



Developing Fine Motor Skills for Kindergarten

A free educational presentation for childcare providers, teachers, parents/guardians and community members

Thursday, April 26, 2018 at 6:30 pm

Featuring Sue Spatafore, Occupational Therapist for the Southington Public Schools.

Sponsored by the Early Childhood collaborative of Southington

PLACE: YMCA Early Learning Center, 30 High Street, Southington

TIME: Doors open at 6:00 pm -- Presentation from 6:30 -8:30 pm

REGISTER AT: www.southingtonearlychildhood.org/events/ QUESTIONS TO: southingtonearlychildhood@gmail.com

Free childcare will be provided by the Southington YMCA if requested in advance. Certificates of attendance will be provided to childcare providers.

Attendees will learn:

- What fine motor skills are and how they develop in young children
- Why there has been a decline in manual dexterity in preschool students over the last decade
- Fun activities that can be done to support fine motor skill development in home and in the classroom

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