


Satellite Calendar


Evening Professional Learning Opportunities

Dates	Time	Event	Location	Registration	Registry hours*	
Curriculum Philosophy Series						
April 17	6-8 pm	Children as Naturalists: Forest School in Family Child Care	Zoom	Register here! by 4/15/24	2	E, Sp
May 15	6-8 pm	Children as the Co-Constructors of Their Own Learning: Emergent Curriculum in Family Child Care	Zoom	Register here! by 5/13/24	2	E, Sp
June 26	6-8 pm	Fostering True Play in Your Program: AnjiPlay in Family Child Care	Zoom	Register here! by 6/24/24	2	E, Sp
July 17	6-8 pm	Nurturing Children’s Imagination: Waldorf in Family Child Care	Zoom	Register here! by 7/15/24	2	E, Sp
August 14	6-8 pm	Building Children’s Independence: Montessori in Family Child Care	Zoom	Register here! by 8/12/24	2	E, Sp
September 11	6-8 pm	Children as Naturalists: Forest School in Family Child Care	Zoom	Register here! by 9/9/24	2	E, Sp

Single Training Sessions

October 9	6-8 pm	Making it work – incorporating rich art experiences into a mixed age setting in your family child care program	Zoom	Register here! by 10/7/24	2	E, Sp
November 13	6-8 pm	Nature based programming during the winter – indoors and out in your family child care program	Zoom	Register here! by 11/11/24	2	E, Sp
December 11	6-8 pm	Pleasant children's transitions between daily activities in your family child care program, including the wisdom and examples from Satellite programs	Zoom	Register here! by 12/9/24	2	E, Sp

Saturday Events

Dates	Time	Event	Location	Registration	Registry hours*	
September 28	9-5 pm	Safety Saturday (Only for programs participating in Satellite’s accreditation system)	Satellite Office	<i>Coming soon</i>	7	E, Sp

Obtaining Registry Credit* for Satellite’s Virtual (Zoom) Professional Development Sessions

To receive Registry credit at the conclusion of virtual (Zoom) professional development, follow these steps:


1. Each participant must register individually even if viewing the training with other participants on the same screen.
2. You must be present for the entire session. Late arrivals may not be admitted.
3. At the conclusion of the session, you complete an evaluation and then enter your information to receive Registry credit. This must be completed at the end of the session or your professional development hours will not be entered into the Registry by Satellite Family Child Care System. **

You can view and print your proof of attendance through your [Wisconsin Registry](#) account. It may take several weeks before your attendance is entered into the Registry. Certificates of completion will not be mailed or emailed to participants.


**If you do not complete the steps above and wish to receive professional development credit for a Satellite event that you attended, you will need to complete the DCF form “Continuing Education Record—Independent Reading/Video Viewing “ found here:

<https://dcf.wisconsin.gov/clicensing/ccformspubs>


Exploring Quality in Family Child Care

Dates	Time	Topic	Location	Registration	Registry hours*	
April 9	1-2 pm	How Your Walls and Shelves Impact Children's Development	Zoom	Register here! by 4/5/24	1	E, Sp
May 7	1-2 pm	Should We Tell Children to Apologize?	Zoom	Register here! by 5/3/24	1	E, Sp
June 11	1-2 pm	Defining Your Philosophy	Zoom	Register here! by 6/7/24	1	E, Sp
July 9	1-2 pm	Risky Play	Zoom	Register here! by 7/5/24	1	E, Sp
August 6	1-2 pm	Back-and-Forth Interactions	Zoom	Register here! by 8/3/24	1	E, Sp
September 24	1-2 pm	Child-Directed Play	Zoom	Register here! by 9/20/24	1	E, Sp

Guided Book Studies (*English only*)

Dates	Time	Book	Location	Registration	Registry hours*	
July 11 – August 29	1-2 pm	Last Child in the Woods: Saving our Children from Nature-Deficit Disorder	Zoom	Register here! by 6/13/24	16	E
October 3 – November 21	1-2 pm	Last Child in the Woods: Saving our Children from Nature-Deficit Disorder	Zoom	Register here! by 9/5/24	16	E

Enjoyable time with other family child care providers

Dates	Time	Event	Location	Registration	
April 21	6-8 pm	Provider Appreciation Dinner	The District Eau Claire	Register here!	E
May 14	5:30-8 pm	Provider Appreciation Dinner	Tenney Park Shelter Madison	Register here!	E, Sp
May 22	6-8 pm	Provider Appreciation Dinner	Pullmans at Trolley Square Appleton	Register here!	E
September 25	6-8 pm	Gathering in Appleton – dinner and mindful art activity	Appleton	<i>Coming soon</i>	E
October 2	6-8 pm	Provider Appreciation Dinner	Milwaukee	Register here!	E, Sp
October 23	6-8 pm	Gathering in Madison -- dinner and mindful art activity	Madison	<i>Coming soon</i>	E, Sp

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Language

E English

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