



TEAM Early Education
Educating Children & Strengthening Families

We would like to invite you to our
Intentional Teaching 2013 Initiative!
Intentional Teaching...
What Does It Look Like for a
Home Childcare Provider?

WHAT: We would like to introduce the idea of *Intentional Teaching to Home Childcare Providers*. We will examine the Connecticut Preschool Standards and the Early Learning Guidelines. These two documents showcase what is important for children to know and learn in the early years (Birth thru Age 5). We will share ideas of how this might look like in your home. **A coach from Education Connection (RESC)** will come for **home visits** to support you, bring resources, and brainstorm strategies to help learning for growing children. If folks are interested, we will bring the group together for evening meetings and/or follow-up trainings. We feel very strongly that Home Childcare providers help our community get our children ready to learn and are excited to partner with you in this valuable work.

WHO: Coaches/Mentors coming to your Home Childcare would be contracted consultants from EDUCATION CONNECTION (a Regional Education Service Center; RESC) whom are trained in Instructional Coaching, Response to Intervention, and Scientific Research Based Intervention (SRBI). As trained coaches by the CT State Department of Education in the "Training Wheels" and Recognition & Response Initiatives, their experience includes over 40 early childhood sites throughout the region. Contracted EDUCATION CONNECTION trainers for this project all are CT State Department of Education approved trainers for the "Cycle of Intentional Teaching: Using Preschool Curriculum & Assessment Frameworks" and will include ShawnMarie Dumond, Liz Parmelee, & Sue Vivian.

WHEN/WHERE: Consultants will come directly to your Home Childcare based on your schedule needs - providers whom RSVP below will be contacted by Liz Parmelee of EDUCATION CONNECTION to set up convenient times to visit. **This is available to any Home Childcare Provider in Ansonia, Beacon Falls, Derby, Seymour, Shelton, Prospect, and their surrounding communities! This is NO COST to you,** made possible by the *School Readiness Quality Enhancement Initiative* from the CT State Department of Education and TEAM Inc. Visits will begin in February and continue into June/2013.

RSVP: RSVP **by January 18th 2013** to the TEAM Inc. Family Resource Center your interest to enroll via phone or email to: Ayanna Williams - (203) 736-5420 x208 awilliams@teaminc.org

