



Foster and Kinship Care Education

Foster & Kinship Care Education (FKCE) Program

Fall 2024 Workshop Calendar



Please use this link to register for classes as Cerritos College:
[Cerritos College FKCE Workshop Registration Form](#)

Scan QR to fill out
Registration form



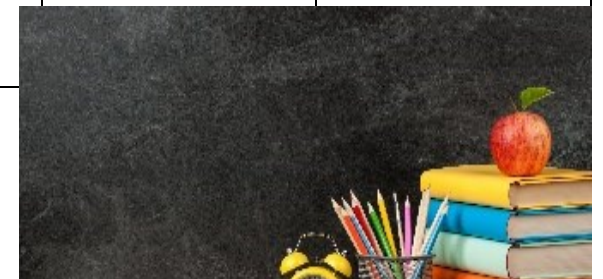
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- **I'M INTERESTED IN BECOMING A RESOURCE (FOSTER) PARENT. WHAT IS THE FIRST STEP?**
Please call Resource Parent Recruitment to attend an orientation at (888) 811-1121 or view a Resource Parent Orientation Video through this link:
https://s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com/shoresmedia/client/DCFS/resourcefamily/story_html5.html
- **DO I HAVE TO ATTEND FKCE CLASSES/WORKSHOPS? IF SO, WHEN?**
Yes, these classes are taken after you have completed your RFA (Resource Family Approval) certification and are needed to renew your certification and/or to keep your specialized care rate.
- **HOW MANY RENEWAL TRAINING HOURS DO I NEED EACH YEAR?**
RFA Renewal (RFA) = 8 hrs.; W-rate (W) = 4hrs; and SCI Renewal (SCI) = 6 hrs.
- **WHAT CLASSES DO I TAKE TO RENEW MY CURRENT D & F RATE?**
You will initially take 12 hours of SCI training + 4 hours of an SCI specialized course to obtain SCI Certification. These courses are offered in 3 four-hour sessions that must be taken together. An additional 4 hours of specialized training of your choice is required to fulfill the SCI certification requirements. You must then take 6 hours annually to renew your certification.
- **HOW DO I KNOW IF I AM OR WHEN IT IS TIME TO CONVERT TO LOC/SCI?**
Your CSW will request an LOC/SCI assessment when you either receive a new placement, or when it is time for your annual D or F rate reassessment, whichever happens first.
- **WHEN CAN I TAKE THE SCI TRAINING?**
You can begin taking the SCI training now, you do not have to wait for your CSW to initiate the LOC (Level of Care) protocol. The training will assist you with being prepared for the conversion.
- **I HAVE MORE QUESTIONS ABOUT LEVEL OF CARE (LOC) AND SCI, WHO CAN I CONTACT?**
Please email askloc@dcfs.lacounty.gov with further questions.
- **HOW DO I REGISTER FOR CLASSES AT CERRITOS COLLEGE?**
Please use this link to register for classes as Cerritos College: [Cerritos College FKCE Workshop Registration Form](#)
- **ARE CLASSES IN PERSON OR ON ZOOM?**
Currently, our classes are offered online through Zoom.
- **WHEN WILL I RECEIVE THE ZOOM LINK?**
Workshop confirmations and Zoom links are emailed out 1 – 2 days prior to your workshop. Please email us at fkce-info@cerritos.edu if you have not received it.
- **WHO SHOULD I CONTACT WITH FURTHER QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CLASSES OFFERED AT CERRITOS COLLEGE?**
Please reach out via email at fkce-info@cerritos.edu or by phone at (562) 860-2451 Ext. 2548

