type I, II, FCCH, and Head Start centers without TIPS #

<u>Regular workshops 2 hrs.</u>	<u>\$7</u>
<u>Regular Workshop 3 hrs.</u>	<u>\$10</u>
<u>Regular Workshop 4 hrs.</u>	<u>\$13</u>
<u>CEU 6-hour sessions</u>	<u>\$20</u>

Register and provide your TIPS number to be enrolled at no cost. Please be respectful of the fact that your spot is being reserved for you and if you do not attend, you may be keeping someone else from attending.

ONSITE TRAINING – please call for rates.

Make checks or money orders payable to: NSU Child & Family Network. Mail to 1800 Warrington Place, Shreveport, LA 71101-4425

All sessions taught by **Pathways-approved trainers or Child Care Health Consultants** for licensing or health credit as appropriate.

REGISTRATION POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

- Pre-registration is required for all training sessions.
- Substitutions are allowed.
- Children may not attend training sessions.
- Arrive 30 minutes prior to session to allow time of sign in, and so class can begin on time.
- Attendance in the classroom is required for full credit. Certificates will be docked for time out of training.
- All payments received by NSU Child & Family Network are issued a receipt. These receipts verify your payment and confirm your registration. Save the receipt to be assured a seat in class, and for your taxes. If you fail to receive a receipt, please contact the NSU-CFN Director, Nancy P. Alexander.

New 2, 3, 4, & 6 hour workshops Check times carefully!

CDA Courses

After January 1, 2018 CDA course work must be completed through a BESE approved Early Childhood Ancillary Certificate Program.

NSU Child and Family Network is one of the BESE approved Believe and Prepare: Early Childhood, Louisiana programs in the state. The typical time frame to fulfill all CDA requirements is approximately one year. In order to meet the 2019 deadline for all lead teachers to have an Early Childhood Ancillary Teaching Certificate childcare providers are encouraged to begin the classwork now.

WATCH YOUR EMAIL FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS, AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS.

NEW Workshops to enhance every learning center

Taking Interest Centers to the Next Level:

Taking advantage of every learning opportunity with intentional teaching strategies will help teachers improve CLASS scores, include ELDS, and give documentation opportunities for assessment (TS GOLD). Get ideas, strategies, and support to improve interest center interactions and outcomes. New workshops for Math and Manipulatives, Reading Center, Dramatic Play, Science, Art, and Music

Need more information about the Early Childhood Ancillary Certificate? Complete information is available on the Louisiana Department of Education web site:

<https://www.louisianabelieves.com/early-childhood/preparing-and-certifying-teachers>

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Check Out Our Website

Scan below to find training information on our website. In the menu box on the right of the website, you will find links to online training, webinars, and workshops.

Keep up to date on additional sessions by visiting frequently
<http://cfn.nsula.edu>



We're on Facebook

Link up with NSU Child and Family Network to keep up with what's happening and find out about resources to help your program. Watch for announcements of special events and monthly featured online workshops at reduced prices.

Administrator's Page

Curriculum Initiative DEADLINE APPROACHING

Complete an application for the curriculum grant with required documentation, invoice receipts, and submit to your local Resource & Referral Agency prior to June 1, 2017.

LDE will reimburse any Type III center 80% of the cost of one or two Tier I curricula up to \$4,000. You may spend up to \$5,000 on the curricula. These curricula have been evaluated by the state and found to align closely with the Louisiana Birth to Five Early Learning and Development Standards. The procedure for reimbursement is now complete, so everything is ready for you to purchase your curricula. Once received, submit for your reimbursement. Your Technical Assistant can help you work through the purchasing and reimbursement process.



NSU-CFN is offering curriculum specific training to support staff in implementing your new curriculum. There are sessions scheduled this quarter. Look for this graphic.

**Director's Network
Thursday May 11
11:30 am – 1:30 pm**

***Brown bag session (bring your own lunch)**

Now That You've Purchased Curriculum, How Do You Ensure Appropriate Implementation?

