



# 2019-2020 Contra Costa County Professional Development Calendar

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TITLE	DATE/TIME
<b>Mandated Reporter Training in English</b>	<b>Thursday – August 15, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>

Presented by Cristina Hickey, Child Abuse Prevention Council

The Child Abuse Prevention Council provides classes for community educators and professional groups on Mandated Reporting. We will discuss the issues of child abuse and the legal responsibilities of California's mandated reporters. All child care providers are encouraged to attend. There will not be a test at the end of the class. This class is for the AB 1207 Mandated Reporter Training.

**2 Hours**

**\*2 QM Bucks**

Questions:  
 Kimberly Nguyen  
 925-265-6454  
[kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org](mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org)

**LOCATION:**

**CocoKids Learning Institute Concord**  
 1035 Detroit Avenue  
 Suite 100-A  
 Concord, CA 94518

Register at: <http://bit.ly/2OALtgX>

<b>A Road Map to Kindergarten® Seminar</b>	<b>Saturday – September 7, 2019 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b>
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Presented by Rachel Fogleman, OUESD

Review the steps outlined in A Road Map to Kindergarten® so participants become familiarized with the guide. Provide ideas and strategies for use and implementation of A Road Map to Kindergarten® as a tool for parent education, teacher-parent interactions and school-to-home partnerships.

**3 Hours**

**\*3 QM Bucks**

Questions:  
 Marissa Frias  
 925-942-5331  
[mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us](mailto:mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us)

**LOCATION:**

**Contra Costa County Office of Education**  
 77 Santa Barbara Road  
 Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Registration Deadline: *Friday, August 30, 2019*

Register at: [https://rmtk\\_972019.eventbrite.com](https://rmtk_972019.eventbrite.com)

*NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by  
 Contra Costa County Office of Education.*

<b>Family Child Care Environment Rating Scale (FCCERS)</b>	<b>Saturday – September 7, 2019 – 9:00am-1:00pm</b>
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Presented by Carlos Lopez

This training introduces the Family Child Care Environment Rating Scale (FCCERS) tool. You will learn how the scale measures quality, participate in activities that will familiarize you with the content of the Scale, and understand how the Scale is interpreted.

**4 Hours**

**\*4 QM Bucks**

Questions:  
 Elida Treanor  
 925-771-7319  
[etreanor@first5coco.org](mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org)

**LOCATION:**

**First 5 Contra Costa**  
 1485 Civic Court  
 Suite 1200, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
 Concord, CA 94520

Registration Deadline: *Wednesday, September 4, 2019*

Register at: [https://fccers\\_09072019.eventbrite.com](https://fccers_09072019.eventbrite.com)

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<p><b>Green Cleaning – Asthma Safe Cleaning, Sanitizing and Disinfecting</b></p> <p>Presented by Kim Hazard, UCSF School of Nursing California Childcare Health Program.</p> <p>Learn about asthma-safe infectious disease control in your child care program. Child Care Providers will also be given the opportunity to learn how to choose and use the least harmful products to clean, sanitize, and disinfect their child care program.</p> <p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b>            Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p><b>Tuesday – September 10, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b></p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2KmcQ8U">bit.ly/2KmcQ8U</a></p>
<p><b>Making Math Meaningful</b></p> <p>Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning</p> <p>A hands-on exploration of how to spark a love of early math. We will discuss the five math preschool learning foundations through fun math activities that to implement in your preschool class.</p> <p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b>            Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p><b>Thursday – September 12, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b></p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2yzhGKo">bit.ly/2yzhGKo</a></p>
<p><b>TIC Training – Session 1</b></p> <p>Presented by Foster Bridge Trainers and Coaches</p> <p>This workshop will cover foundations of Trauma Informed Care Practice. This is a two-part session.</p> <p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b>            Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p><b>Saturday – September 14, 2019 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b></p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2Zp3aB5">bit.ly/2Zp3aB5</a></p>



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<b>Family Partnerships &amp; Culture (INCLUSION – 1 of 2 REQUIRED)</b>	<b>Tuesday – September 17, 2019 – 6:00pm-9:30pm</b>

Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist  
 Focus is on increasing cultural competence, communicating with families, self-reflection, and planning with cultural reflection

<p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b>            Questions:            Marissa Frias            925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, September 6, 2019</i>            Register at:  <a href="https://inclusion_familypartnershipculture_91719.eventbrite.com">https://inclusion_familypartnershipculture_91719.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: Dinner sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>  <i>The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
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<b>Desired Results Developmental Profile – DRDP 2015</b>	<b>Saturday – September 21, 2019 – 9:00am-4:30pm</b>
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Presented by Brenda Brown  
 Assessment Instrument: Infant/Toddler and Preschool – Gain understanding of the DRDP tool and how to use it.

<p><b>7 Hours</b>  <b>*7 QM Bucks</b>            Questions:            Marissa Frias            925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, September 13, 2019</i>            Register at: <a href="https://drdp2015_9212019.eventbrite.com">https://drdp2015_9212019.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>
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<b>Early Childhood Environment Rating Scale (ECERS)</b>	<b>Saturday – September 28, 2019 – 9:00am-1:00pm</b>
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Presented by Carlos Lopez  
 This training introduces the Early Childhood Environment Rating Scale (ECERS) tool. You will learn how the scale measures quality, participate in activities that will familiarize you with the content of the Scale, and understand how the Scale is interpreted.

