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**Early Childhood Collaborative
of Southington**

Kindergarten Readiness Workshop



SOUTHINGTON

Public Schools

Agenda and Introductions

Early Childhood Collaborative of Southington

Joanne Kelleher, Executive Director

Social-Emotional Learning/Ruler

Rebecca Cavallaro, Director of Pupil Personnel Services

Literacy Readiness

Stephanie Lawlor, District Curriculum Coordinator for English Language Arts and Social Studies

Numeracy Readiness

Alicia Naleway, Curriculum Coordinator for K-8 Math/K-5 Science

Who Is Here?

Parents/Guardians

- Of Children Starting Kindergarten in Fall 2024
- Of Children Starting Kindergarten in Fall 2025
- Of Children Starting Kindergarten TBD

Early Childhood Educators

Others?

Kindergarten Registration

Start date has changed – Age 5 by September 1st
Or request screening and receive a waiver

Registration for Fall 2024 is underway

Final Screening for waivers for Fall 2024
Saturday, May 11 by appointment

Registration for Fall 2025 – Look for info in January

<https://www.southingtonearlychildhood.org/southington-kindergarten-registration/>

SPARKLER Mobile App

The free Sparkler mobile app allows families to:

- **Know:** Understand your child's development with the mobile Ages & Stages Questionnaires[®] (ASQ)
- **Play:** Tips and off-screen play activities
- **Grow:** Follow your child's progress via scrapbook
- **Connect:** Get tips and answers from experts

Access Code "Southington" or code for your preschool

– www.southingtonearlychildhood.org/sparkler/

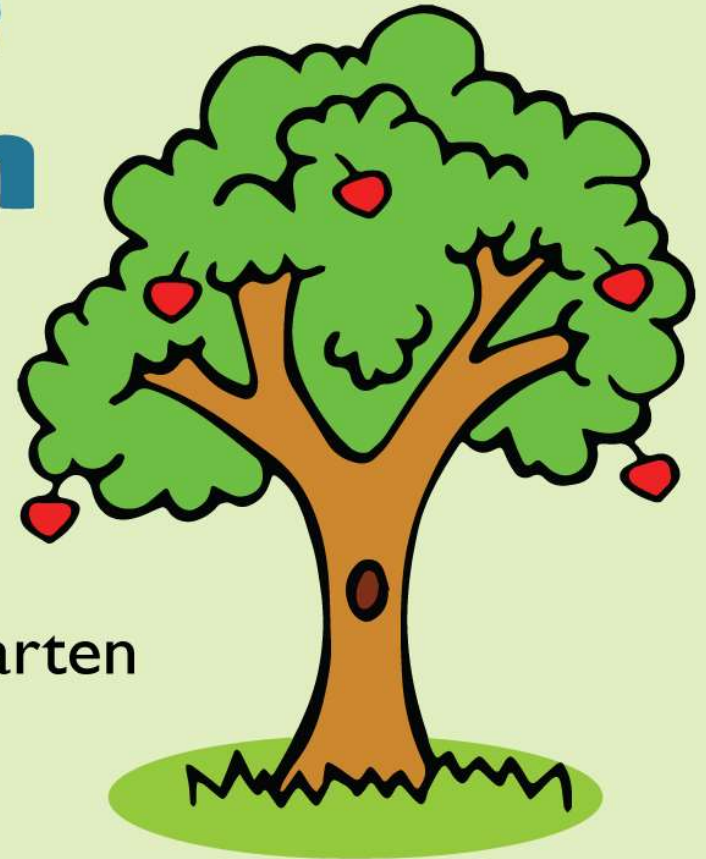
ASQ Concerns Identified – SEL and Fine Motor

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Helping ensure that all children are healthy and ready for school.

Ask us about:

- Registering for Pre-school and Kindergarten
- Our Parent Workshops
- Childcare and Summer Programs
- Healthcare Providers
- Child Development and Special Needs
- Fun Activities and Outdoor Spaces



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Visit us at southingtonearlychildhood.org

Upcoming Events

Community Café – focus on impact of electronic devices

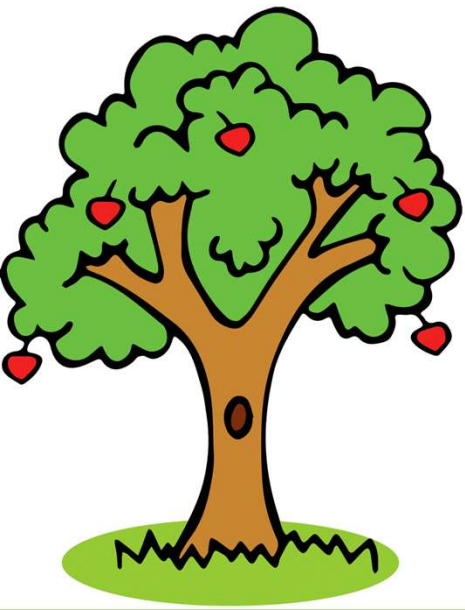
Parenting with a CBT Perspective, a Mental Health workshop

Office Hours at the Southington Public Library and at the Southington Farmer's Market

Annual “State of Early Childhood” presentation – 5/29

Several community events in spring

www.southingtonearlychildhood.org/events/



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