This session will give directors strategies for leading the implementation process now and in the future. Start out on the right foot and keep everyone in step. Two hour certificates will be issued for attendance.

Directors Please Note: TS GOLD Training Classes begin promptly at the time listed. Must have an active **GOLD** account. Call Donna Lee for scheduling onsite. 318-677-3148

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Shreveport CPR and First Aid

Monday April 10	6 pm – 9 pm
Saturday April 22	9 am – 12 pm
Monday April 24	6 pm – 9 pm
Monday May 15	6 pm – 9 pm
Saturday May 20	9 am – 12 pm
Monday May 22	6 pm – 9 pm
Monday June 5	6 pm – 9 pm
Monday June 19	6 pm - 9 pm

Alexandria CPR and First Aid

Saturday April 8	9 am – 12 pm
Monday April 17	6 pm – 9 pm
Saturday April 29	9 am – 12 pm
Monday May 1	6 pm – 9 pm
Saturday May 20	9 am – 12 pm
Monday June 12	6 pm – 9 pm

Other sessions will be scheduled as needed.

Call, check our website, and watch your email for additional options

- CPR and First Aid certifications are valid for 2 years.
- MUST be pre-registered.
- Classes can be scheduled at your center for your convenience!

Flyer Quick Reference

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- CDA information - page 19

Other Training Possibilities Choose the Method that Meets Your Needs

Webinars!

New and convenient training available in two part sessions. Receive 3 clock hours to use toward licensing, CDA, or to move up the Louisiana Pathways Career Ladder. New topics/ new format. Try it out! Watch your email for Webinar notices.

Onsite Training!

Choose your topic, your date, your time, and receive customized training. Questions? Call us at 318-677-3150, or 800-796-9080 or contact your TA



Online Workshops

No need to wait for scheduled training. Do you need clock hours in a specific area to apply for your CDA?

- Is licensing coming and a staff member needs hours?
- Do you need CEUs to move up on the Pathways Ladder?
- Is there a problem you need help with?
- Do you need the convenience of training that fits your schedule?

Then online Workshops are for you!

Here's how Online Workshop Sessions Work:

Send in the registration form along with your payment. You receive a user name and password in an email with instructions on how to access the course. You read, complete practical assignments, submit 2-4 of the assignments and complete a 20-24 question test. Your certificate is mailed to you.

Free Training for ALL Centers in Vernon Parish and Type I and II Centers in Caddo and Bossier Parishes.

Through the Department of Defense and Penn State University, we offer training for all centers in Vernon, and Type I and II centers in Caddo and Bossier at no charge! **Call Annetta Osborne at (318) 677-3192 to schedule your free session.**



Training Facility Directions

SHREVEPORT

NSU Child & Family Network, 1800 Warrington Place:
Heading West on I-20, take the Fairfield exit and turn left onto Fairfield.
 Turn left onto Margaret Place. Heading east on I-20, take the Line
 Avenue exit and go south for approximately one mile. Turn right on
 Margaret Place. Turn left onto Warrington Place.

ALEXANDRIA – CDA Classes

The Learning Center for Rapides Parish, 1410 Neel Kearby Blvd:
 From I-49, take the Air Base Road exit. Follow as the road curves into
 England Air Park toward the Alexandria Airport. Turn left onto Frank
 Andrews Blvd. Turn left onto Van Gossen Ave. turn right onto Neel Kearby.
 The LCRP is directly ahead.

LEESVILLE

Vernon Parish Library, 1401 Nolan Trace:
 From LA-171, take Hwy 8 (Nolan Trace Parkway). Continue, following this
 road about a mile, and the Library will be on your left.

