



SMART START for Teachers

A Project of Family Service Association

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Smart Start For Teachers

SMART START Training

TO REGISTER:

- ◆ Bring or mail a **check/money order** and **completed registration form** to **The Neighborhood Place**, by the stated registration deadline.
- ◆ Registration and payment cannot be accepted at the training site.
- ◆ Registrations are processed on a first-come, first-served basis until full.
- ◆ We are unable to accept registrations the day of training.
- ◆ Please make checks payable to **Family Service Association**.

REFUNDABLE TRAININGS:

- ◆ \$10 refundable
- ◆ Only available to City of San Antonio Council District employees—to find out if you qualify, please visit map.bexar.org or call 311
- ◆ If you register and attend, your check/money order will be returned to you unless otherwise indicated
- ◆ If you or any other member of your group is unable to attend, you may send a substitute with a completed registration form
- ◆ If you are unable to send a substitute and do not notify SMART START for Teachers at least 2 days prior to the training, we cannot provide a refund.

NON-REFUNDABLE TRAININGS:

- ◆ Basic, First Aid & CPR, SIDS/SBS/BD, Director's Brown Bag or otherwise indicated
- ◆ Your check/money order will be deposited upon registration and is non-transferable to another training.



Registrations can be completed at...

The Neighborhood Place

3014 Rivas Street
San Antonio, Texas 78228

Monday—Thursday @ 8:00am—8:00pm

Fridays @ 8:00am—5:00pm and Saturdays @ 9:00am—2:00pm

For general training questions, call **210-431-7500**

For specific training questions (content, location, trainer, etc.), call Sue Glassman 210-431-7510

Need another copy of the SMART START Calendar?

Visit our website at www.family-service.org

Select "Our Services", then "Child Care Resource & Referral", then "Provider", then SMART START Training Calendar

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JULY 2014

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Schedule of Events

Infant & Toddler Positive Guidance (Refundable)

Wednesday, July 9th (6:15pm—8:15pm)

Trainer: Sharon Scallion

Core Knowledge Area: 4

Subject Area: 8

This is an interactive class that deal with real base scenarios to properly guide and teach infant and toddler appropriate behaviors. We will address temper tantrum, excessive crying, tones of voice and an array of different strategies to implement within the classroom.

**Blessed Sacrament
1135 Mission Rd, San Antonio, TX 78210**

Top 10 Temper Tantrum Triggers (Refundable)

Thursday, July 17th (6:30pm—8:30pm)

Trainer: Tivy Whitlock

Core Knowledge Area: 1&4

Subject Area: 3

Did you know researchers have developed a Top 10 List for Temper Tantrum Triggers? You'll find out what these are and more. Caregivers may be surprised to learn that tantrums are both terrific and challenging. Temper tantrums are a normal part of the child's development process. Come learn more about setting positive expectations, temperament, and basic strategies to prevent temper tantrums.

**Playworks CDC
9480 Braun Rd, San Antonio, TX 78254**

Biting (Refundable)

Wednesday, July 16th (6:30pm—8:30pm)

Trainer: Sharon Scallion

Core Knowledge Area: 1

Subject Area:

This interactive class will deal with the profile of biters. Review strategies and solutions on how to redirect their behaviors and look at appropriate ways to address the parents on both ends the perpetrator and the victim.

**The Neighborhood Place
3014 Rivas, San Antonio, TX 78228**

AUGUST 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Schedule of Events

Prop Boxes (Refundable)

Wednesday, August 13th (6:30pm—8:30pm)

Trainer: Rebecca Medina

Core Knowledge Area: 3&6

Subject Area: 2

This course is an interactive class that will require you to be prepared for the week, bi-weekly or monthly activities for your classroom. There will be discussions on various prop boxes and demonstration on ways to prepare them. We will engage in learning activities as we explore the various boxes. Come prepared to have fun, get out of your seat and be involved in various activities that will be laid out for the evening.

Playworks CDC

9480 Braun Rd, San Antonio, TX 78254

Happy Caregivers, Happy Children! Refundable)

Thursday, August 28th (6:30pm—8:30pm)

Trainer: Tivy Whitlock

Core Knowledge Area: 3&8

Subject Area: 1&6

How well do you take care of yourself? As caregivers, we've got a lot on our plates and we're always busy taking care of everybody else. It's important that you also take care you and make time to do just that. If you don't, you'll burn yourself out and then you won't be good to anyone. In this session you'll learn more about how our happiness effects everyone around us, especially children in our care. Also, learn practical ways to reduce stress and be happy!

