



CCC-Talladega



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Happy New Year!



AELG Online Course

The **Alabama Early Learning Guidelines** professional development course, through a partnership between the Alabama Department of Human Resources, Alabama Public Television and the Alabama State Department of Education, will be offered online this quarter.

The course will begin January 11, 2012.

Registration deadline is January 6, 2012. Course participants must have a working email address and internet connection. Class size is limited. Please call Jessica to register.

Have you already had the AELG course and want to refresh your knowledge on what is best for Alabama's children while earning professional development contact hours?

Join in the *AELG Professional Community of Practice*, an online community specifically for people credentialed in the AELG. For more information please contact Salaam Green at sgreen@aptv.org.

CCC Training

Participant Contest!

Beginning January 2, 2012, providers who attend trainings presented by CCC will be entered into a monthly drawing to receive a complete bulletin board set layout for the following month.

This set will include bulletin board paper, die cuts and other exciting materials.



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News from Gadsden State Community College

Words from Williams

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, and it's time to register for Spring classes that will begin January 9th.

The **Ayers** campus of Gadsden State Community College has a variety of classes available. A class that is needed for the CDA will be offered as a hybrid classes on Mondays, CHD 204. Two other hybrid classes will be offered on Tuesday and Thursday nights, CHD 202 and CHD 217. Hybrid classes are part time live in the classroom and part time on the internet. Full internet classes include CHD 206, 209, and 210.

These type classes have become very popular and convenient for students because it allows students to have a full time job, take college courses,

be away from their family very much.

Mrs. Becky Miller has 2 Saturday-1 hour seminars that will be available: "Science Throughout the Year" on March 3rd and 10th and "Music for Preschoolers" on January 21st and 28th.

There are scholarships available for those working in child care. I would be happy to give you information concerning the Leadership in Childcare Scholarship or the T.E.A.C.H. scholarship. Please take advantage of these scholarships and begin your college career!

If you need further information please call or email me.

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Wallace Drive News

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the **Wallace Drive** Campus of GSCC!

Classes available this semester include: CHD 100: Introduction to Early Care and Education; CHD 201: Child Growth and Development; CHD 203 Child Literature and Language Development; and CHD 217: Math and Science for Young Children. Mrs. Sarah Pugh will be offering one Saturday 1 hour seminar: CHD 211: Child Development Seminar on Saturday, February 19th and Saturday, February 26th.

If you need additional information please call or email me.

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Climb Aboard the CCC E-Learning Train!

The CCC E-Learning Train is now boarding passengers! To board the train, please read the following for procedures.

- * All participants **must** take an initial one-week orientation session before registering for any other sessions.
- * Registration is accepted only through the following email: **ccc.elearning@att.net**
- * Participants will be emailed a registration form which must be returned by email to complete the registration.
- * Participants will be issued their username and password to access their session.
- * All two-hour training sessions will run two weeks.
- * In order to ensure that optimal learning is occurring, participation is required for these sessions. Participants will be required to complete pre-post tests, online discussions, complete assigned activities, and complete an evaluation form.
- * Upon successful completion of the training session, participants will receive their training certificates within 5 business days after the session ends.

E-Learning training sessions offered this quarter

Date	Title	Level	DHR Area	APCKA Area	CDA Area	Training Track
1/3/12-1/9/12	Orientation to E-Learning	Basic	CCPF	PPS	6	ALL
1/10/12-1/16/12	Orientation to E-Learning	Basic	CCPF	PPS	6	ALL
1/17/12-1/30/12	Grab a Story!	Intermediate	LD	LEE	2,7,8	Pre-school
2/7/12-2/13/12	Orientation to E-Learning	Basic	CCPF	PPS	6	ALL
2/14/12-2/27/12	Sensory Exploration for Infants	Intermediate	CD	CGD	2,3,7,8	Infants
3/6/12-3/12/12	Orientation to E-Learning	Basic	CCPF	PPS	6	ALL
3/13/12-3/26/12	Rainy Day Activities	Intermediate	CCPF	LEE	2,3,7,8	Family

Cancellation Policy
 In case of severe weather, CCC will contact all providers registered for training sessions to inform them of the cancellation of a session. This information will also be posted on our website.



