Early Learning for People Who Care About Young Children

MAY 2018 WORKSHOP

Environmental Experiences for Early Childhood Interactive Outdoor Learning Activities for Young Children

Tuesday, May 22 6:00—8:30 p.m.

Ives Grove Racine County Building 14200 Washington Ave., Sturtevant

Facilitator: Valerie Mann, Pringle Nature Center

Homework: A take home activity will be required to receive Registry Credit

Registration Deadline: May 16, 2018 (when class capacity is reached, registration will close)

Research shows that children who are connected to nature experience positive benefits to their social, emotional, academic, and physical development and well-being. This workshop will help early childhood teachers to:

- Foster children's curiosity about nature through outdoor exploration and play-based learning
- Offer ideas on how to bring the outdoors into the classroom that includes sensory experiences, singing, dancing, and movement

Participants will receive a curriculum that contains 130 experiences that engage young children (ages 3 to 6 years) in outdoor play and exploration. This training is provided at a reduced cost due to the generous support of a Project Learning Tree grant and the United Way of Racine County.

Child Care Providers/Preschool Teachers needing Certificate of Attendance or Registry Credit must register by paying in person or mailing the completed form with a \$20 check / cash to: Racine County UW-Extension, 209 North Main Street, Burlington, WI 53105. Payment is not refundable and must be received by the deadline. Parents/grandparents can participate at no cost, but they must call to register in advance. If you require special accommodations, please notify when registering. Workshop is for adults (no child care provided). IMPORTANT: Participants arriving more than 15 minutes late will not receive Registry Credits/ Certificate of Attendance.



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