Kids R Kids at Liberty Field

10606 Liberty Field, San Antonio, TX 78254

If You Give a Child A Crayon What Happens? (Refundable)

Tuesday, August 19th (6:30pm—8:30pm)

Trainer: Missy Polaske

Core Knowledge Area: 3&7

Subject Area: 7

Discuss and learn the basics of written expression, stages of writing and using hands on materials to teach children how to write. This workshop will give the teachers the skills to teach young children fun and exciting ways to express themselves through writing.

Madison Square CDC

319 Camden St, San Antonio, TX 78215

SEPTEMBER 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Schedule of Events

Prop Boxes (Refundable)

Tuesday, Sept. 3rd (6:30-8:30pm)

Trainer: Sharon Scallion

Core Knowledge: 3 Subject Area: 2

This course is an interactive class that will require you to be prepared for the to week, bi-weekly or monthly activities for your classroom. There will be discussions on various prop boxes and demonstration on ways to prepare them. We will engage in learning activities as we explore the various boxes. Come prepared to have fun, get out of your seat and be involved in various Activities that will be laid out for the evening.

**St. Paul's Learning Center
1201 Donaldson Ave, San Antonio, TX 78228**

"Circle Time" (Refundable)

Monday, Sept. 22nd (6:15—8:15pm)

Trainer: Missy Polasek

Core Knowledge: 4 Subject Area: 2

What is it and how to implement it the right way in the classroom. Learn how incorporate: letter knowledge, print and phonological awareness, the calendar, finger plays, songs and dances. Be sure to dress comfortably and be prepared to interact in a CIRCLE TIME!

**The Neighborhood Place
3014 Rivas St, San Antonio, TX 78228**

Professionalism

Wednesday, Sept. 24th (6:30-8:30pm)

Trainer: Rebecca Medina

Core Knowledge: 3&8 Subject Area: 6

What consists of being a childcare professional? Come join us for this great Workshop where discussions will take place regarding on how to portray Ourselves as professionals and what are the important components devoted child care professionals possess.

**Kids R Kids at Liberty Field
10606 Liberty Field, San Antonio, TX 78254**

Recognizing Child Abuse

Tuesday, Sept. 30th (6:15—8:15 pm)

Trainer: Rebecca Medina

Core Knowledge: 8 Subject Area: 1

This interactive training will look at the potential warning signs that a child is at risk for abuse or neglect. We will also discuss the forms of abuse and neglect. How you are to report suspected abuse or neglect, your responsibility as a That professional reporter; and what information your program will need to provide you to meet DFPS standards.

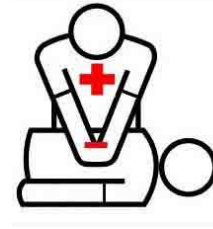
**The Neighborhood Place
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Pediatric CPR & First Aid Training

Saturday, July 26th (registration deadline = Thursday, July 24th)

Saturday, August 9th (registration deadline = Thursday, August 7th)

Saturday, September 13th (registration deadline = Thursday, September 11th)



*Class size is limited—register early!

CPR: 9:00am—11:30am (cost is \$28)

First Aid: 12:00pm—2:00pm (cost is \$28)



- * Please bring a sack lunch and change for the vending machines
- * This training is non-refundable & non-transferable
- * Late arrivals (after 9:15 or 12:15 will not be allowed in class)

SIDS/Shaken Baby Syndrome/Brain Development

Thursday, July 10th (6:15pm—8:15pm) Registration deadline = Monday, July 8th

Thursday, August 14th (6:15pm—8:15pm) Registration deadline = Tuesday, August 12th

Thursday, September 18th (6:15pm—8:15pm) Registration deadline = Tuesday, September 16th



Cost = **\$20 per person** (non-refundable)

Examine Sudden Infant Death and Shaken Baby Syndrome. Learn steps to reduce risks and strategies for prevention. You will also obtain a better understanding of brain development and how early experiences effect development and growth.

- ◆ This workshop meets TDFPS licensing requirements for infant and toddler providers.

Calling All Teachers & Directors

Are you interested in becoming a
Registered Trainer?

For detailed information, visit...

The Texas Early Care & Education Care
Development System (TECECDS)

www.uth.tmc.edu/tececds/

Interested in earning your CDA?