<p><b>4 Hours</b>  <b>*4 QM Bucks</b>            Questions:            Elida Treanor            925-771-7319  <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa College</b>            2600 Mission Bell Drive            Room CELC 103            San Pablo, CA 94806</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, September 25, 2019</i>            Register at: <a href="https://infant1.00">Infant1:00</a>  <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i></p>
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TITLE	DATE/TIME
<b>Infant/Toddler Environment Rating Scale (ITERS)</b>	<b>Saturday – September 28, 2019 – 1:30pm-4:30pm</b>

Presented by Carlos Lopez

This training introduces the Infant/Toddler Environment Rating Scale (ITERS) tool. You will learn how the scale measures quality, participate in activities that will familiarize you with the content of the Scale, and understand how the Scale is interpreted.

<p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Questions:          Elida Treanor          925-771-7319  <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa College</b>          2600 Mission Bell Drive          Room CELC 103          San Pablo, CA 94806</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, September 25, 2019</i>          Register at: <a href="https://iters_09282019.eventbrite.com">https://iters_09282019.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i></p>
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<b>Guiding Young Children Part 1</b>	<b>Saturday – September 28, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b>
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Presented by CocoKids

This workshop addresses children’s challenging behavior and methods to work effectively with children and parents. Practical suggestions for managing conflict while supporting children’s optimal development will also be provided. Topics include: Children’s challenging behavior and ways to work effectively with children and parents; Practical suggestions for managing conflict while supporting children’s optional development; Using observation to understand behavior, effective communication skills, parenting styles, and cultural practices.

<p><b>5.5 Hours</b>  <b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Kimberly Nguyen          925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>          1035 Detroit Avenue          Suite 100-A          Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2IHNom3">http://bit.ly/2IHNom3</a></p>
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<b>Speech and Language Development for Young Children</b>	<b>Wednesday – October 2, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
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Presented by Sarah Ortega, Speech Language Pathologist

This training will focus on speech and language development in children. Participants will learn developmental milestones and red flags, and domains of speech and language. The training will also review strategies to elicit, develop, and improve overall communication.

<p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Kimberly Nguyen          925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>          1035 Detroit Avenue          Suite 100-A          Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2SYPcDo">bit.ly/2SYPcDo</a></p>
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<b>Meaningful Observations for DRDP 2015</b>	<b>Saturday – October 5, 2019 – 9:00am-4:30pm</b>

Presented by Brenda Brown

Learn strategies for on-going formative classroom assessments using the DRDP with a goal of conducting meaningful observations.

<p><b>7 Hours</b>  <b>*7 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Marissa Frias          925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>          77 Santa Barbara Road          Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, September 27, 2019</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Register at: <a href="https://meaningfulobservations_10512019.eventbrite.com">https://meaningfulobservations_10512019.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p style="text-align: right; color: red;"><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>
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<b>Guiding Young Children Part 2</b>	<b>Saturday – October 5, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b>
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Presented by CocoKids

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<p><b>5.5 Hours</b>  <b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Kimberly Nguyen          925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>          1035 Detroit Avenue          Suite 100-A          Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2IHNom3">http://bit.ly/2IHNom3</a></p>
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<b>Enhancing Care, Giving Resiliency (TIC Training – Session 2)</b>	<b>Thursday – October 10, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
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Presented by Foster Bridge Trainers and Coaches

During this training you will learn how to identify at least 3 trauma informed strategies, how to use observations tools for tracking behavior, how to create a trauma sensitive environment and more.

<p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Kimberly Nguyen          925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>          1035 Detroit Avenue          Suite 100-A          Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2ytQYDZ">bit.ly/2ytQYDZ</a></p>
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<b>Ages and Stages Questionnaire - (ASQ-3) &amp; Social-Emotional (2ASQ: SE-2)</b>	<b>Saturday – October 12, 2019 – 9:00am-5:00pm</b>

Presented by Quality Matter Coaches

The ASQ-3 screening tool looks at children's language, fine & gross motor, cognitive, and personal-social development. ASQ-3 can help identify a child's strengths as well as any areas in which the child may need support. ASQ: SE-2 is a set of questionnaire that screen behavior and social-emotional development in young children. There are 9 questionnaires for different ages used to screen children from 1 month to 6 years old. ASQ: SE-2 can identify a child's social-emotional strengths and areas in which the child may need support.

