The NC Division of Child Development and Early Education (DCDEE) and Teaching Strategies are hosting the second of three virtual professional development sessions for NC Pre-K lead teachers and teacher assistants between October 5th and October 31st.

Since this training is only available for teachers and assistants, Teaching Strategies is presenting a webinar that will provide Administrators an opportunity to preview the training and ask any questions. The webinar will be presented on October 1st, at 1:00 pm ET. It will also be recorded, if you are unable to attend at that time.

To register for the live webinar or view the recorded webinar, please go to this <u>link</u>.

The PD session will:

- Explain the framework of The Creative Curriculum® Cloud and how it relates to building partnerships with families.
- Become aware of your own beliefs and values in order to understand your own behavior, how it affects relationships and to build trusting relationships with families.
- Analyze effective communication strategies to welcome families and support involvement in their child's educational experiences in intentional and meaningful ways.
- Identify resources in The Creative Curriculum® Cloud that teachers can use to help family members understand the purposes of the experience teachers provide and how to support their children's development and learning at home.

The <u>training registration page</u> will be available by October 1 for Teachers and Assistant Teachers to select their training date and time. They can choose **one** (and only one) session. **All sessions contain the exact same content.**

Based on the feedback we received from you, we are offering two training options for this session throughout the month of October.

- Two consecutive days for 3-hours of training each day, totaling 6-hours
- One day for 6-hours of training

Each session can accommodate a maximum of 32 participants. Once capacity is reached for a particular session, it will be closed for registration. Due to the exciting volume of educators signing up for the professional development, **teachers may need to check multiple sessions before finding one with availability.** The registration page will be updated frequently; however, it is not updated instantly, to reflect sessions that are already at capacity. Each session will close for registration by noon the day prior to the training.

When your teachers and assistant teachers are registering for a professional development session please remind them:

- These sessions are only available for NC Pre-K lead teachers and teacher assistants
- Each participant must register to attend training separately (no group registration)
- Each registration must include that person's name and unique email address
- Only one registration will be accepted per person (duplicate registrations will be canceled)
- Participants must attend <u>only their registered session</u>
- All 6 hours of training must be completed in order to receive the training certificate

- If participants do not pre-registered for training, you will not be eligible for a certificate of completion.
- Training certificates will be emailed to the address in the registration within 10 school days following the training
- Registrants can cancel registrations in Eventbrite by completing the following steps
 - o Log in to your **Eventbrite** account, then click your order on the **Tickets** page.
 - Select 'Cancel Order" (next to your order details). Then choose "Yes, cancel this order".
 - o The attendee and event organizer receive an email to confirm cancellation.