

Learning Together with Infants and Toddlers

Using Reflective Teaching Practices to Meet Up with Children's Lively Minds!

with *Lorrie Baird & Anne Marie Coughlin*

Friday February 27 & Saturday February 28, 2015

This two-day institute will focus on the inspirational and practical realities that working with our youngest children offer. Join Lorrie Baird and Anne Marie Coughlin for lively conversation, participation with props and stories, and:

- Cultivate your role as an educator of infants and toddlers
- Enhance the joy and intellectual engagement in your work
- Design an engaging physical and social emotional environment
- Negotiate the complexities of working with infants and toddlers
- Consider multiple perspectives; use a "Thinking Lens" to reflect upon your work
- Study the foundational elements for reflective practice
- Observe the details of children's activities to seek their points of view
- Transform your view of infants and toddlers
- Meet up with children's minds and approaches to learning

Amici's Banquet & Conference Centre, 2740 Merrittville Hwy, Thorold

\$145 includes continental breakfast & buffet lunch on both days and all institute materials

To register, contact the ECCDC at 905.646.7311 ext. 304 or eccdc@eccdc.org



Lorrie Baird has worked in the early childhood field for over 30 years as a classroom educator, program supervisor, college evaluator and course writer and workshop facilitator. Currently she holds the position of Associate Executive Director with Kawartha Child Care Services in Kawartha, Ontario.



Anne Marie Coughlin is the Professional Development Coordinator and Program Director at London Child Care Services in London, Ontario. Over her 30 year career, she has worked as a Preschool Educator, Centre Director, PD Coordinator and Community College Teacher.

Both individuals are associate trainers with Margie Carter and Deb Curtis at Harvest Resources.

• Friday •

8:00 am Registration & Continental breakfast

8:30 am Presentation & dialogue in learning groups

12:30 pm Buffet lunch

1:30-4:30 pm Presentation & dialogue in learning groups

• Saturday •

8:00 am Continental breakfast

8:30 am Presentations and dialogue in learning groups

12:30 pm Buffet lunch

1:30 pm Presentation & dialogue in learning groups

3:30 pm Institute concludes