<p><b>8 Hours</b>  <b>*8 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Elida Treanor          925-771-7319  <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b>          1485 Civic Court          Suite 1200, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor          Concord, CA 94520</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, September 9, 2019</i>          Register at: <a href="https://asq3-asqse2_10122019.eventbrite.com">https://asq3-asqse2_10122019.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i></p>
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<b>Inclusion Works! (INCLUSION – 2 of 2 REQUIRED)</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 15, 2019 – 6:00pm-9:30pm</b>
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Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist  
 Focus is on defining inclusive practice, describing collaboration, and sharing practical strategies and resources

<p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Marissa Frias          925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccoc.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccoc.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>          77 Santa Barbara Road          Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, October 4, 2019</i>          Register at:  <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/inclusion-works-tickets-68304920857">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/inclusion-works-tickets-68304920857</a>  <i>NOTE: Dinner sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education. The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
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<b>Counting on Community</b>	<b>Tuesday – October 15, 2019 – 5:30pm-9:00pm</b>
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Presented by Debbie Supple and Eloisa Mendoza Hinds, Region 4 CPIN

Gain an understanding of key concepts from the CA Preschool Learning Foundations and Curriculum Framework, volume 3, HSS domain: Becoming a Preschool Community Member. Observe, read, and discuss the developmental continuum for civics and develop strategies that will guide instruction and learning in preschool and TK. Practice using the foundations and framework to intentionally plan developmentally appropriate cultural and inclusive strategies that promote the development of skills, knowledge, and behaviors related to civics.

<p><b>3.5 Hours</b>  <b>*3.5 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Marissa Frias          925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccoc.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccoc.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>          77 Santa Barbara Road          Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, October 4, 2019</i>          Register at: <a href="https://cpincountingoncommunity_10152019.eventbrite.com">https://cpincountingoncommunity_10152019.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: Dinner sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>
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<p><b>Making the Most of Classroom Instructions (MMCI I/T)</b></p> <p>Presented by Quality Matters Coaches</p> <p>This training provides a modified version that will go in depth on the Instructional Support Domain and Dimensions. You will learn strategies that support engagement and critical thinking activities to help children to understand concepts. This training strengthens teacher knowledge on effective ways to provide higher order thinking opportunities.</p> <p><b>6 Hours</b>  <b>*6 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Elida Treanor            925-771-7319  <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b>            1485 Civic Court            Suite 1200, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor            Concord, CA 94520</p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, September 9, 2019</i>            Register at: <a href="https://mmci-it_10192019.eventbrite.com">https://mmci-it_10192019.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i></p>	<p><b>Saturday – October 19, 2019 – 9:00am-3:45pm</b></p>	
<p><b>Cultivating Creativity Aligning Art and Literacy</b></p> <p>Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning</p> <p>Practice teaching techniques and activities that encourage young children to explore the world of art, take ownership of their creative process, and build the language skills they need to describe, criticize and develop art work.</p> <p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>            Antioch Public Library- East County            501 W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street            Antioch, CA</p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2ytsolO">bit.ly/2ytsolO</a></p>	<p><b>Thursday – October 24, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b></p>	
<p><b>Social Emotional Development in Group Care</b></p> <p>Presented by U.C. Davis Extension</p> <p>Participants will explore developmental theory in relation to individual and group care. They will be encouraged to consider the origins of children's behavior; biological factors, early childhood settings, family dynamics and the greater community influence child development, learn to incorporate methods of guidance/ discipline to facilitate prosocial behavior, problem solving, self-regulation, positive self-concept and self-esteem.</p> <p><b>5 Hours</b>  <b>*5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Marissa Frias            925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, October 18, 2019</i>            Register at: <a href="https://socialemotionaldevelopment_10262019.eventbrite.com">https://socialemotionaldevelopment_10262019.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and light snacks sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>	<p><b>Saturday – October 26, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p>	



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<b>2019-2020 CSEFEL Teaching Pyramid (5 Modules)</b>	<b>Saturday – October 26, 2019 – March 14, 2020 8:00am-4:00pm</b>

Presented by Quality Matters Professional Development Program

The Teaching Pyramid is a comprehensive approach designed to help educators promote social-emotional competence, address challenging behaviors in young children, and develop safe and nurturing group environments for all children. In this Cohort series, you will learn to implement the Teaching Pyramid, be supported by your Leadership Team representative(s), identify internal coaches/champions, and work with your assigned QRIS Coaches to achieve implementation.

**MODULE 1A - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2019**  
Nurturing and Responsive Relationships

**MODULE 1B - SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2019**  
Supportive Environments

**MODULE 2 - SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 2020**  
Direct Teaching of Social Emotional Strategies

**MODULE 3A - SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2020**  
Determining the Meaning of Challenging Behavior

**MODULE 3B - SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2020**  
Individualized Intensive Intervention

Questions:  
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Register at: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-2020-csefel-teaching-pyramid-5-modules-tickets-74838870075>

<b>Apoyo para Ninos Bilingues (Supporting Young Bilinguals)</b>	<b>Saturday – November 2, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b>
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Presented by Cocokids

Los participantes examinaran las experiencias relacionadas con la educación bilingüe y desarrollaran una base para comprender las experiencias de los niños y las familias en sus programas. El tema incluye, ventajas de ser bilingüe, estrategias para facilitar la adquisición de un segundo idioma, fomentar entornos ricos en idiomas en su programa y más.

