

Framing the Work: Achieving Excellence in Early Childhood Education



Wednesday, June 21, 2017

8:00-9:00	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Registration and Breakfast</p>				
9:00-11:00	<p><u>Sonoran Ballroom</u></p> <p>Opening Welcome Arizona Department of Education, Early Childhood Education Leadership</p> <p>Keynote Richard Cohen “Early Childhood Professionals: The Heroes of Our Time”</p>				
11:00-11:15	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Refreshment break</p>				
11:15-12:45	<p>Session One</p>				
90 Minute session	<p><u>Cholla</u></p> <p><i>Program Guidelines: Health and Nutrition</i></p>	<p><u>Ocotillo</u></p> <p><i>Zen & the Art of Early Childhood Education</i></p>	<p><u>Canyon</u></p> <p><i>Strategies to Support a Culture of Safety</i></p>	<p><u>Saguaro</u></p> <p><i>*Creating Systems, Redefining Organizational Culture & Implementing Transformational Leadership Practices that Support the Effective Implementation of a True Formative Assessment Process (Creating Systems)</i></p>	<p><u>Palm</u></p> <p><i>Kindergarten Developmental Inventory: How Did We Get Here?</i></p>

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12:45-1:45	<u>Sonoran Ballroom</u>				
	Lunch				
1:45-3:15	Session Two				
90 Minute session	<u>Cholla</u> <i>Program Guidelines: Community Outreach and Collaboration</i>	<u>Ocotillo</u> <i>Gumption, Junction, What's Your Executive Function?</i>	<u>Canyon</u> <i>Early Math in Everyday Practice</i>	<u>Saguaro</u> <i>*Creating Systems</i>	<u>Palm</u> <i>Get to Know the Kindergarten Experience</i>
3:15-3:30	<u>Sonoran Foyer</u>				
	Refreshment break				
3:30-5:00	Session Three				
90 Minute session	<u>Cholla</u> <i>Early Literacy: Take a Walk on the Data Side with MapLIT</i>	<u>Ocotillo</u> <i>MEET UP to Learn</i>	<u>Canyon</u> <i>Curriculum Fidelity</i>	<u>Saguaro</u> <i>*Creating Systems</i>	<u>Palm</u> <i>Kindergarten Developmental Inventory: Tool Technical Assistance</i>



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Thursday, June 22, 2017

8:00-9:00	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Registration and Breakfast</p>				
9:00-10:30	Session One				
90 Minute session	<p><u>Cholla</u></p> <p><i>Trauma Informed Care</i></p>	<p><u>Ocotillo</u></p> <p><i>Developing Language and Literacy through Science</i></p>	<p><u>Canyon</u></p> <p><i>Assessment Module 2: What Does Assessment Look Like?</i></p>	<p><u>Saguaro</u></p> <p><i>*Creating Systems</i></p>	<p><u>Palm</u></p> <p><i>Intro to Social Emotional Development Part 1 of 2</i></p>
10:30-10:45	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Refreshment break</p>				
10:45-12:15	Session Two				
90 Minute session	<p><u>Cholla</u></p> <p><i>Expulsion Dilemma</i></p>	<p><u>Ocotillo</u></p> <p><i>Alphabet Learning in Young Children</i></p>	<p><u>Canyon</u></p> <p><i>Reading and the Brain: What's the Connection?</i></p>	<p><u>Saguaro</u></p> <p><i>*Creating Systems</i></p>	<p><u>Palm</u></p> <p><i>Intro to Social Emotional Development Part 2 of 2</i></p>
12:15-1:15	<p><u>Sonoran Ballroom</u></p> <p>Lunch</p>				
1:15-2:45	Session Three				

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90 Minute session	<u>Cholla</u> <i>Expulsion Prevention Strategies</i>	<u>Ocotillo</u> <i>Alphabet Learning in Young Children</i>	<u>Canyon</u> <i>Smart Talk: Let's Talk with Babies, Module 1: An Introduction</i>	<u>Saguaro</u> <i>*Creating Systems</i>	<u>Palm</u> <i>Introduction to Organization of Space and Time Part 1 of 2</i>
2:45-3:00	<u>Sonoran Foyer</u> Refreshment break				
3:00-4:30	Session Four				
90 Minute session	<u>Cholla</u> <i>AZ Toolkit: Save Time and Money; Improve Quality</i>	<u>Ocotillo</u> <i>Getting to Know MyTeachingStrategies™</i>	<u>Canyon</u> <i>What Research says about Latinos' Beliefs regarding Kindergarten Readiness and the Creighton Model to serve them</i>	<u>Saguaro</u> <i>*Creating Systems</i>	<u>Palm</u> <i>Introduction to Organization of Space and Time Part 2 of 2</i>



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7:30-8:30	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Registration and Breakfast</p>				
8:30-10:00	<p>Session One</p>				
90 Minute session	<p><u>Cholla</u></p> <p><i>Making the Connection: My Brain and My Behavior</i></p>	<p><u>Ocotillo</u></p> <p><i>Creativity: Tapping into Learning Preferences</i></p>	<p><u>Canyon</u></p> <p><i>Smart Talk: Let's Talk with Babies, Module 2: Brain Development and Research</i></p>	<p><u>Saguaro</u></p> <p><i>Program Guidelines: Program Evaluation</i></p>	<p><u>Palm</u></p> <p><i>Kindergarten Developmental Inventory: How Did We Get Here?</i></p>
10:00-10:15	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Break</p>				
10:15-12:15	<p><u>Sonoran Ballroom</u></p> <p>Keynote Rebecca Isbell "Inspiring Young Children to be Creative Thinkers"</p>				
12:15	<p><u>Sonoran Foyer</u></p> <p>Grab and go lunch & book signing (optional)</p>				



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