California Early Childhood Online (CECO) Modules

CECO is an online learning portal funded by the California Department of Social Services.

FOUNDATIONS AND FRAMEWORKS

California Department of Education Early Learning and Development Foundations and Frameworks

15 modules/16 hours
1 module/10 hours
Available in English and Spanish

Foundations and Frameworks Overview Module—Early Learning and Development System I/T and PS—Hours: 1.00
Infant/Toddler Social-Emotional Development—Hours: 2.00
Infant/Toddler Language Development—Hours: 1.00
Infant/Toddler Cognitive Development—Hours: 1.00
Infant/Toddler Perceptual Motor Development—Hours: 1.00
Preschool Social-Emotional Development—Hours: 1.00
Preschool Language and Literacy Development—Hours: 1.00
Preschool English-Language Development—Hours: 1.00
Preschool Mathematical Development—Hours: 1.00
Preschool Visual and Performing Arts Development (English Only)—Hours: 1.00
Preschool Physical Development (English Only) —Hours: 1.00
Preschool Health Development (English Only)—Hours: 1.00
Preschool Science Development (English Only)—Hours: 1.00
Preschool History-Social Science Development (English Only)—Hours: 1.00
Summary Module (English Only)—Hours: 1.00
R & R Facilitator Guides (English Only)—Hours: 10.00

BEST PRACTICES FOR PLANNING CURRICULUM FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

Family Partnerships and Culture
5 modules/5 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: Introduction—Hours: 1.00
Module 2: Overview of Guiding Principles for Developing Cultural Competence—Hours: 1.00
Module 3: Understanding the Dimensions of Family Culture Module—Hours: 1.00
Module 4: Planning with the Dimensions of Family Culture Module—Hours: 1.00
Module 5: Best Practices in Planning Curriculum for Young Children (for teachers & admin)—Hours: 1.00

The Integrated Nature of Learning

4 modules/8 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: Integrated Nature of Learning with integrated Overarching Principles of Learning—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Integrated Nature of Learning Focus on Co-construction and Dynamic Planning—Hours: 2.00
Module 3: Integrated Nature of Learning: Focus on Observation and Assessment—Hours: 2.00
Module 4: How to use the Integrated Nature of Learning online modules and other available resources to support your teachers (for administrators and coaches)—Hours: 2.00

The Powerful Role of Play in Early Education

3 modules/5 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: The Role of Play in Learning: Supporting Social-Emotional Development—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Play and Risk—Hours: 1.50
Module 3: How Administrators Can Support Play: The Role of Play—Hours: 1.50

Responsive Early Education for Young Children and Families Experiencing Homelessness

3 modules/3 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: Overview of Homelessness—Hours: 1.00
Module 2: The Diversity of Families Experiencing Homelessness—Hours: 1.00
Module 3: Supporting Classroom Practices for Children Experiencing Homelessness—Hours: 1.00

**PROGRAM GUIDELINES**

**Infant/Toddler Learning & Development Program Guidelines**

3 modules/6 hours  
Available in English and Spanish

Module 1: Introduction to the California Infant/Toddler Learning and Development Program Guidelines—Hours: 2.00  
Module 2: Leadership and Administration in Partnership with Families—Hours: 2.00  
Module 3: Infants and Their Care Teachers—Hours: 2.00

**Preschool Program Guidelines (PPG)**

7 modules/11 hours  
Available in English and Spanish

Module 1: Overview—Hours: 1.00  
Module 2: Chapter 1 & Chapter 2—Hours: 2.00  
Module 3: Chapter 3 & Chapter 4—Hours: 2.00  
Module 4: Chapter 5—Hours: 2.00  
Module 5: Chapter 6—Hours: 2.00  
Module 6: Chapter 7—Hours: 1.00  
Module 7: Chapter 8—Hours: 1.00

**Guidelines for Early Learning in Child Care Home Settings (Family Child Care)**

8 modules/ 9 hours  
Available in English and Spanish

Module 1: An Introduction to Guidelines for Early Learning in Child Care Home Settings—Hours: 1.00
Module 2: Roles & Relationships and the Home as a Caring and Learning Environment—Hours: 2.00
Module 3: An Introduction to Developing a Home-Based Curriculum—Hours: 1.00
Module 4: Social Emotional Development—Hours: 1.00
Module 5: Language and Literacy Development—Hours: 1.00
Module 6: Mathematics Learning and Cognitive Development—Hours: 1.00
Module 7: Creativity and Self-Expression and Physical and Motor Development—Hours: 1.00
Module 8: Family Child Care as a Profession—Hours: 1.00

DESIRED RESULTS DEVELOPMENTAL PROFILE (DRDP)