**5.5 Hours**

**\*5.5 QM Bucks**

Questions:  
 Kimberly Nguyen  
 925-265-6454  
[kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org](mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org)

**LOCATION:**  
**CocoKids Learning Institute Concord**  
 1035 Detroit Avenue  
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Register at: <http://bit.ly/2necCsB>





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TITLE	DATE/TIME
<b>DRDP Online</b>	<b>Saturday – November 2, 2019 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b>

Presented by WestED  
 Administrators/staff learn how to: Assist agency staff to learn to complete the DRDP online through DRDP Online, View results for individual children/groups of children by classroom, site, and agency once information is entered, Support continuous program improvement as teaching staff and program administration work together to look at the results, create reports, compare and analyze data, identify program needs, and plan their next steps.

<b>3 Hours</b> <b>*3 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Marissa Frias 925-942-5331 <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b> 77 Santa Barbara Road Pleasant Hill, CA 94523	Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, October 25, 2019</i> Register at: <a href="https://drdponline_1122019.eventbrite.com">https://drdponline_1122019.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>
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TITLE	DATE/TIME
<b>Early Childhood Mental Health Community Forum</b>	<b>Saturday – November 2, 2019 – 9:30am-1:300pm</b>

Presented by Contra Costa County Mental Health Services Act (MHSA)  
 Lend your voice to the conversation on how to support positive mental health in young children. Learn about the importance of acting early to improve future mental health outcomes. Input gathered will be used in preparation for the Contra Costa Mental Health Service Act (MHSA) Three Year Program and Expenditure Plan for fiscal years 2020-2023. There will be information on local resources available, limited child care slots, as well as other support for families attending.

Questions: MHSA Office 925-951-2617	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Pittsburg Senior Center</b> 300 Presidio Lane Pittsburg, CA 94565	Register at: <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/early-childhood-mental-health-community-forum-tickets-72748008251">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/early-childhood-mental-health-community-forum-tickets-72748008251</a>  <i>NOTE: Light Lunch and refreshments to be provided.</i>
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TITLE	DATE/TIME
<b>Breathing, Stretching, and Strengthening Exercises to Release Stress</b>	<b>Thursday – November 7, 2019 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>

Presented by CocoKids  
 During this workshop, you will learn self-calming activities through breathing techniques and fun activities you can use in your program.

<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2mKjSfu">http://bit.ly/2mKjSfu</a>
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<b>Making the Most of Classroom Interactions (MMCI PreK)</b>	<b>Saturday – November 9, 2019 – 9:00am-3:45pm</b>	
Presented by Quality Matters Coaches		
This training provides a modified version that will go in depth on the Instructional Support Domain and Dimensions. You will learn strategies that support engagement and critical thinking activities to help children to understand concepts. This training strengthens teacher knowledge on effective ways to provide higher order thinking opportunities.		
<b>6 Hours</b> <b>*6 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Elida Treanor 925-771-7319 <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b> 1485 Civic Court Suite 1200, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Concord, CA 94520	Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, November 6, 2019</i> Register at: <a href="https://mmci-prek_11092019.eventbrite.com">https://mmci-prek_11092019.eventbrite.com</a> <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i>
<b>Cuentos, Cantos y Movimiento</b>		
Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning		
Acompañenos a compartir y practicar canciones, cuentos y juegos dinamicos de movimiento que apoyan el desarrollo de los niños no solo en la alfabetización temprana, pero tambien en varias areas de aprendizaje que son vitales.		
<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> La Casita Bilingue Montessori 592 Tennent Ave. Pinole, CA 94564	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2Ymt6AL">bit.ly/2Ymt6AL</a>
<b>Planning with Data</b>		
Presented by WestEd		
Receive tools, strategies and resources on how to integrate the findings into lesson planning.		
<b>7 Hours</b> <b>*7 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Marissa Frias 925-942-5331 <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b> 77 Santa Barbara Road Pleasant Hill, CA 94523	Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, November 8, 2019</i> Register at: <a href="https://planningwithdata_11162019.eventbrite.com">https://planningwithdata_11162019.eventbrite.com</a> <i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>



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<p><b>Visual and Performing Arts (INCLUSION)</b></p> <p>Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist</p> <p>Focus is on helping children to begin to notice, respond, and engage in the arts while developing skills to create, invent, and express.</p> <p><b>3 Hours</b>            *3 QM Bucks</p> <p>Questions:            Marissa Frias            925-942-5331  <a href="mailto:mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us">mfrias@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Tuesday – November 19, 2019 – 6:00pm-9:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, November 8, 2019</i></p> <p>Register at: <a href="https://inclusion_visualperformingarts_111919.eventbrite.com">https://inclusion_visualperformingarts_111919.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Dinner sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.            The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
<p><b>Social-Emotional Development: Self (INCLUSION)</b></p> <p>Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist</p> <p>Focus is on self-awareness, self-confidence, and personality to enable young children to become competent learners.</p> <p><b>3.5 Hours</b>            *3.5 QM Bucks</p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Saturday – December 7, 2019 – 9:00am-12:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, November 29, 2019</i></p> <p>Register at:  <a href="https://inclusion_socialemotionaldevelopment_12719.eventbrite.com">https://inclusion_socialemotionaldevelopment_12719.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by            Contra Costa County Office of Education.            The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
<p><b>Self “Calming the Inner Dragon”</b></p> <p>Presented by Debbie Supple and Eloisa Mendoza Hinds, Region 4 CPIN</p> <p>Recognize effective self-regulation behaviors typical of preschool children along the continuum of learning. Discuss how the CA Preschool Learning Foundations and Curriculum Framework Social-Emotional Development domain is related to social competencies needed for school success. Connect the Foundations to effective strategies that build support the development of self-regulation skills.</p> <p><b>3.5 Hours</b>            *3.5 QM Bucks</p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Saturday – December 7, 2019 – 9:00am-12:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, November 29, 2019</i></p> <p>Register at: <a href="https://selfcalmingtheinnerdragon_1272019.eventbrite.com">https://selfcalmingtheinnerdragon_1272019.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by            Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>