September 2024


Register for a Workshop

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Campus Closed	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 Como Ayudar a Los Ninos Con Su Comportamiento y a Controlar el Enojo 9:00AM-12:00PM (SCI, RFA, W-Rate)	11	12 How to Understand and Help Children & Teens w/ ADHD 6:00PM-9:00PM (SCI, RFA, W-Rate)	13	14 Special Care Increment (SCI) (Session 1 of 3) 9:00AM-1:00PM (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)
15	16	17 How to Properly Document the Well Being of your Children 9:00AM-12:00PM (SCI, RFA, W-Rate)	18 An Organized Caregiver: A Guide to Keeping It All Together 6:00PM-9:00PM (SCI, RFA, W-Rate)	19	20	21 Special Care Increment (SCI) (Session 2 of 3) 9:00AM-1:00PM (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)
22	23	24 Convirtiendo Suenos a Titulos Universitarios: Preparacion Para Titulos Universitarios (Session 2, 11-12th grado) 5:00PM-9:00PM (SCI, RFA, W-Rate)	25 Turning Dreams into Degrees: Higher Education (Session 2, 11th-12th grade) 9:00AM-1:00PM (SCI, RFA,W-Rate)	26	27	28
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October 2024

Register for a Workshop

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5 Special Care Increment (SCI) (Session 3 of 3, Graduation Day) 9:00AM-1:00PM (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)
6	7	8 La Depression, Ansiedad y El Suicidio en Los Niños y Jóvenes 9:00AM-1:00pm (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	9	10 The Effects of Trauma on Brain Development 9:00AM-12:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	11 Special Care Increment (Session 1 of 3) 5:00PM-9:00pm (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)	12
13	14	15 Ensuring Healthy Sexual Development: Tips on Discussing the Topic with Children 9:00AM-12:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	16	17 Reunification and Making Sense of the Court System 6:00PM-9:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	18 Special Care Increment (Session 2 of 3) 5:00PM-9:00PM (Must take sessions 2-3 in order to receive certificate)	19
20	21	22 Como Alimentar los Talentos Naturales de Nuestros Hijos 5:00PM-8:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	23	24 How to Create and Maintain Proper Documentation 9:00AM-1:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	25 Special Care Increment (Session 3 of 3, Graduation Day) 5:00PM-9:00PM (Must take sessions 3-3 in order to receive certificate)	26
27	28	29 Teaching Children the Importance of Oral Hygiene 6:00PM-9:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	30	31 Cerritos College FKCE Trunk - Or Treat 5:00PM-7:00PM		

November 2024

Register for a Workshop

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 Special Care Increment (Session 1 of 3) 9:00AM-1:00PM (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)
3	4	5 Open Doors for All: How to Create a Culturally Compassionate Home 9:00AM-12:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	6	7 Understanding the Risk Factors & Getting Help for Suicidal Behaviors 6:00PM-9:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	8	9 Special Care Increment (Session 2 of 3) 9:00AM-1:00PM (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)
10	11 Campus Closed	12 Explotacion Sexual Comercial de Ninos (CSEC) 9:00AM-1:00pm (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	13	14 Placement Stability: Our Key Desired Outcome 6:00PM-9:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	15	16 Special Care Increment (Session 3 of 3, Graduation Day) 9:00AM-1:00PM (Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)
17	18	19 Staying Safe on Social Media 9:00AM-12:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	20	21	22	23
24	25	26 La Salud Mental Y La Inteligencia Emocional En La Familia 5:00PM-8:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	27	28 Campus Closed	29 Campus Closed	30

December 2024

Register for a Workshop

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Special Care Increment (Session 1 of 3) 5:00PM-9:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-RATE) <i>(Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)</i>	3	4	5 Identifying the Risks & Reality of Child Trafficking (CSEC) 9:00AM-12:00pm (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	6	7
8	9 Special Care Increment (Session 2 of 3) 9:00AM-1:00PM <i>(Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)</i>	10 La Diversidad Cultural En La Familia 9:00AM-12:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	11	12 Self Care for Caregivers It Takes More Than Luck 9:00AM-12:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	13	14
15	16 Special Care Increment (Session 3 of 3) 9:00AM-1:00PM <i>(Must take sessions 1-3 in order to receive certificate)</i>	17 El Cuidado de Ninos Especiales 5:00pm-8:00pm	18	19 A Guide to Understanding and Helping Depressioin in Children & Teens 6:00PM-9:00PM (RFA/SCI/W-Rate)	20	21
22	23	24 CAMPUS CLOSED	25 CAMPUS CLOSED	26 CAMPUS CLOSED	27 CAMPUS CLOSED	28 CAMPUS CLOSED
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