

ECQ-net Early Childhood Professional Development

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OHIO EARLY LEARNING CONTENT STANDARDS • PRE-K/KINDERGARTEN STATE INSTITUTES FOR READING INSTRUCTION
PRESCHOOL CORE CURRICULUM

2008-2009

Ohio's *Pre-K/K State Institutes for Reading Instruction* (SIRI) modules are designed to provide all early childhood educators including childcare, Head Start, preschool, and kindergarten teachers with an in-depth understanding of critical components of early literacy skills. Each module is 12 contact hours with no prerequisite.

- Module 1 – *Tools for Early Language and Literacy Teaching*
- Module 2 – *A Way of Knowing: Observing and Recording*
- Module 3 – *Building a Foundation for Early Literacy*
- Module 4 – *Oral Language and Early Literacy*
- Module 5 – *Print and Early Literacy*
- Module 6 – *Writing and Early Literacy*
- Module 7 – *Children's Literature and Early Literacy*

The *Preschool Core* is a 30 hour, 10 session comprehensive early literacy curriculum for early childhood educators. The *Core* has no prerequisite. The *Teacher Leader* program is an extension of the *Core* curriculum that provides on site mentor coaching support.

- *A Core Curriculum for Educators* (Preschool)
- *Teacher Leader* (mentor coaching)



The *Ohio Early Learning Content Standards* (OELCS) are designed to provide teachers with an in-depth understanding of the competencies needed (standards) by Ohio's children and the knowledge, skill base, and effective practices educators need to support children's emergent content understandings.

- *Mathematics* – 12 contact hours
- *Science* – 12 contact hours
- *Social Studies* – 12 contact hours
- *Integrating Curriculum with the Ohio Early Learning Content Standards** – 20 contact hours

*Participants MUST have completed two (2) OELCS modules (ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies); OR Pre-K/K SIRI Module 1 – *Tools for Early Language and Literacy Teaching*, offered through Q-net; OR completed 45 hours of the *Core Curriculum* before attending an Integrated Curriculum module.

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Statewide Spring 2009 Offerings

Early Childhood Professional Development Opportunities

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- It is possible that additional modules will be scheduled. Please keep checking STARS and www.ecqnet.org. Updated listings can be requested at 800-678-6352 or laurie.dotson@ecqnet.org.
- Descriptions of each module can be found at <http://www.ecqnet.org/ecq/ProfDev/index.cfm>.
- A Map Outlining the Regions can be found at <http://www.ecqnet.org/ecq/ProfDev/index.cfm>.
- Upon attendance at all dates of a Module, participants will receive 12 ODE approved hours and 12 ODJFS approved hours. These hours are approved for ELI and SUTQ. With these hours, participants can purchase CEUs and/or College Credit using information provided at the Modules.
- All registrations are processed through STARS v2.0 <https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal/default.asp>. Steps for registering are as follows:
 1. Using an Internet Browser, go to this web page: <https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal/default.asp>
 2. If a SAFE account has not been created before, click on "Click Here" after the words "I am a new SAFE user."
 3. Follow the steps outlined on the following pages. A driver's license and a valid e-mail address are required.
 4. An e-mail with more information will be sent to the e-mail address provided. Click the link inside the e-mail to finalize the set up process.
 5. Now a SAFE account should be set up. Make sure to log back into STARS via this web site: <https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal/default.asp>.
 6. Click on the "STARS v2.0" link.
 7. A Dashboard page will appear.
 8. Click on "Event Search". **If this link is not listed as an option, a "STARS User Profile" will need to be completed before proceeding.
 9. In the "Event Name" search field, search for the Module ID. Typically, entering fewer items in the search fields will pull up better results.
 10. Due to the STARS participant filter, it is normal to be placed on a wait list. Once in the system for a particular module(s), participants will be moved to the confirmed list.

Region	Module	Module ID	Day	Dates	Times	Location (County)
March 2009						
16	Preschool Core Curriculum	CoreR16C	M	03/23/09, 04/06/09, 04/20/09, 05/04/09	3-6p	Gallia County Early Childhood Center Gallipolis (Gallia)
			M, T & F	05/18/09, 06/04/09 & 06/05/09	10a-4p	
13	SIRI Module 2	M2R13A	F	03/27/09 & 04/03/09	9a-4p	Hamilton County ESC Early Learning Programs Cincinnati (Hamilton)
10	Preschool Core Curriculum	CoreR10D	M	03/30/09, 04/06/09, 04/13/09, 04/20/09, 04/27/09, 05/04/09, 05/11/09, 05/18/09, 06/01/09 & 06/08/09	6-9p	Clark State Community College Springfield (Clark)

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April 2009						
16	SIRI Module 2	M2R16B	TH	04/02/09, 04/16/09, 04/30/09 & 05/14/09	6-9p	Child Development Center of Jackson County Jackson (Jackson)
9	SIRI Module 7	M7R09B	F	04/03/09 & 04/24/09	9a-4p	CAA of Columbiana County, Inc. New Waterford Head Start Center New Waterford (Columbiana)
10	SIRI Module 7	M7R10A	F	04/03/09 & 05/08/09	9a-4p	Miami Valley Child Development Centers, Inc. Dayton (Montgomery)
10	OELCS Science	ScR10A-MU	S	04/04/09, & 05/02/09	9a-4p	Mini University, Inc. Beavercreek (Greene)
15	SIRI Module 5	M5R15A	T	04/07/09, 04/21/09, 04/28/09, 05/05/09	1-4p	Workforce Development Resource Center Ironton (Lawrence)
5	SIRI Module 7	M7R05C	TH	04/16/09, 04/23/09 05/07/09 & 05/21/09	6-9p	Celebrity Fashions Youngstown (Mahoning)
10	OELCS Math	MaR10A-MU	S	04/18/09 & 04/25/09	9a-4p	Mini University, Inc. Beavercreek (Greene)
1	OELCS IEP, Curriculum & the Content Standards	IEPR01A	W & TH	04/22/09 & 04/23/09	9a-4p	Young Services Training Center Toledo (Lucas)
7	OELCS Math	MaR07A	F	04/24/09 & 05/01/09	9a-4p	Wee Care Child Care Galion (Crawford)
1	OELCS Math	MaR01A	W & TH	04/29/09 & 04/30/09	9a-4p	Young Services Training Center Toledo (Lucas)
May 2009						
11	OELCS IEP, Curriculum & the Content Standards	IEPR11D**	TH	05/28/09	9-11a & 2-4p	Greater Columbus Convention Center Columbus (Franklin)
			F & S	05/29/09 & 05/30/09	10:15a-12:15p & 2-4p	
11	OELCS Social Studies	SoR11A**	TH	05/28/09	9-11a & 2-4p	Greater Columbus Convention Center Columbus (Franklin)
			F & S	05/29/09 & 05/30/09	10:15a-12:15p & 2-4p	

**This Module is being presented at the 2009 Ohio Early Care & Education Conference. Registration and fees for this event are processed directly through the Conference, through one of these methods:

- Log onto www.oaeyc.org.
- Contact: Beri Tiffany-Smith, Ohio AEYC Special Projects Coordinator, projects@oaeyc.org or 740-397-308/800-626-2392 **OR** Lisa Mandelert, Ohio AEYC Conference Support, lisa@oaeyc.org or 513-829-5002.