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<p><b>Loss, Trauma and Young Children</b></p> <p>Presented by U.C. Davis Extension</p> <p>Addresses the emotional impact of loss and trauma on young children. In addition to concrete information to increasing the physical safety of children in family childcare, the workshop explores the provider's role in helping children cope with stressful events, such as divorce, separation, and changing caregivers. Topics include: behavioral indicators of trauma; strategies to help children cope with loss; prevention of injuries.</p>	<p><b>Saturday – December 14, 2019 – 9:00am- 2:30pm</b></p>	
<p><b>5 Hours</b></p> <p><b>*5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions: Kelli Tharpe (925) 942-5329 <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b></p> <p><b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b> 77 Santa Barbara Road Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, December 6, 2019</i></p> <p>Register at: <a href="https://losstraumaandyoungchildren_12142019.eventbrite.com">https://losstraumaandyoungchildren_12142019.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>
<p><b>Partnering with Parents</b></p> <p>Presented by CocoKids</p> <p>This workshop is an opportunity to learn skills that maximize your ability to establish healthy communication and trust with parents. Working effectively with parents is at the heart of equality childcare, yet there are many challenges in developing this relationship. A variety of issues, ranging from money, to values about child rearing, to what makes a good snack, have the potential for conflict. Conflict resolution will be discussed.</p>	<p><b>Saturday – December 14, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p>	
<p><b>5.5 Hours</b></p> <p><b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b></p> <p><b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2mLHDnn">http://bit.ly/2mLHDnn</a></p>
<p><b>Motor Skills and Movement: Promoting Young Children's Physical Development</b></p> <p>Presented by Cocokids</p> <p>This workshop concentrates on the movement and perceptual- motor skills that young children are motivated to learn and practice. Fundamental movement skills, such as balance, spatial awareness and physical play, outdoor and indoor will be discussed.</p>	<p><b>Saturday – January 11, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p>	
<p><b>5.5 Hours</b></p> <p><b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b></p> <p><b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2ni0RBH">http://bit.ly/2ni0RBH</a></p>



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<p><b>Supporting Children to Prevent Suspension &amp; Expulsion</b></p> <p>Presented by Quality Matters Professional Development Program</p> <p>Description - Preschool suspension and expulsion are civil rights matters which early childhood programs must confront with developmentally, culturally, linguistically appropriate strategies. The root cause of suspension and expulsion of boys of color is well documented. At this training we will explore the link between traditional educational systems and the preschool to prison pipeline. We will discuss how evidence based strategies used in educational and therapeutic settings can support optimal developmental outcomes for boys. Discussion led by Shawn Bryant.</p> <p><b>6 Hours</b>  <b>*6 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Elida Treanor            925-771-7319  <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b>            1485 Civic Court            Suite 1200, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor            Concord, CA 94520</p>	<p><b>Saturday – January 11, 2020 – 9:00am-4:00pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, January 8, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at: <a href="https://preventsuspension-expulsion_092820.eventbrite.com">https://preventsuspension-expulsion_092820.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i></p>	
<p><b>Learning through Relationship with Infant/Toddlers Part I</b></p> <p>Presented by U.C. Davis Extension</p> <p>Part 1 of 2 part training: Addresses the emotional, social, intellectual, and physical development of infants and toddlers and the supportive role of the caregiver. Gain an increased understanding of the role of relationships and emotional development in learning. Topics include: temperament of children and adults; talking with parents about developmental processes.</p> <p><b>5 Hours</b>  <b>*5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Saturday – January 11, 2020 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, January 3, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at:  <a href="https://learningthroughrelationshipsp1_1252020.eventbrite.com">https://learningthroughrelationshipsp1_1252020.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>	
<p><b>Early Learning and the Growing Brain</b></p> <p>Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning</p> <p>Educators will deepen their understanding of early childhood brain development as it relates to literacy. We Will review the latest research on the subject and practice specific interactive classroom "read aloud" strategies that support early language acquisition and development.</p> <p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p><b>Wednesday – January 15, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b></p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2OA48JO">bit.ly/2OA48JO</a></p>	