NATCHITOCHES

NSU Campus, Family & Consumer Sciences Building:
 From I-49, take the Natchitoches exit onto Hwy 6. Continue following this
 road into Natchitoches as it becomes Natchitoches Parkway. NSU is on
 your right. Turn right onto Caspari. The FACS building is in the second set
 of buildings on your right, across from the campus police station.

MANSFIELD

Location: We Care of Mansfield, 970 Louise St. Mansfield, LA 71052
 Head south on either Hwy 171 or Hwy 175 into Mansfield, turn left on Polk
 St. (Hwy 84), in 0.9 miles turn right onto Louise. Destination is on right.

COLFAX

PDC Building 600 Main St. Colfax, LA 71417 Take the LA-1200
 E exit, EXIT 99, toward Boyce/LA-8 E, in approx. 8.41 mi
 turn right onto Main St/LA-8.

FERRIDAY

E.A. Davis Learning Center – 152 MLK Blvd. From Highway 84/US-84 turn
 left on MLK Blvd.

Central LA Quick View Page

DATE	COD	TITLE & Location
Natchitoches Classes – NSU Family and Consumer Science Bldg.		
April 27	B-7c	Gold Basics(CDA 7)
May 25	E-5l	LA Early Learning Guidelines and Program Standards
June 15	B-3b	Avoid Behavior Problems: Teach Self- Control
Leesville Classes see pgs. 6 & 7 for locations and pg 16 for directions		
April 22	E-3g	I Want, I Want, I Want (CDA 2)
April 22	B-3c	Creating Special Moments with Infants and Toddlers
May 13	B-5i	Improving Transition Times
May 13	B-8d	Building a Healthy Brain (CDA 8)
June 24	I-2i	Getting Ready to Read and Write
June 24	B-3d	Problem Solving with Young Children (CDA 3)
Ferriday Training – EA Davis Learning Center		
April 29	S-5e	Implementing Curriculum: Creative Curriculum
Colfax training: Location: PDC Bldg. 600 Main St.		
April 4	B-5g	CLASSworks: How Will the Obs. Tool Help Me
Dry Prong Training: South Grant Child Care 1101 Hwy 1241		
April 11	B-1h	*HEALTH: Serve Safe Module II (CDA 1) (ADM 4)

Dry Prong South Grant Child Care 1101 Hwy 1241

April 11 **Tuesday 6-9 pm**
 B-1h *HEALTH: Serve Safe Module II (CDA 1) (ADM 4)
Trainer: Ree Smith

Ferriday EA Davis Learning Center

April 29 ****Note: 2 hr. Class**** **Saturday 9 am – 11 am**
S-5e Implementing Curriculum – Creative Curriculum (CDA 5)
 (ADM 6) Now that you have it, how do you get started! Learn how to make the
 most of your new curriculum. You MUST already have the curriculum to attend.
Bring your Teacher’s Guide or Manual with you. Trainer: Lien McGehee

Colfax PDC Bldg. 600 Main St.

April 4 **Tuesday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-5g CLASSworks: How Will the Observation Tool Help Me and
My Students? (CDA 5) Get a thorough introduction to CLASS and learn
 what observers are really looking for. **Trainer: Lien McGehee**

Natchitoches Classes

NSU Campus Family and Consumer Science building

April 27 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-7c Gold Basics (CDA 7) Learn all about the assessment tool and how to
 implement it in your program. Includes hands on work in the computer lab
 on capturing documentation, leveling children’s progress and
 checkpoints. **Trainer: Josie Williams** **Page 5**

Natchitoches Classes Cont.

