

Making Interest Centers Interesting Part 1

This session is the first of 3 sessions on creating interest centers that are engaging, appropriate, and specially designed. To complete the session, please complete all items provided below in order. After you complete all items, your submission will be reviewed and you will receive two hours of PD credit in ECE-TRIS and a certificate of completion via email.

1. Watch the mini-lecture via the following link:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1QPBOAZ8Wt_sNmjuU4WSIPPguV0xx4VAI/view?usp=sharing

2. Complete the Google Form via the following link.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf24c53xEN1yDduoahpUj6F7qg9kGKu4pz1Wb16pAG7skTZi/viewform?usp=sf_link

3. Follow the links and read the following articles:

The Case of Brain Science and Guided Play: A Developing Story

<https://www.naeyc.org/resources/pubs/yc/may2017/case-brain-science-guided-play>

How Guided Play Promotes Early Childhood Learning

<http://www.child-encyclopedia.com/sites/default/files/textes-experts/en/4978/how-guided-play-promotes-early-childhood-learning.pdf>

Building Positive Learning Environments for Young Children Starts with You

<https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/blog/building-positive-learning-environments-young-children-starts-you>

The Power of Purposeful Preschool Environments

<http://www.communityplaythings.com/resources/articles/2014/the-power-of-purposeful-environments>

4. Complete the Google Form via the following link (in regards to the articles):

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeY93un2NR-iHoY28jQA4_hiI000YMO0TI7Que2auJez0JOiQ/viewform?usp=sf_link

5. Complete the Google Form via the following link (DIP/DAP Quiz – Must score at least 80%)

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfw83OhCpK3ScUvP3TIU55n65nifOhQKzrHa4t_f9nQJOP-7Q/viewform?usp=sf_link

6. Complete the Google Form via the following link (DAP Paragraph):

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf0dylosVm7W64NiUQHvouc620zBNBtQaBo7BBa9NM1iRQJEg/viewform?usp=sf_link