



A Collaborative Project of
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Nature Explore Workshops

Sponsored by Capitol Area AEYC

We proudly invite you to two Nature Explore Workshops devoted to reconnecting children with nature.

Workshop Location

Memorial Center for Learning & Innovation
228 W. Miller St.
Springfield, IL 62781

Workshop Schedule

SATURDAY APRIL 30, 2016

Learning with Nature

9:00 am–12:00 pm

Description: Explore some of the common barriers that keep children from creating positive connections with the natural world, and discover ways families and educators can counteract them. Experience a multitude of engaging hands-on ideas for supporting the nature-child connection. Helpful resources for incorporating learning with nature into both outdoor and indoor classrooms will be shared.

12:00-1:00 pm Lunch (not provided)

Using Your Outdoor Classroom

1:00 pm–4:00 pm

Description: Experience interesting techniques for using outdoor classrooms as an integral part of children’s daily learning. Find out how well-designed outdoor spaces facilitate healthy physical, emotional, intellectual and social development in a variety of settings (from schools to early childhood programs to public spaces). Discover strategies for assessing children’s learning, meeting teaching standards, alleviating challenging behaviors and bringing more joy to learning.

Registration Form

Name:

Organization:

Organization Address:

Home Address:

Work Phone:

Home Phone:

Email Address:

Registration: \$60 for CA-AEYC members, \$75 for non-members

Deadline: April 22, 2016. Space is limited, so register early.

Please note: This meets a requirement needed to become a Certified Nature Explore Classroom

Please register online at natureexplore.org

Or send registrations to:

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