May 25 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**
E-5l Louisiana Early Learning Guidelines and Program Standards. (CDA 5) (ADM 6) This session meets the Quality Start requirements for training in Louisiana Early Learning Guidelines and Program Standards, and Louisiana Content Standards for Programs Serving Four-year-old Children
Trainer: Josie Williams

June 15 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-3b Avoid Behavior Problems- Teach Self-Control (CDA 3)
Identify ways to adapt your program and teach children skills that promote self-control. Help children develop this important skill to be ready to start school.
Trainer: Josie Williams



Leesville Training
Location: First Baptist Leesville

April 22 ***NOTE 2 hr class**** **Saturday 9 am – 11 am**
E-3g I Want, I Want, I Want (CDA 2) Look at how advertising captures children and what advertisers don't want you to know. Learn the effects of marketing on children **Trainer: Josie Williams**

April 22 ***NOTE 2 hr class**** **Saturday 12 pm – 2 pm**
B-3c Creating Special Moments with Infants and Toddlers (CDA 3) Discover how to create special moments with infants and toddlers every day. Turn routine tasks into special moments. **Trainer: Josie Williams**

May 13 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**
B-5i Improving Transition Times (CDA 5)
Learn how you can smooth transitions to make them productive, fun times for children and stress free for adults. **Trainer: Josie Williams**

May 13 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**
B-8d Building a Healthy Brain (CDA 8) – Providers will learn ways to identify ways to purposefully use relationships, respect, repetition, routines, and responsive interactions in their work with very young children and their families to promote healthy brain development. **Trainer: Josie Williams**

All classes in Leesville, Colfax, Ferriday, Natchitoches & Grant are open to all child care providers

Classes in Leesville are free for all providers WITH advance registration!

Shreveport Training Sessions (continued)

June 19 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries



June 20 ***Note time* 2 hr. Session** **Tuesday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**
S-2d Taking Interest Centers to the Next Level; Science
Taking advantage of every learning opportunity with intentional teaching strategies will help teachers improve their CLASS scores, include ELDS, and give them documentation opportunities for assessment. Get ideas, strategies, and support to improve interest center interactions and outcomes. **Trainer: Annetta Osborne**

June 22 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**
I-1i *HEALTH: Move it! Move it! Preventing Obesity in Children (CDA 1) Learn tips and resources for encouraging movement, exercise, and healthy eating habits to promote healthy lifestyles for children.
Trainer: Janie Phillips

June 22 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-1a Let's Go Outside! (CDA 1)
There are many ways to enhance children's outdoor playtime with inexpensive outdoor games and activities for children of all ages. You'll even make and take one with you! **Trainer: Marnetta Larrimer**

June 24 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**
I-1k *HEALTH: Runs Better Unleaded (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
Lead poisoning in young children can be a serious hazard that often goes unrecognized. Find out what hazards may be in your environment and what to do about it. Learn the symptoms and how lead poisoning can be treated. **Trainer: Martha Williams**



June 24 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**
B-1d *HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
This session meets the medication and health training requirements! Learn procedures to follow on medication administration in child care facilities. Receive definitions, restrictions, and forms to use.
Trainer: Martha Williams

June 24 **Saturday 9 am – 4 pm**
CEU 7a Putting the Pieces Together (CDA 2) Use hands-on math, literacy, and social studies activities based on LA Birth to Five Early Learning and Development Standards (ELDS). Practice how to document with TS Gold and meet CLASS Observation criteria for 2-4 year olds. **Trainer: Marnetta Larrimer**

Shreveport Training Sessions cont.

June 10 **Saturday 9 am – 4 pm**
CEU 2m Room Arrangements That Meet the Needs of Infant and Toddlers (CDA 2) Room arrangements and activities that facilitate the care of infants and toddlers and help them grow and develop. Special attention will be given to how room arrangement and guidance go hand-in-hand.
Trainer: Janie Humphries

June 10 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**
I-1a *HEALTH: Supervision = Safety (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
 Discover the importance of supervision and learn how to supervise effectively and make your indoor and outdoor environments safe for children. Learn helpful hints on to prevent accidents. **Trainer: Martha Williams**

June 10 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**
B-1d *HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
 This session meets the medication and health training requirements! Learn procedures to follow on medication administration in child care facilities. Receive definitions, restrictions, and forms to use.
Trainer: Martha Williams



