

CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES, EARLY INTERVENTION & INCLUSION

The Ohio Early Childhood Conference | April 24-26, 2025 | Kalahari Resort | Sandusky, OH

Thursday, April 24, 2025

8:00 am -10:00 am

My Role is Important: A Teacher's Guide to Special Needs

Catrina Conley-Brookover

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Empowering Change: Tools to Evaluate and Adapt Inclusive Environments

Katie DeSmith & Alexa Nunnari

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Culturally Inclusive Environments: Creating Welcoming Spaces for All Children

Bethene Edwards

3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

The DEC Recommended Practices: How to Support Students with Special Needs in Your Classroom

Elizabeth Diedrick & Kris Gilland

Friday, April 25, 2025

8:30 am -10:00 am

But First Do No Harm - Songs and Stories to Create (And Maintain) Compassionate, Inclusive Classrooms

Joanie Calem

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1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Tools You Can Use: Curriculum Planning Matrices

Camille Catlett

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1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Help Beyond the Center: Having Tough Conversations with Empathy

Lianna Madigan

3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

Quantifying Quality in Inclusive Early Childhood Classrooms

Dr. Laurie Dinnebeil

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3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Strengthening School-Family Partnerships for Ohio's English Learners

Rhonda Reid & Candace Muetzel

Saturday, April 26, 2025

8:00 am - 10:00 am

Let's Accommodate

Mandy Young

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

Different is Not Dangerous - A Musical Trip Around the World

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1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

We Are All Alike-We Are All Different: Understanding Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Part 1

Stephanie Moore & Cheryl Holloway

3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

We Are All Alike-We Are All Different: Understanding Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Part 2

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