

Rhode Island Association for the Education of Young Children
An Affiliate of the National Association for the Education of Young Children
Promoting excellence in early childhood education

The 45th Annual Rhode Island Early Childhood Conference
Cordially Invites You to Participate in the
Celebration of Ideas

"Drawing from Our Roots in a Season of Change"

Who:

Early Childhood Educators, Teacher Assistants, K-2 Teachers, Family Child Care Providers, School Age Programs, College Students, High School Technical Career Students and any other individual or organization affiliated in the field of early care and education.

What:

Displays of child initiated projects, classroom activities or innovative curriculum ideas; teaching strategies, learning environments or developmentally appropriate practice; ideas for parent-teacher involvement, advocacy, public policy or current research trends.

Displays are to be presented on a standard size tri-fold presentation board. Additional curriculum materials, samples, books, brochures and handouts may be placed on the display table provided for you.

When:

May 8th 2010

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Where:

Bryant University
1150 Douglas Pike
Smithfield, RI 02917

Why:

Conference participants will have the opportunity to network with colleagues in the field and be inspired by the wonderful work that you do for children and families! In addition, presenters will have their work featured in the conference brochure.

In appreciation of your participation, for each accepted presentation, the conference fee will be waived for one presenter per Celebration of Ideas. We ask that no more than two adults be present behind the display table due to limited space.

Important Information at a Glance:

- At least one presenter must be at their display to answer questions during the lunch and break sessions.
- The enclosed presentation submission form must be returned by March 30th, 2010.
- Presentations displays may be set up between 7:00- 7:35 a.m. and should be taken down at 4:00 p.m.

We look forward to sharing the day with you!