June 17 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**
E-1i *HEALTH: Preventing Injuries and Caring for Yourself (CDA 1) (ADM 3) If lifting and carrying is often required in your job; learn to lift correctly and take care of yourself while caring for children to prevent injuries. **Trainer: Melissa Morton**

June 17 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**
B-1e *HEALTH: Evaluate Your Indoor Environment (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
 All children need a safe environment that contributes to learning. Discuss room arrangement, equipment and conditions that foster safety.
Trainer: Melissa Morton

June 19 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**
E-1g Enriching Play Experiences (CDA 1)
 Discover strategies to enhance learning through age-appropriate, creative play.
Trainer: Mary Humphries

June 19 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-6b Tie a Knot in the Rope and Hang On! (CDA 6) (ADM 6)
 Working with children all day can make you feel that you are at the end of your rope. Learn how to meet your own needs so that you can take care of those that you serve. **Trainer: Paula Youngblood**



Leesville Training Vernon Parish Library

June 24 ***NOTE 2 hr. class** Saturday 9 am – 11 am**
I-2i Getting Ready to Read and Write: Supporting Children's Development (CDA 2) - Before learning to read and write, children need to develop a variety of important foundational skills. These emergent literacy skills develop over time and are important in a child's journey in becoming a successful reader and writer.
Trainer: Josie Williams

June 24 ***NOTE 2 hr. class** Saturday 12 pm – 2 pm**
B-3d Problem Solving with Young Children (CDA 3)
 Hitting, grabbing, pushing, and biting: how do children learn to play nice? Children can learn how to solve their own problems, but they need adults to teach them how. **Trainer: Josie Williams**

Mansfield Classes
Location: We Care of Mansfield
970 Louise St. Mansfield, LA 71052
OPEN TO ALL CHILDCARE PROVIDERS



April 8 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**
B-3a Top 10 Ways to Support Children's Social and Emotional Development (CDA 3) Discuss how to foster children's social/emotional development, self-esteem, and independence to create a cooperative learning environment. **Trainer: Beonica Frazier**

April 8 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**
B-4a Building Positive Relationships with Families (CDA 4) (ADM 5) Discuss how to ease separation anxiety. Learn ways to welcome and communicate effectively with families to create a team approach to child care. **Trainer: Beonica Frazier**

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April 6	E-1f	*HEALTH: Children's Mental Health Matters (CDA 1)
April 8	B-1d	*HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1)(ADM 1)
April 8	B-1h	*HEALTH: Serve Safe Module II (CDA 1) (ADM 4)
April 10	CPR	CPR and First Aid
April 10	B-5c	It's 9 O'clock – Now What? (CDA 5)
April 10	E-7d	25 Activities and Done: Effective Documentation with Gold (CDA 7)