(Child Development Associate)

The next CDA class begins...

Wednesday, June 4th

6:00pm—8:00pm

702 San Pedro, San Antonio, TX 78212

Please call to register...

Sue Glassman (210)431-7510

Basic Training for Early Childhood Professionals

JULY 2014

SEPTEMBER 2014

Day 1—Saturday, July 12th (registration deadline = July 9th)

Day 1—Saturday, Sept. 6th (registration deadline = Sept. 3rd)

Day 2—Saturday, July 19th (registration deadline = July 13th)

Day 2—Saturday, Sept. 13th (registration deadline = Sept. 10th)

Day 3—Saturday, July 26th (registration deadline = July 23rd)

Day 3—Saturday, Sept. 20th (registration deadline = Sept. 17th)

All training sessions are scheduled from **8:30am—5:00pm**

The Neighborhood Place
3014 Rivas St., San Antonio, Texas 78228

Cost: **\$125** (for 3 days); **\$85** (for 2 days); **\$45** (for 1 day)

Non-refundable and non-transferable

These trainings meet the **new 24 hour pre-service minimum as required by child care licensing**. These classes are for providers who have less than two (2) years of experience working in the child care profession or are just beginning a career in early care and education. It does not need to be repeated.

- * Classes begin promptly on time—please arrive early (late arrivals will not be allowed into the training)
- * You will have 30 minutes for lunch—we suggest you bring a sack lunch and change for the vending machine

Traits of a Child— 5th Annual Out of the Box Conference

WHEN: Saturday, September 27th, 2014

Check in— 7:30am-4:30pm

WHERE: Region 20

1314 Hines Ave, San Antonio, TX 78208

COST: Early Bird Registration: Before July 30th -\$40

Regular Registration- \$45

Note: Registration Required

*Individual topics to be announced; however, training will be in the following areas:

- ⇒ Infant/Toddler
- ⇒ Preschool
- ⇒ Director
- ⇒ **CEU opportunity**

Need more information:

Contact: Sharon Scallion

Phone: (210) 390-1588 or (210) 535-4162

Email— Sharon@traitsofachild.com

Website— www.traitsofachild.com

UPCOMING LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

JULY 2014

4th Annual TSR! Early Childhood Summer Institute
July 9th—11th SAVE THE DATE!
 Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk Hotel
 111 East Pecan Street, San Antonio, Texas 78205
 Registration opens May 1, 2014
www.texasaeyc.org

OCTOBER 2014

Texas Child Care Administrators Conference
October 22nd—24th
 Wyndham San Antonio Riverwalk Hotel
 111 East Pecan Street, San Antonio, Texas 78205
 Registration: www.tacfs.org

SEPTEMBER 2014

Texas Association for the Education of Young Children (TAEYC) - 50th Annual Conference
September 4th—6th
 Austin, Texas
 Registration: www.texasaeyc.org

Texas Professional Home Child Care Association (TPHCCA) - 26th Annual Education & Enrichment Conference
September 18th—21st
 Hilton Garden Inn—Duncanville
 800 North Main St, Duncanville, Texas 75116
 Registration: tphcca.org

NOVEMBER 2014

National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) 2014 Annual Conference and Expo
November 5th—8th
 Dallas, Texas
 Registration: www.naeyc.org



CONNECTIONS TO THE WORLD OF EARLY CHILDHOOD

National Association for the Education of Young Children

NAEYC is dedicated to improving the well-being of all young children, with particular focus on the quality of educational and development services for all children from birth through age eight. For more information, please visit www.naeyc.org.

San Antonio Association for the Education of Young Children

SAAEYC is a local organization of teachers and administrators working in child care centers, public schools, community groups, colleges and universities, as well as parents and others working to raise awareness and understanding of the needs of young children and their families and remain abreast of current trends in early childhood. Please visit www.saaeyc.wordpress.com for more information.

Texans Care for Children

Texans Care for Children's mission is to improve the lives of Texas children by building commitment and action for improved public policy and programs in the areas of child and maternal health, child protection, child mental well-being, juvenile justice, and family financial security. Please visit www.texanscareforchildren.org for more information.

Texas Association for the Education of Young Children

TAEYC is committed to promoting professional development and evidence

-based best practices in early childhood education in the state of Texas. For more information, please visit www.texasaeyc.org.