DRDP

10 modules/20 hours
Available in English and Spanish

**Infant/Toddler**
Module 1: Introduction to the DRDP—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Using Observation to Assess with the DRDP—Hours: 2.00
Module 3: How to Rate—Hours: 2.00
Module 4: Connecting the Foundations—Hours: 2.00
Module 5: Using DRDP Data to Plan—Hours: 2.00

**Preschool**
Module 1: Introduction to the DRDP—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Using Observation to Assess with the DRDP—Hours: 2.00
Module 3: How to Rate—Hours: 2.00
Module 4: Connecting the Foundations—Hours: 2.00
Module 5: Using DRDP Data to Plan—Hours: 2.00

**DRDP (2015) Family Child Care**

**DRDP-K for Use with Transitional Kindergarten (TK) and Kindergarten (K) Children**
3 modules/6 hours
Available in English
Module 1: Walk through the DRDP-K—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: TK/K Observation and Documentation—Hours: 2.00
Module 3: Completing the DRDP-K—Hours: 2.00

**DRDP Rater Certification**
1 module/3 hours
Assorted portfolios for infant/toddler, preschool, TK, and K
Available in English and Spanish
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Introduction to Rater Certification—Hours: 0
Rater Certification—Hours: 3.00

OTHER TOPICS

Business Practices in Family Child Care

5 modules/10 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: An Introduction to Best Business Practices in Family Child Care—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Family Child Care Business Plan (Part 1–Program Planning) —Hours: 2.00
Module 3: Family Child Care Business Plan (Part 2–Liability)—Hours: 2.00
Module 4: Family Child Care Business Plan (Part 3–Finances and Record Keeping)—Hours: 2.00
Module 5: Sustainability in Family Child Care—Hours: 2.00

California Collaborative on the Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning (CA CSEFEL)

1 module/3 hours
Available in English and Spanish
CSEFEL Teaching Pyramid Framework Overview—Hours: 3.00

Inclusion Works!

2 modules/4 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: Inclusion Works through Collaboration with Families and Service Providers—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Inclusion Works through Modifications and Adaptations—Hours: 2.00

Resource & Referral Consumer Education Phone Counselor Modules

10 modules/10 hours
Available in English
Module 1: The R&R Child Care Planning and Referral Process—Hours: 1.00
Module 2: What does Customer Service Have to Do with It?—Hours: 1.00
Module 3: Everything You Need to Know about Community Care Licensing—Hours: 1.00
Module 4: Building A Community of Connection—Hours: 1.00
Module 5: Authentic Parent Engagement—Hours: 1.00
Module 6: Child Care Options—Hours: 1.00
Module 7: The California Child Care Subsidy World—Hours: 1.00
Module 8: My Child Care Plan—Hours: 1.00
Module 9: Working with Compassion and Resilience—Hours: 1.00
Module 10: Working with Diverse Populations—Hours: 1.00

Sesame Street (Make Believe with Math)

4 modules/4 hours
Available in English

Unit 1: A Math Beginning—Infants and Toddlers—Hours: 1.00
Unit 2: Early Childhood Math: Introduction—Preschool—Hours: 1.00
Unit 3: Math in Your Environment—Hours: 1.00
Unit 4: All About Pretend Play & Unit 5: Integrating Math in Children’s Pretend Play—Hours: 1.00

Sesame Street Reading (Building a Reader)

5 modules/5 hours
Available in English

Unit 1: Literacy Foundations—Hours: 1.00
Unit 2: Conversation and Storytelling—Hours: 1.00
Unit 3: Let’s Read!—Hours: 1.00
Unit 4: Blossoming Writers—Hours: 1.00
Unit 5: Broadening Literacy Experiences—Hours: 1.00

The Three R’s of Early Childhood

3 modules/6 hours
Available in English

Relationships—Hours: 2.00
Resiliency—Hours: 2.00
Readiness—Hours: 2.00

Trauma Informed Care

3 modules/6 hours
Available in English and Spanish

Module 1: Trauma Informed Practice: An Introduction to Early Childhood Trauma—Hours: 2.00
Module 2: Resiliency Strategies for Children—Hours 2.00
Module 3: Enhancing Caregiver Resiliency–Self-Care—Hours 2.00

Watch Me! Celebrating Milestones and Sharing Concerns

4 modules/CEU available from Center for Disease Control (CDC)
Available in English and Spanish

Module 1: Your Important Role in Monitoring Children’s Development
Module 2: Understanding Children’s Development
Module 3: Objective and Engaged Developmental Monitoring
Module 4: How to Talk with Parents about their Child’s Development