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DATE	CODE	TITLE
April 22	CPR	CPR and First Aid
April 22	I-3d	Typical Toddlers: A Positive Guidance Approach (CDA 3)
April 22	B-1k	B-1k Two Bits, Four Bits, Six Bits a Dollar (CDA 1)
April 24	CPR	CPR and First Aid
April 24	B-1d	*HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
April 24	B-2a	Bravo for Books: Developing a Reading Center (CDA 2)
April 27	B-1h	*HEALTH: Serve Safe Module II (CDA 1) (ADM 4)
April 27	B-2f	Art for All Ages (CDA 2)
April 29	B-1g	*HEALTH: Early Childhood Hazards (CDA 1)
April 29	E-1h	*HEALTH: Developing Good Nutrition Habits in Young
May 1	S-7b	Providing Engaged Support for Learning with Toddlers (CDA 7)
May 1	S-5d	Implementing Curriculum - Frog Street PREK (CDA 5) (ADM 6)
May 8	S-7d	Providing Instructional Support in the PreK Environment (CDA 7)
May 8	S-5e	Implementing Curriculum – TS Creative Curriculum (CDA 5)
May 11	E-1b	*HEALTH: Let's Plan a Healthy Lesson (CDA 1)
May 11	I-8a	I-8a A Day in the Life of an Infant (CDA 8)
May 13	E-8b	E-8b Time with Toddlers (CDA 8)
May 13	B-1b	*HEALTH: The Basics You Need to Know (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
May 15	CPR	CPR and First Aid
May 15	B-2b	Music throughout the Day (CDA 2)
May 20	CPR	CPR and First Aid
May 20	E-2d	Come Play with Me: Dramatic Play in Early Childhood (CDA 2)
May 20	B-7c	Gold Basics (CDA 7)
May 20	I-2b	The Magic of Music (CDA 2)
May 22	CPR	CPR and First Aid
May 22	B-4a	Building Positive Relationships w/ Families (CDA 4) (ADM 5)
May 22	I-3e	Stop it before it Starts! (CDA 3)
May 22	B-1h	*HEALTH: Serve Safe Module II (CDA 1) (ADM 4)
June 3	I-1j	*HEALTH: Feeding Young Children in Group Settings
June 5	CPR	CPR and First Aid
June 5	B-8a	Baby Basics: Infant and Toddler Development (CDA 8)
June 6	S-7a	Providing Emotional Support for Preschoolers and Toddlers (CDA 7)
June 6	S-5d	Implementing Curriculum: Frog Street Infant/Toddler (CDA 5)
June 10	CEU 2m	Room Arrangement for the Needs of Infant and Toddlers (CDA 2)
June 10	I-1a	*HEALTH: Supervision = Safety (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
June 10	B-1d	*HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
June 17	E-1i	*HEALTH: Preventing Injuries and Caring for Yourself (CDA 1)
June 17	B-1e	*HEALTH: Evaluate Your Indoor Environment (CDA 1)
June 19	CPR	CPR and First Aid
June 19	E-1g	Enriching Play Experiences (CDA 1)
June 19	B-6b	Tie a Knot in the Rope and Hang On! (CDA 6) (ADM 6)
June 20	S-2d	Taking interest Centers to the Next Level; Science
June 22	I-1i	*HEALTH: Move it! Preventing Obesity in Children (CDA 1)
June 22	B-1a	Let's Go Outside! (CDA 1)
June 24	I-1k	*HEALTH: Runs Better Unleaded (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
June 24	B-1d	*HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
June 24	CEU 7A	Putting the Pieces Together (CDA 2)

Shreveport Training Sessions (continued)

May 22 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-1h *HEALTH: Serve Safe Module II (CDA 1) (ADM 4)
 Learn how to provide a sanitary and safe food service program and avoid food-borne illnesses. This session is required of all food service employees. **Trainer: Martha Williams**



May 22 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**
B-4a Building Positive Relationships with Families (CDA 4)
 (ADM 5) Discuss how to ease separation anxiety. Learn ways to welcome and communicate effectively with families to create a team approach to child care. **Trainer: Mary Humphries**

May 22 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**
I-3e Stop it before it Starts! (CDA 3) Discuss ways to teach children conflict resolution and peaceful solutions to create a compassionate classroom and prevent violent behavior. **Trainer: Paula Youngblood**

June 3 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**
I-1j *HEALTH: Feeding Young Children in Group Settings
 (CDA 1) (ADM 4) This session provides information about child development, nutrition, and the logistics of food service needed to feed children in groups. **Trainer: Kathy Dillard**

June 5 **Monday 6 pm - 9 pm**
B-8a Baby Basics: Infant and Toddler Development (CDA 8)
 Learn what happens as babies grow from infants to toddlers and how caregivers can promote and enhance development.
Trainer: Mary Humphries



June 5 **Monday 6 pm - 9 pm**
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries

