

ARPA Professional Development Checklist

Recruit & Train Preschool and Infant/Toddler Teachers

Requirements – Recruitment Bonus - \$500	Date Completed
Eligibility Applications submitted to ELCIRMO by Provider	
Eligibility Applications submitted to ELCIRMO by Teacher/Director	
Background screening completed	
Completed 120 hours of employment & continued employment at a licensed	
child care provider at the time of application and payment	
Required documents submitted to ELCIRMO	

Requirements – DCF 45-hour Health & Safety Bonus - \$700	Date Completed
Eligibility Application submitted to ELCIRMO by Provider	
Eligibility Applications submitted to ELCIRMO by Teacher/Director	
DCF 45-hour Health & Safety training completed	
Required documents submitted to ELCIRMO	

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS for the Recruitment Bonus and the Health & Safety Bonus:

- All Early Learning Educators hired on or after July 1, 2022
- All requirements must be completed between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023. Requirements completed prior to July 1, 2022, will not be considered
- Complete ALL requirements listed above by June 30, 2023
- Submit required, documented proof that requirements were met with completed application



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Required Courses – CLASS Foundations Bonus - \$600	Date Completed
Infant/Toddler Track	
Eligibility Application submitted to ELCIRMO by Provider	
Eligibility Application submitted to ELCIRMO by Teacher/Director	
Introduction to the CLASS Tool Training	
Requires Participation Kit (Choose Infant or Toddler Course)	
3.75 hours, virtual course – Dates offered TBD	
Thinking and Thriving: Interactions for Early Learning	
4 hours, virtual (50 per class) – Date offered TBD	
CLASS Support Kit - CLASS®	
Social and Emotional – Kit Required for this course	
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2 hours, virtual (25 per class) – Date offered TBD	
A CLASS Primer for Infant/Toddler Teachers	
3-hour online course	
MyTeachstone Learn About CLASS Videos (All 12 must be taken):	
Infant: • Learn about Relational Climate	
Learn about Teacher Sensitivity	
Learn about Facilitated Exploration	
Learn about Early Language Support	
Toddler:	
Learn about Positive Climate	
Learn about Negative Climate	
Learn about Teacher Sensitivity	
 Learn about Regard for Child Perspectives 	
Learn about Behavior Guidance	
 Learn About Facilitation of Learning and Development 	
Learn About Quality of Feedback	
Learn About Language Modeling	
3-hour, online course	
Interactions of the Heart of Healing: Trauma-Informed Professional	
Development Series	
6 hours, online course	
MyTeachstone Courses:	
Responding with Developmentally Appropriate Practice - 30 min.	
Your Favorite Teacher - 15 min.	
Observing Children's Cues - 15 min.	
 Nurturing Attachment with Teacher Sensitivity - 20 min. 	
 Interactions at the Core: The Life-Changing Power of Interactions in any setting - 60 min. 	
Total 2 hours 20 min., online courses	
Submit Required documents to ELCIRMO	



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ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS for the CLASS Foundations Infant/Toddler Track Bonus:

- ALL Early Learning Educators
- All requirements must be completed between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023. Requirements completed prior to July 1, 2022, will not be considered
- Must select only one track, either Infant/Toddler or Preschool
- Complete ALL requirements listed above by June 30, 2023
- Submit completed eligibility application before enrolling in courses and provide all required documents and proof of completion



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Required Courses – CLASS Foundations Bonus - \$600	Date Completed
Preschool Track	
Eligibility Application submitted to ELCIRMO by Provider	
Eligibility Application submitted to ELCIRMO by Teacher/Director	
MyTeachstone Class Foundations for Teachers	
21 hours, online course. All the following must be completed:	
 CLASS Primer for Teachers – online, 3 hours/0.3 CEUs 	
 Emotional Support for Teachers – 6 hours virtual/0.6 CEUs 	
 Classroom Organization for Teachers – 6 hours virtual/0.6 CEUs 	
 Instructional Support for Teachers – 6 hours virtual/0.6 CEUs 	
MyTeachstone Learn About CLASS Videos	
2.5 hours, online course. All the following must be completed:	
Learn about Positive Climate	
Learn about Negative Climate	
 Learn about Teacher Sensitivity 	
 Learn about Regard for Student Perspectives 	
Learn about Behavior Management	
Learn about Productivity	
 Learn about Instructional Learning Formats 	
Learn about Concept Development	
Learn about Quality of Feedback	
Learn about Language Modeling	
Submit Required documents to ELCIRMO	

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS for the CLASS Foundations Preschool Track Bonus:

- ALL Early Learning Educators
- Must select only one track, either Infant/Toddler or Preschool
- All requirements must be completed between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023. Requirements completed prior to July 1, 2022, will not be considered
- Complete ALL requirements listed above by June 30, 2023
- Submit completed eligibility application before enrolling in courses and provide all required documents and proof of completion

NOTE: Priority enrollment for the Infant/Toddler and Preschool CLASS Foundations bonus will be for new teachers hired on or after July 1, 2022; Teachers hired prior to July 1, 2022, may access these trainings/videos if there is availability.