HEALTH AND SAFETY

California SIDS Program Stories, Public Service Announcements (PSAs) and Training Videos

3 sections/1 hour
Available in English

My Story/Public Service Announcements/Training Videos—Hours: 1.00

Health & Safety

8 modules/12 hours
Available only in English

Safe Spaces in Child Care Module—Hours: 1.50
Transporting Children in Childcare Module—Hours: 1.50
Handling Hazardous Materials Module—Hours: 1.50
Infectious Diseases in Childcare Module—Hours: 1.50
Safe Sleep Practices and Sleep-Related Infant Deaths Module—Hours: 1.50
Managing and Responding to Food Allergies Module—Hours: 1.50
Shaken Baby/Abusive Head Trauma Module—Hours: 1.50
Emergency Preparedness in Childcare Module—Hours: 1.50

Health and Safety for Family, Friend, and Neighbor Providers

1 module (4 sections)/2 hours
Available in English and Spanish

Section 1: Being Prepared
Section 2: Health and Safety Every Day
Section 3: Setting Up the Environment
Section 4: Responding to Health and Safety Situations

LOCAL PLANNING COUNCILS

History and Structure of the Local Child Care and Development Planning Council (LPC):

10 modules/12.5 hours
Available in English

LPC History & Structure—Hours: 1.00
Additional modules available by invitation for local planning councils
QUALITY COUNTS CALIFORNIA FAMILY ENGAGEMENT TOOLKIT

Quality Counts California Family Engagement Toolkit
5 modules/15 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1 Unit 1: The What and Why of Family Engagement—Hours: 1.00
Module 1 Unit 2: Practice: Building Relationships with Families—Hours: 0.50
Module 1 Unit 3: The How of Family Engagement—Hours: 0.50
Module 2 Unit 1: Use a Strengths-based Approach—Hours: 1.00
Module 2 Unit 2: Listen Actively—Hours: 1.00
Module 2 Unit 3: Take Informed Action—Hours: 1.00
Module 2 Unit 4: Practice: Building Relationships with Families—Hours: 0.50
Module 2 Unit 5: Practice: Starting with Strengths—Hours: 1.00
Module 3 Unit 1: Respect the Family’s Role in the Child’s Development—Hours: 1.00
Module 3 Unit 2: Practice: Respect the Family's Role—Hours: 0.50
Module 3 Unit 3: Practice: Engaging Families—Hours: 1.00
Module 4 Unit 1: Show Cultural Respect—Hours: 1.00
Module 4 Unit 2: Practice: Show Cultural Respect—Hours: 0.50
Module 4 Unit 3: Practice: Respect the Family's Role—Hours: 0.50
Module 5 Unit 1: Take a Shared Approach to Family Engagement—Hours: 0.50
Module 5 Unit 2: Strategies for Building Relationships with Providers—Hours: 1.00
Module 5 Unit 3: Listen Actively—Hours: 1.00
Module 5 Unit 4: Practice: Take a Shared Approach—Hours: 0.50
Module 5 Unit 5: Practice: Starting with Strengths—Hours: 1.00

COVID-19 RESOURCES

Trauma-Informed Care: Nurturing Resilience and Connection During COVID-19
1 modules/1.00 hour
Available in English and Spanish
Trauma-Informed Care: Nurturing Resilience and Connection During COVID-19—Hours: 1.00

DUAL LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Dual Language Learner Modules (DLL)
5 modules/5 hours
Available in English and Spanish
Module 1: Setting the Stage for Our Young Dual Language Learners—Hours: 1.50
Module 2: DLL Focus through the lens of a Key Developmental Area: Math (for teachers)—Hours: 1.00
Module 3: Components: DLL Focus through the lens of a Key Developmental Area: Social-Emotional (for teachers)—Hours: 1.50
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Module 4: DLL Focus through the Lens of a Key Developmental Area: Math and Social Emotional (for administrators)—Hours: 1.00
Module 5: CPIN Training Module

Dual-Language Learner Virtual Learning Classroom

OUTSIDE RESOURCES

Implementing the Strengthening Protective Factors Framework
7 modules/14 hours
Introduction to the Protective Factors Framework—Hours: 2.00
Concrete Support in Times of Need—Hours: 2.00
Knowledge of Parenting and Child Development—Hours: 2.00
Parental Resilience—Hours: 2.00
Social and Emotional Competence of Children—Hours: 2.00
Social Connections—Hours: 2.00
Moving from Knowledge to Action: Wrap Up—Hours: 2.00

Mandated Reporter Online Training
Available in English and Spanish
General Training—Hours: 4.00
School Personnel—Hours: 3.00
Child Care Providers—Hours: 3.00

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