June 6 ***Note* 2 hr. Class** **Tuesday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**
S-7a Providing Emotional Support for Preschoolers and Toddlers
 An in depth look at teaching strategies that help children to develop warm supportive relationships. **Trainer: Annetta Osborne**

June 6 ***Note* 2 hr. Class** **Tuesday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**
S-5d Implementing Curriculum: Frog Street Infant/Toddler (CDA 5) (ADM 6) Now that you have it, how do you get started! Learn how to make the most of your new curriculum. You **MUST** have the curriculum to attend. **Bring your Teacher's Guide or Manual with you.** **Trainer: Paula Youngblood**



Shreveport Training Sessions (continued)

May 13 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm
B-1b *HEALTH: The Basics You Need to Know (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
This session covers how diseases are spread and how to keep children healthy, including proper diapering, hand washing, and sanitizing procedures, and child abuse and injury prevention. **Trainer: Kathy Dillard**

May 13 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm
E-8b Time with Toddlers (CDA 8)
What is a toddler and what can they do? Learn how to make the most of your time with toddlers by learning about age appropriate toys and activities for all areas of development. **Trainer: Beonica Frazer**

May 15 Monday 6 pm – 9 pm 
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries

May 15 Monday 6 pm – 9 pm
B-2b Music throughout the Day (CDA 2)
Look at how incorporating music into your everyday activities can help with more productive days. Make a musical instrument to use in your classroom. **Trainer: Mary Humphries**

May 20 *Note time** Saturday 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
B-7c Gold Basics (CDA 7)
Learn all about the assessment tool and how to implement it in your program. Includes hands on work in the computer lab on capturing documentation, leveling children's progress and checkpoints. **Trainer: Marnetta Larrimer**

May 20 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm 
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries



May 20 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm
E-2d Come Play with Me: Dramatic Play in Early Childhood (CDA 2)
Look at the role of dramatic play in children's learning and explore ways teachers can support it. Discover inexpensive ways to create fun new dramatic play centers. **Trainer: Mary Humphries**

May 20 Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm
I-2b The Magic of Music (CDA 2) Learn music activities to enhance your curriculum and encourage development by making simple musical instruments. Come ready to shake, rattle and roll! **Trainer: Mary Humphries**

May 22 Monday 6 pm – 9 pm 
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries

Shreveport Training Sessions

April 6 Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm
E-1f *HEALTH: Children's Mental Health Matters (CDA 1)
The basics of children's good mental health are not always clear, but the first fundamental rule is to know that children's mental health matters. **Trainer: Melissa Morton**



April 8 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm
B-1d *HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1) (ADM 1)
Meets the medication and health training requirements! Learn procedures to follow on medication administration in child care facilities. Receive definitions, restrictions, and forms to use. **Trainer: Melissa Morton**

April 8 Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm
B-1h *HEALTH: Serve Safe Module I1 (CDA 1) (ADM 4)
Learn how to provide a sanitary and safe food service program and avoid foodborne illnesses. This session is required of all food service employees. **Trainer: Melissa Morton**



April 10 Monday 6 pm – 9 pm
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries

April 10 Monday 6 pm – 9 pm
B-5c It's 9 O'clock – Now What? (CDA 5) Learn how planning, scheduling, transitions, indoor and outdoor times need to be well managed for a successful day! **Trainer: Mary Humphries**

April 10 Monday 6 pm – 9 pm
E-7d 25 Activities and Done: Effective Documentation with Gold (CDA 7) Learn various activities to meet objectives, how to document them and how to do them. We also do a refresher on where to find activities and the various search methods. **Trainer: Marnetta Larrimer**

April 22 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm 
CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries

April 22 Saturday 9 am – 12 pm
I-3d Typical Toddlers: A Positive Guidance Approach (CDA 3)
Help toddlers learn how to control their behavior as the beginnings of self-discipline. Learn how to respond to challenging behaviors. **Trainer: Mary Humphries**



Shreveport Training Sessions (continued)

