

## NH State PIRC Train-the-Trainer Sessions for Fall of 2010

*Train-the-Trainer sessions are ideal for teachers, parents and community volunteers who want to contribute to their community by offering high-value, relevant workshops to parents of young children. We will provide you with all the materials you need to deliver a successful workshop, including trainer's manual, activity and discussion ideas, and handouts. You don't need to be an expert — you just need to care. Call (800) 947-7005 for more information.*

### Available Early Childhood Literacy Sessions

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**Bonding With Books** - Early exposure to books can develop a lifelong love of reading. Learn activities and techniques that help you rediscover the joys of reading with your child. Review the ways children gradually acquire literacy skills and discuss how to match books to the interest and developmental stages of children in the early childhood years. **September 14, Concord 12:30-3:45**

**Make Reading Fun- Creating Your Own Books** - This interactive workshop provides ideas, tools and materials for parents to learn how to make simple books. No matter what your comfort level is with reading, making a book and sharing a story with a young child is a fast (and easy) way to help children grow to love books. Leave this workshop with a handmade gift for your young child. **October 19, Concord 6-8:30**

**Supporting Language and Literacy Everyday** – Language and literacy skills are more than just reading. There are many connected activities during the day that provide an opportunity to have fun with words. Learn how to promote literacy in a wide range of activities from pretend play to self expression, to painting, to finger plays, songs and more. **November 16, Concord 12:30-3:45**

**Making my Mark: The Writing Connection** – Children pass through stages as they develop drawing and writing skills. Writing helps children develop an awareness of how print is organized and used and how it is related to spoken words. Learn how you can support children's growth from early scribbling to learning to write their name. **November 30, Concord 9-12:30**



**NOTE: Dates are Tentative.**

Please contact Kimm Phillips at the Parent Information Center  
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to confirm dates and to register.