

Tips for Tots

May 1, 2018

ANOTHER CONFERENCE IN THE BOOKS

Our Fourth Annual Concho Valley Child & Youth Conference was held on April 21st with 113 child care professionals in attendance! Add to that a terrific group of speakers, volunteers, and committee members, and our total number was about 163! Thirty-five different child care facilities were represented with teachers coming from San Angelo, Christoval, Sonora, Ozona, and Brady! **Dr. Mike** was our keynote speaker, and he kept the crowd on its toes (literally) with all kinds of fun audience participation! Dr. Mike taught how using music with a multi-sensory approach, including movement, gestures, and sign language, helps children develop critical early reading skills. His break-out sessions were tailored to teach age-appropriate activities to both infant/toddler teachers and preschool/school-age teachers. These two workshops were excellent, as were the 17 other break-out sessions led by local experts in various professional fields.



If you would like to learn more about Dr. Mike or order any of his CDs or other educational materials, check out www.drmiike.info.

UPCOMING TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Thursday, May 10, 2018

7:00 – 9:00 PM

– **3 Seats Still Available** –

(Payment is required to reserve a seat!)

Creating a Sensory-Friendly Preschool Classroom by Rebecca Webb, OTR

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!!!

Saturday, June 16, 2018

8:30 AM -- 2:30 PM

ALBERT WRIGHT

*TECPDS Master Registered Trainer &
Three-Time TAEYC Trainer of the Year*

Wed/Thurs, August 1-2, 2018

**Education Service Center Region 15
Child Care Conference**

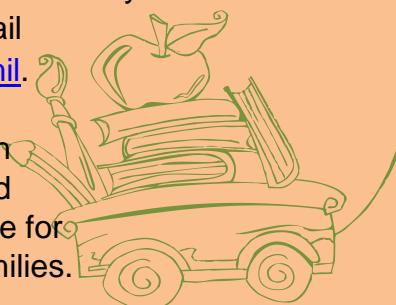
Saturday, September 8, 2018

**Texas A&M AgriLife Extension & Region 15
Child Care Conference
8:00 AM – 3:00 pm**

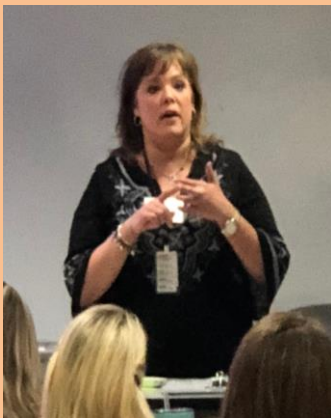
MILITARY FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS NEEDED

If you are a LCCH or RCCH that might be interested in becoming a military family child care provider, please contact Carmen Trufant at Goodfellow Air Force Base about this wonderful opportunity. You may call her at 325-654-3239 or e-mail maria.trufant@us.af.mil.

The base will supply eligible caregivers with all of the materials and training needed to care for children of military families.



MORE CONFERENCE FUN...



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If you require special accommodations, please email accommodations@cvworkforce.org or call 800-996-7589. Funding provided via Concho Valley Workforce Development Board.



*Being a **Texas Rising Star** facility provides many valuable benefits! Contact Paige Bickford at 325-653-2321, ext. 1279, to find out more about becoming a TRS provider.*

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