



Training, Resources & Coaching
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PLAYWORKS: *For Early Childhood Professionals*

DATE: April 5, 2019

TIME: 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

LOCATION: David F. Gantt Recreation Center, 700 North Street

COST: No cost to participants (funding provided by Ralph C. Wilson Jr. Foundation). **Space is limited.**

Training opportunity for preschool staff, education specialists, and classroom coaches

Celebrate the power of play! Early childhood professionals have the power to shape play environments that bring out the best in kids. Classrooms, playgrounds, and large motor playtime provide kids with the opportunity to solve problems, make decisions, take turns, express their ideas, and listen to others. *Playworks* helps kids stay active and build valuable life skills through play.

During this practical and interactive training, participants will:

- Experience the feeling of play, become familiar with *Playworks* activities, values, and systems.
- Learn strategies to better engage and organize large group activities.
- Learn active large group activities, fun attention getters, and strategies that promote smooth transitions.
- Examine key concepts of quality indoor play, including a wide variety of indoor activities and best uses for indoor spaces.

Who should attend?: Preschool classroom staff, administrators, education specialists and classroom coaches. The focus will be on those individuals that work with preschool children, ages 3-5 years old.

Register today!

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TRACC (Training, Resources and Coaching Center) is funded by the Greater Rochester Health Foundation, as part of their new Healthy Futures strategy. TRACC is a partnership of 13 community organizations, led by Children's Institute. We focus on children from birth to age 8 with a goal to ensure every child is developmentally on track using a whole-child approach.