April 22 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**

B-1k Two Bits, Four Bits, Six Bits a Dollar (CDA 1)

Teachers are always on a tight budget and many affordable, developmentally appropriate activities are available by purchasing \$1 items and using them in creative ways. Stock your learning centers with great and inexpensive ideas. **Trainer: Mary Humphries**



April 24 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**

B-1d *HEALTH: Medication Administration (CDA 1)

(ADM 1) Meets the medication and health training requirements! Learn procedures to follow on medication administration in child care facilities. Receive definitions, restrictions, and forms to use. **Trainer: Patsy Gafford**

April 24 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**

CPR and First Aid Trainer: Ron Humphries



April 24 **Monday 6 pm – 9 pm**

B-2a Bravo for Books: Developing a Reading Center in Your Classroom (CDA 2)

Books are FUN! Discuss the importance of a literacy center in all classrooms. Learn ways to create inexpensive new books and how to make stories come to life. **Trainer: Mary Humphries**



April 27 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**

B-1h *HEALTH: Serve Safe Module I1 (CDA 1) (ADM 4)

Learn how to provide a sanitary and safe food service program and avoid foodborne illnesses. This session is required of all food service employees. **Trainer: Janie Phillips**

April 27 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**

B-2f Art for All Ages (CDA 2)

This workshop will help you learn free or inexpensive activities for all ages and how to reduce the messes caused by many art projects.

Trainer: Paula Youngblood



April 29 **Saturday 9 am – 12 pm**

B-1g *HEALTH: Early Childhood Hazards (CDA 1)

Learn about two hazards to children's health that are often overlooked. Sun exposure and lead exposure must be understood and addressed. Identify the steps to take to prevent harm to children. **Trainer: Kathy Dillard**

Shreveport Training Sessions (continued)

April 29 **Saturday 1 pm – 4 pm**

E-1h *HEALTH: Developing Good Nutrition Habits in Young Children (CDA 1) (ADM 4)

Nutritional habits children learn during preschool years will significantly affect their future health. Learn how to encourage children to develop good nutritional choices.

Trainer: Kathy Dillard



May 1 ***Note* 2 hr. Class** **Monday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**

S-5d Implementing Curriculum: Frog Street PreK (CDA 5) (ADM 6)

Learn how to make the most of your new curriculum. You MUST already have the curriculum to attend. **Bring your Teacher's Guide or Manual with you.** **Trainer: Paula Youngblood**

May 1 ***Note* 2 hr. Class** **Monday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**

S-7b Providing Engaged Support for Learning with Toddlers

An in depth look at facilitation of learning and development, quality interactions, and language modeling with toddlers. ** Must be a Type III provider to take this session. **Trainer: Juliette Semien**

May 8 ***Note* 2 hr. Class** **Monday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**

S-7d Providing Instructional Support in the PreK Environment

An in depth look at teaching strategies that promote higher order thinking skills, quality interactions and language development. ** Must be a Type III provider to take this session. **Trainer: Kim Duncan**

May 8 ***Note * 2 hr. Class** **Monday 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm**

S-5e Implementing Curriculum: Creative Curriculum (CDA 5) (ADM 6)

Learn how to make the most of your new curriculum. You MUST already have the curriculum to attend. **Bring your Teacher's Guide or Manual with you.**

Trainer: Marnetta Larrimer



May 11 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**

E-1b *HEALTH: Let's Plan a Healthy Lesson (CDA 1)

Learn how to develop a curriculum for preschoolers on health, safety, and nutrition by practice setting goals, behavioral objectives and lesson plan development. **Trainer: Janie Phillips**

May 11 **Thursday 6 pm – 9 pm**

I-8a A Day in the Life of an Infant (CDA 8)

Children's experiences have much to do with how they grow and develop. Proper planning for an infant is essential. Learn to use a web approach to create a plan for infants' crucial experiences birth through eighteen months. **Trainer: Annetta Osborne**