Texas Early Childhood Education Coalition

The mission of the Texas Early Childhood Education Coalition is to build a system of quality early care and education that prepares children in Texas for success in their education and life. Check out www.tecec.org for more information.

Zero to Three

The mission of Zero to Three is to promote health and development of infants and toddlers. Please visit www.zerotothree.org for more information.

Council for Professional Recognition (www.cdacouncil.org)

The Council for Professional Recognition promotes improved performance and recognition of professionals in the early childhood education of children age birth to 5 years old; and administers the Child Development Associate® (CDA) National Credentialing Program. The CDA Program is designed to assess and credential early childhood education professionals.

PARTICIPANT REMINDERS:

- ◆ Please arrive at the training site at least **10 minutes early**. Classes begin promptly at the listed time.
- ◆ Late arrivals (**more than 15 minutes**) will not be allowed into the classroom.
- ◆ **Pre-registration is required** for all training sessions (unless otherwise indicated) - we cannot accept walk-ins.
- ◆ Please be respectful of other participants and the trainer(s):
 - ⇒ Keep **side bar conversations** to a minimum
 - ⇒ Place **cell phones** on “off” or “vibrate”
 - ⇒ Limit **response time** for texting/phone calls—certificates may be altered to reflect active training time
 - ⇒ **Be prepared**—be sure you have the required items for active participation (paper, pen, materials)
- ◆ We love children! However, these training sessions are designed for adult learning and children can be a distraction to the trainer and other participants. Please be sure to **make other arrangements for child care**.

**RESOURCE LIBRARY****Hours and Days**

Regular hours of operation: Mon-Fri 8:30am—4:30pm

2nd & 4th Tuesday of month: 6:30pm—8:00pm

Saturdays (once a month) (9:00am—12:00pm)

* May 3, June 7, July 12

Friendly Reminders

Check in and out with the front desk

Pre-measure & record footage at front desk prior to cutting

Return materials within the 30 day check out period

Fees: Laminating .50/ft Butcher Paper .25/ft

* Please bring exact change or a check

OTHER LEARNING RESOURCES**FAMILY CHILD CARE ASSOCIATIONS**

Family or home-based child care associations offer monthly training meetings/sessions for their members as well as non-members. SMART START for Teachers is pleased to support the Associations' efforts in offering training for directors and providers. Everyone is welcome to attend their regularly scheduled sessions. Registration information can be obtained by contacting each Association directly. Each Association charges a small, non-member fee for attending.

Los Ninos de San Antonio, 1042 Frost Fire, San Antonio 78245 (210) 674-3432

Support group meets quarterly on the 1st Saturday of the month (9:00am—12:00pm)

De Colores Child Care Home Association (210) 521-3442

Meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month (10:00am—1:00pm)

Home Grown Kids, Braun Station West Clubhouse, 8630 Tezel Road, San Antonio 78254 (210) 522-9015

Meets on 3rd Tuesday of each month (7:00pm—9:00pm)

Caring for Kids Association, Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 7139 RayBon, San Antonio 78218 (210) 655-2905

Meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month (7:00pm—9:00pm)

A Brighter Child Childcare Professionals Association, 270 Antrim Dr., All Kids 1st Learning Academy, San Antonio 78218 (210) 822-7777

Meets on the 3rd Wednesday of each month (7:00am—9:00pm)

El Buen Hogar, 404 N. Alamo, 3rd Floor, San Antonio, Texas 78155 (830) 379-5412

Meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month (9:00am—12:00pm)

SMART START for Teachers Registration Form

Name: _____
Please Print Clearly

Date of Birth: _____
Month/Day/Year

Home Address: _____

City, State, & Zip: _____

Home Phone #: (_____)
Area Code

Email: _____

Name of Center: _____

Phone #: (_____)
Area Code

Center Address: _____

City, State, & Zip: _____

Name of Training: _____

Date of Training: _____

Amount of Check/Money Order: \$ _____
Make payable to: Family Service Association

Check/Money Order #: _____

Gender: F or M **Ethnicity:** Hispanic/Latino Non-Hispanic/White Black/African American Other: _____

Annual Income: 0—\$10,000 \$10,001—\$20,000 \$20,001—\$30,000 \$30,001—\$40,000 \$40,001—\$50,000 \$50,000 +

Marital Status: Single Never Married Married Divorced Living Together Widowed Other: _____

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Complete one registration form for each SMART START for Teachers training .

Please make extra copies as needed.





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