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<p><b>Emergency Preparedness for Child Care Providers</b></p> <p>Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator</p> <p>This workshop introduces the steps child care providers can take in case of an emergency.</p> <p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p><b>Thursday – January 23, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b></p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2OV1G0u">bit.ly/2OV1G0u</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: This class will be in Spanish only.</i></p>
<p><b>Learning through Relationship with Infant/Toddlers Part 2</b></p> <p>Presented by U.C. Davis Extension</p> <p>Part 2 of Learning through Relationships w/Infants Toddlers training from Sat. January 11, 2020.</p> <p><b>5 Hours</b>  <b>*5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Saturday – January 25, 2020 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, January 17, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at:  <a href="https://learningthroughrelationshipspart2_1252020.eventbrite.com">https://learningthroughrelationshipspart2_1252020.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>
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<p><b>Hábitos Saludables: Nutrición y Bienestar de Niños Pequeños</b>  <b>Clase es en Español (Healthy Habits: Nutrition and Well-Being)</b></p> <p>Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator</p> <p>La salud y seguridad de los niños es de suma importancia para su desarrollo. Durante esta clase, discutiremos elección de alimentos, el mantenimiento de la seguridad personal y bucal.</p> <p><b>5.5 Hours</b>  <b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2mFs4Oc">http://bit.ly/2mFs4Oc</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: This class will be in Spanish only.</i></p>	<p><b>Saturday – February 8, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p>
<p><b>Language and Literacy: Listening and Speaking</b></p> <p>Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist</p> <p>Focus is on the strategies for fostering listening, speaking and comprehension skills.</p> <p><b>4 Hours</b>  <b>*4 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, January 31, 2020</i>            Register at: <a href="https://inclusion_listeningandspeaking_282020.eventbrite.com">https://inclusion_listeningandspeaking_282020.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast will be provided.</i></p>	<p><b>Saturday – February 8, 2020 – 8:30am-12:30pm</b></p>



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<b>Language and Literacy: Alphabetic Recognition (INCLUSION)</b>	<b>Saturday – February 8, 2020 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b>

Presented by Debbie Supple and Eloisa Mendoza Hinds, Region 4 CPIN

Read and discuss the knowledge, behaviors, and skills in the Alphabetic Word/Print Recognition strand from the California Preschool Learning Foundations, Volume 1. Discuss the connections between the foundations in the English-Language Development domain and the foundations in the Alphabetic Word/Print Recognition strand. Read and use strategies from the California Preschool Curriculum Framework, Volume 1 to plan learning experiences to support the Alphabetic Word/Print Recognition strand.

<p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Kelli Tharpe          (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>          77 Santa Barbara Road          Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, January 31, 2020</i>          Register at: <a href="https://alpharecog922.eventbrite.com">https://alpharecog922.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education. The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
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<b>Story Walking</b>	<b>Thursday – February 13, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
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Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning

Combining interactive classroom read aloud with extension activities, this approach to curriculum planning explores the versatility of books as teaching tools.

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<b>SIDS and Shaken Baby Syndrome</b>	<b>Wednesday – February 19, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
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Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator

The focus of this workshop will be SIDS, Shaken Baby Syndrome and Licensing Safe Sleep Regulations.

<p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b>          Questions:          Kimberly Nguyen          925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>          1035 Detroit Avenue          Suite 100-A          Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2GHie5v">bit.ly/2GHie5v</a></p>
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<b>Learning Genie – Beginner</b> Presented by Brenda Brown	<b>Saturday – February 22, 2020 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b>
In this 3-hour hands-on training, learn how to improve the quality of your program using the Learning Genie App, including: Record DRDP observations, Rate RDP measures, Generate digital portfolios & reports, Track DRDP progress, Transfer data to DRDP Online, Engage and involve parents.	
<b>3 Hours</b> <b>*3 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kelli Tharpe (925) 942-5329 <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b> 77 Santa Barbara Road Pleasant Hill, CA 94523
	Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, February 14, 2020</i> Register at: <a href="https://learninggenie_beginner_22220120.eventbrite.com">https://learninggenie_beginner_22220120.eventbrite.com</a> <i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>
<b>Learning Genie – Advanced</b> Presented by Brenda Brown A 3-hour advanced, more in-depth training with the Learning Genie App.	<b>Saturday – February 22, 2020 – 12:30pm-3:30pm</b>
<b>3 Hours</b> <b>*3 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kelli Tharpe (925) 942-5329 <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b> 77 Santa Barbara Road Pleasant Hill, CA 94523
	Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, February 14, 2020</i> Register at: <a href="https://learninggenie_advanced_222202.eventbrite.com">https://learninggenie_advanced_222202.eventbrite.com</a> <i>NOTE: Light snacks sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>
<b>Positive Guidance</b> Presented by Julie Kurtz Positive Guidance - Participants will learn what challenging behavior is and how children use challenging behavior to communicate. Participants will be able to describe the meaning behind a child's behavior and will walk away with the key strategies to support children in preventing challenging behavior to learn to promote their social and emotional skills.	<b>Saturday – February 29, 2020 – 9:00am-4:45pm</b>
<b>7 Hours</b> <b>*7 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Elida Treanor 925-771-7319 <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b> 1485 Civic Court Suite 1200, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Concord, CA 94520
	Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, February 27, 2020</i> Register at: <a href="https://positive-guidance_02292020.eventbrite.com">https://positive-guidance_02292020.eventbrite.com</a> <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i>



