



# Child Care Services Certification

Winter 2017

## Did You Know ...?

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**I have received my certification from the Association of Early Childhood Educators of Newfoundland & Labrador (AECENL) office does that mean that I am an AECENL member?**

No, when you receive your Child Care Services Certification you are not an automatic member of AECENL. Certification and AECENL membership are separate.

AECENL is the professional association for Early Childhood Educators of Newfoundland & Labrador. The association has a service agreement with the Provincial Government to deliver Child Care Services Certification and Orientation Courses.

The AECENL membership is done on an annual basis, when you become an AECENL member you also become a member of the Canadian Child Care Federation (CCCF) automatically. There are many direct benefits to being a member:

- one hour of PD towards the requirements for certification renewal
- discounts at Michael's (15%), Grand & Toy (60% and you can order online), Magenta Insurance and we are working on more...
- AECENL Bulletin and CCCF publications
- reduced rates to the annual AECENL provincial and regional conferences
- reduced rates at CCCF conferences
- free (or reduced rates) for workshops and social events
- email notifications of upcoming PD events and webinars
- access to website "member only" sections including discussion forums and employment opportunity boards
- access to resources on the web and through AECENL's office
- and more!

Do you hold an Entry Level CCS Certification?  
Are you attending a Post-Secondary Institution to obtain an ECE certificate/diploma?



If your answer is YES the **ECE Trainee Bursary Program** is for you!

The ECE Trainee Bursary Program is designed to provide you with monetary support to upgrade to Level 1. You can apply for a maximum of \$500.00 per year. You will receive \$250.00 for one course or \$500.00 for two courses successfully completed in a fiscal year.

Check out our website [www.aecenl.ca](http://www.aecenl.ca) for more information and application forms.

## Contact the PD Director & Registrar:

**PD Director:** 579-3028 (toll-free 1-877-579-3028)

**Registrar:** 579-3004 (toll-free 1-866-579-3004)

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**in person/courier:** 50 Pippy Place, #19, St. John's, NL

## Office Hours

8:30 - 4:30 Monday through Friday (summer 8:30-4:00)

By appointment outside these hours (please call to insure someone is in the office)

## WE WANT YOUR INPUT!



Let us know your views regarding PD by doing our on-line professional development 2017 survey.

The short survey is available by clicking on this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/H9PY6WG>

Or can be found as a link on our website [www.aecenl.ca](http://www.aecenl.ca)

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### FREE WEBINAR

Thursday February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017

7:00 – 8:00pm

An information session on certification and how to find PD. If you have a question that you would like to ask this is a great opportunity to do so!

Facilitated by Skye Taylor & Mojca Bas

To register e-mail  
[aecenladmin@bellaliant.com](mailto:aecenladmin@bellaliant.com)

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### ECE WEEK 2017

ECE Week is being celebrated this year during the week of May 28<sup>th</sup> to June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2017. Information will be posted on our website closer to the date [www.aecenl.ca](http://www.aecenl.ca).



## Mark your calendars!!!!



## 25<sup>th</sup> Annual AECENL Provincial Conference

*Valuing Early Childhood Education & Care*

October 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Holiday Inn - St. John's

Great speakers  
Nutrition Breaks & Tradeshow  
Conference bag & Raffle Prize Table  
Opportunity to network with early childhood educators from across the province  
Professional Development hours

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### NEW ONLINE WORKSHOPS COMING TO A COMPUTER NEAR YOU SPRING 2017!



NEW titles include:

- Fun with Science
- Provocations & Documentation
- Mindfulness in Child Care
- Social & Emotional Development: Fostering Resiliency and Self-Regulation