



Regional Travel Schedule 2024

Welcome to a day of in-person professional learning, facilitated by the Association of Early Childhood Educators of Newfoundland and Labrador.

9:00am-9:30am	Registration and Meet & Greet
9:30am-10:00am	AECENL Updates and Announcements! Find out all the news and updates from your professional organization.
10am-10:30am	Networking Session We're asking participants the question "what makes you feel supported in your workplace?" Participants will have an opportunity to discuss as a group and connect with other ECEs from their region.
10:30am-10:45am	Live Online Q&A with AECENL Staff Do you have questions about certification, renewal, bursaries, membership and more? We'll have representatives from the Association ready on Zoom to answer your questions!
10:45am-11:00am	Break
11:00am-12:00pm	Addressing Challenging Behaviour in Early Learning Settings ECEs face real challenges as they strive to meet the needs of all children in early learning settings. This session will focus on evidence-based practices for reducing challenging behaviours, as well as professional learning opportunities related to trauma informed care, culturally responsive practice, and inclusion.
12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch on your own
1:00pm-3:00pm	Outdoor Play and Everything Clay! This workshop will explore the fundamentals of making the most of our outdoor learning time, and how to bring the outdoors in when weather warnings impact the daily routine.
3:00pm-3:30pm	Music and (Critical) Friends Have you ever wondered what critical friendship is? Or, how this relates to the processes of reflective inquiry we have in place in our early childhood programs? In the last half hour of the day, we'll play some music, fill out a workshop exit survey, hand out PL certificates and ask the question, "what are the benefits of having critical friends in the workplace?"