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<b>Happy Teachers, Happy Classroom: Self-Care My Way</b>		<b>Saturday – March 7, 2020 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b>
Presented by La Wanda Wesley		
Self Care My Way - Participants will leave with a personally customized self-care plan that fits their daily lives both inside and outside the classroom. This will be a fun and spirited workshop where teachers playfully engage and explore self care tips and trick designed just for and by them.		
<b>3 Hours</b> <b>*3 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Elida Treanor 925-771-7319 <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b> 1485 Civic Court Suite 1200, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Concord, CA 94520	Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, March 4, 2020</i> Register at: <a href="https://selfcare_030720.eventbrite.com">https://selfcare_030720.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i>
<b>ECE Leadership, Race and Equity</b>		<b>Saturday – March 7, 2020 – 1:30pm-3:00pm</b>
Presented by La Wanda Wesley		
Early Care and Education Leadership Opportunity Gap: Racial Equity Lens of Who is In and Out? Come engage in critical discourse about the importance and value of disrupting this narrative to achieve desired outcomes for children, families, and the workforce that is culturally responsive and congruent present and future trends.		
<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Elida Treanor 925-771-7319 <a href="mailto:etreanor@first5coco.org">etreanor@first5coco.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>First 5 Contra Costa</b> 1485 Civic Court Suite 1200, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Concord, CA 94520	Registration Deadline: <i>Wednesday, March 4, 2020</i> Register at: <a href="#">TBA</a>  <i>NOTE: It is First 5 Contra Costa policy that late registrations and walk-ins will NOT be accepted or allowed into the training.</i>
<b>16th Annual Young Children’s Issues Forum</b>		<b>Saturday – March 14, 2020 – 9:00am-12:30pm</b>
Presented by the Contra Costa County Local Planning and Advisory Council for Early Care and Education (LPC)		
Join your local state legislators, local elected officials, business leaders, early childhood educators, families, and the community in a dialogue about the current movement to elevate the quality of Early Care and Education services for all children and promote increased compensation.		
<b>3.5 Hours</b> <b>*3.5 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Susan Jeong 925-942-3413 <a href="mailto:sjeong@cccocoe.12.ca.us">sjeong@cccocoe.12.ca.us</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Pleasant Hill Community Center</b> Perera Pavillion 320 Civic Drive Pleasant Hill, CA 94523	Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, March 13, 2020</i> Register at: <a href="#">TBA</a>  <i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>



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<p><b>Perdida, Trauma en Niños Pequeños Clase es en Español (Loss, Trauma and Young Children)</b></p> <p>Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator</p> <p>Esta clase da explica el impacto emocional que los niños sufren cuando hay una perdida. Esta clase explora el papel del proveedor para ayudar a los niños a enfrentar eventos estresantes, como el divorcio, la separación y el cambio de proveedores.</p> <hr/> <p><b>5.5 Hours</b>  <b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:          Kimberly Nguyen          925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p>	<p><b>Saturday, March 21, 2019 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p> <hr/> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2lAdeIO">http://bit.ly/2lAdeIO</a></p>
<p><b>Preschool English Learner Guide (INCLUSION)</b></p> <p>Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist</p> <p>Focus is on language, literacy, and learning for children with disabilities or other special needs who are learning English as a second language and the distinction between language difference and language disorder.</p> <hr/> <p><b>4 Hours</b>  <b>*4 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:          Kelli Tharpe          (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>Saturday – March 21, 2020 – 8:30am-12:30pm</b></p> <hr/> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, March 13, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at:  <a href="https://inclusion_physicaldevelopment_4212020.eventbrite.com">https://inclusion_physicaldevelopment_4212020.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education. The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
<p><b>Integrated Learning through STEM</b></p> <p>Presented by Debbie Supple and Eloisa Mendoza Hinds, Region 4 CPIN</p> <p>Discuss purpose of this publication through reading and discussion. Review content through group activities and readings. Experience and discuss components of the reflective planning cycle. Define STEM components in an early childhood classroom. Experience dynamic planning for developmentally appropriate STEM environments and interactions/conversations.</p> <hr/> <p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:          Kelli Tharpe          (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccocoe.k12.ca.us</a></p>	<p><b>Saturday – March 21, 2020 – 9:00am-12:00pm</b></p> <hr/> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, March 13, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at: <a href="https://cpin_integratedlearning_3212020.eventbrite.com">https://cpin_integratedlearning_3212020.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>



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<b>Story, Song and Movement</b> Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning Join us as we share and practice songs and dynamic movement games for the classroom that support students' development not only in early literacy, but in a number of learning areas that are vital for kindergarten readiness.		<b>Thursday – March 26, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2GJXkmu">bit.ly/2GJXkmu</a>
<b>Phonological Awareness</b> Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning In this workshop, educators will learn the differences between phonological awareness, phonemic awareness, and phonics and why the development of these skills leads to later reading achievements. Through fun games and activities, educators will learn new tools to support the development of young children's phonological awareness in developmentally appropriate ways.		<b>Wednesday – April 15, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Location TBA - West County</b>	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2YBHm7P">bit.ly/2YBHm7P</a>
<b>The Power of Successful Transitions</b> Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator In this workshop, educators will learn the differences between phonological awareness, phonemic awareness, and phonics and why the development of these skills leads to later reading achievements. Through fun games and activities, educators will learn new tools to support the development of young children's phonological awareness in developmentally appropriate ways.		<b>Thursday – April 18, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/317Ocq9">bit.ly/317Ocq9</a>