CCC Training Registration Procedures

To register for CCC training sessions, call

Jessica at:
256.362.1390

Email:
jessica.burgess@dhr.alabama.gov



You will receive a confirmation email that your registration was received.




It's all in the details! Registration Details

- It is very important to register for training!
- Registration is on a first come, first serve basis.
- Please call to cancel your registration! By calling you will allow someone else to use your space.
- **CHILD CARE IS NOT AVAILABLE.** Please make other arrangements for your children.
- Due to space limitations, unregistered providers will not be allowed to attend.
- For safety and to meet credit guidelines, the door will be locked 15 minutes after the training session begins.



Training Tracks



Infant/Toddler Track	Preschool Track	Director Track
<p>This track is specifically for infant and toddler providers.</p> <p><i>Trainings for this quarter include:</i></p> <p>January: Caring for Little Ones: Sign language as a tool to communicate</p> <hr/> <p>February: Reality Bites: Biting in your early learning environment</p> <hr/> <p>March: Redirecting Toddlers</p> 	<p>This track is designed for preschool providers in either daycare centers or family child care homes.</p> <p><i>Trainings for this quarter include:</i></p> <p>January: “But they are only playing!” Interpreting play for parents</p> <hr/> <p>February: What’s your plan? Emergency preparedness in the childcare setting</p> <hr/> <p>March: Rainy Day Activities</p> 	<p>This track is intended to meet the needs of directors supervising employees in child care centers.</p> <p><i>Trainings for this quarter include:</i></p> <p>January: Sharing Decision Making</p> <hr/> <p>February: APT: Challenging Behaviors</p> <hr/> <p>March: APT: Behind the Scenes: Guide to Smart Media</p> 

We worry about what a child will become tomorrow, yet we forget that he is someone today.

~Stacia Tauscher

Saturday Trainings Calhoun County
<p>Saturday, February 2, 2012 9:00 Am –12:00 PM</p>
<p>Child Care Enhancement with a Purpose: Developmental Checklist</p>
<p>Healthy Childcare Alabama: Preventing Injuries in the Child Care Setting</p>
<hr/> <p>Saturday, March 17, 2012 9:00 Am –12:00 PM</p> <p>Child Care Central: Family Child Care Fun!</p>

Advanced Trainings
<p>Training specific for providers who have been in the child care field for 7 or more years.</p>
<p>January: Theories of Early Childhood: Gardner</p>
<hr/> <p>February: Theories of Early Childhood: Maslow</p>
<hr/> <p>March: Theories of Early Childhood: Smilansky</p>



Please see enclosed training grid for dates, locations and times for all training sessions. For your convenience, all trainings are listed by the counties the training will take place in.

Resource Room Contact Information

Talladega Resource Center
925 North Street
Talladega, AL
256. 362.1390

Ayers Resource Center
Gadsden State Community College
1801 Coleman Road
Head Start Bldg.
Anniston, AL
256. 835.3151

Gadsden Resource Center
Gadsden State Community College
George Wallace Drive Campus
Student Center/ Book Store Building
2nd Floor, Room 203
Gadsden, AL
256. 439.6800

CCC Talladega
will be closed the following days:



- * **Monday, January 2, 2012:** New Year's Day
- * **Monday, January 16, 2012:** Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- * **Monday, February 20, 2012:** Presidents' Day

Activity Packs



If you would like an activity pack mailed to your child care setting, give us a call!

Themes this quarter include:

Artic Bears, Penguins
Valentines, President's Day
Shamrocks, Spring

Activity packs include activity ideas, finger plays and more!



To register for a training session, please call Jessica at 256.362.1390 or email at jessica.burgess@dhr.alabama.gov

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