



ChildcareRead

The **ChildcareRead** 4-hour workshop provides certification for people who work directly with children from birth to 5 years old.

In this training, participants will gain ideas and strategies to energize story time, make reading fun, and expand literacy into other parts of the child care day. They will participate in sample lessons from the Story Exploring® curriculum and learn the step-by-step model for planning the use of books with young children.

Each story in the high-quality, multicultural children's literature includes activities for active participation and a parent page to send home (in English and Spanish) to help to engage parents in the fun and to reinforce learning.

Developed by the creators of Motherread/Fatheread Colorado, which is proven to increase the language growth rate of our youngest learners. The lessons are designed around early childhood development themes, and specific books were chosen for the beautiful illustrations and expression of social-emotional topics. Titles are available in Spanish and English.

ChildcareRead has been recognized by the Colorado Department of Education as supporting Colorado's Competencies for Early Childhood Educators and Professionals and meeting best practice standards for adult learning.

Upon completion of the required objectives, each facilitator will receive 4 training hours in Colorado Shines, an infant/toddler and preschool curriculum, and several children's literature books to share with children in their care.

Thank you to the following:



PARTICIPANTS WILL

- Become certified as a Story Exploring® Facilitator
- Earn 4 hours in Colorado Shines PDIS
- Experience a children's book and activities from a Story Exploring lesson
- Learn ways to meet high-quality childcare and education standards in language and literacy
- Design a read-aloud lesson for use with children in their setting, using the provided curriculum
- Practice a lesson with partner
- Receive the curriculum of over 60 lessons, parent take-home materials in English and Spanish, and several children's books



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Date: Nov. 14 & 15

Time: 6–8 pm

Location:

Joint Initiatives Offices
6385 Corporate Dr., COS

Cost: Free

Trainer: Karen Murphy