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<p><b>Physical Development: Perceptual Motor Skills &amp; Movement Concepts (INCLUSION)</b></p> <p>Presented by Lisa Shaanan, Bay Region 4 CPIN, Special Education Lead, Coach, and Occupational Therapist</p> <p>Focus is on Perceptual-motor coordination to carry out coordinated movement and knowledge about what, where, and how the body is moving.</p> <p><b>3 Hours</b>  <b>*3 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Tuesday – April 21, 2020 – 6:30pm-9:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, April 10, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at:  <a href="https://inclusion_motorskillsandconcepts_42120.eventbrite.com">https://inclusion_motorskillsandconcepts_42120.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Dinner sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.            The first 20 participants who attend and complete 6 out of 8 Inclusion Trainings, including the required September and October Trainings, are eligible for a \$200 stipend.</i></p>
<p><b>The Power of Successful Transitions</b></p> <p>Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator</p> <p>In this workshop, educators will learn the differences between phonological awareness, phonemic awareness, and phonics and why the development of these skills leads to later reading achievements. Through fun games and activities, educators will learn new tools to support the development of young children’s phonological awareness in developmentally appropriate ways.</p> <p><b>2 Hours</b>  <b>*2 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kimberly Nguyen            925-265-6454  <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b>            1035 Detroit Avenue            Suite 100-A            Concord, CA 94518</p>	<p><b>Thursday – April 18, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b></p> <p>Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/317OcQ9">bit.ly/317OcQ9</a></p>
<p><b>Culture and the Care of Young Children Part 1</b></p> <p>Presented by UC Davis</p> <p>1 of 2 part training: Topics include: ways to help children with sleeping, eating, and toileting; impact of culture on the lives of children, families and child care providers; role of child care providers in helping each child form a healthy cultural identity.</p> <p><b>5 Hours</b>  <b>*5 QM Bucks</b></p> <p>Questions:            Kelli Tharpe            (925) 942-5329  <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a></p> <p><b>LOCATION:</b>  <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b>            77 Santa Barbara Road            Pleasant Hill, CA 94523</p>	<p><b>Saturday – May 2, 2020 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, April 24, 2020</i></p> <p>Register at: <a href="https://ucdavis_cultureandcare_522020.eventbrite.com">https://ucdavis_cultureandcare_522020.eventbrite.com</a></p> <p><i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i></p>



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<b>Caring for Mixed Aged Groups</b>		<b>Saturday – May 16, 2020 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b>
Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator		
Family Child Care homes and some center-based care settings integrate children of different ages. Mixed-age settings provide children with opportunities to observe, emulate and initiate skills and behaviors that can monitored in a safe and developmentally appropriate manner.		
<b>5.5 Hours</b> <b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2lbJ5ze">http://bit.ly/2lbJ5ze</a>
<b>Culture and the Care of Young Children Part 2</b>		<b>Saturday – May 16, 2020 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b>
Presented by UC Davis		
Part 2 of Culture and the Care of Young Children training from Sat., May 2, 2020.		
<b>5 Hours</b> <b>*5 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kelli Tharpe (925) 942-5329 <a href="mailto:ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us">ktharpe@cccoe.k12.ca.us</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>Contra Costa County Office of Education</b> 77 Santa Barbara Road Pleasant Hill, CA 94523	Registration Deadline: <i>Friday, May 8, 2019</i> Register at: <a href="https://ucdavis_cultureandcare_part2_5162060.eventbrite.com">https://ucdavis_cultureandcare_part2_5162060.eventbrite.com</a>  <i>NOTE: Continental breakfast and lunch sponsored by Contra Costa County Office of Education.</i>
<b>Trauma Strategies for Educators</b>		<b>Wednesday – May 20, 2020 – 7:00pm-9:00pm</b>
Presented by Tandem Partners in Learning		
This workshop is focused on exploring what trauma looks like in children 0-5 years old. Learn about different types of trauma, how it affects developing brains and bodies, and practice trauma-sensitive classroom strategies that support all children in your classroom.		
<b>2 Hours</b> <b>*2 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518	Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2OOWjQh">bit.ly/2OOWjQh</a>



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<b>Setting the Stage for Social Competence</b> <b>Saturday – June 27, 2020 – 9:00am-2:30pm</b>	
Presented by Kimberly Nguyen, Quality Improvement Facilitator	
Participants take a preventative approach to challenge behavior and plan activities that promote pro-social skills. During this workshop, you will learn how to provide social-emotional guidance, how to use social stories, and help children build a sense of self.	
<b>5.5 Hours</b> <b>*5.5 QM Bucks</b> Questions: Kimberly Nguyen 925-265-6454 <a href="mailto:kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org">kimberly.nguyen@cocokids.org</a>	<b>LOCATION:</b> <b>CocoKids Learning Institute Concord</b> 1035 Detroit Avenue Suite 100-A Concord, CA 94518  Register at: <a href="http://bit.ly/2mDOSOI">http://bit.ly/2mDOSOI</a>