

**THE ADDISON EARLY CHILDHOOD COLLABORATIVE &  
WHEATON/WARRENVILLE EARLY CHILDHOOD COLLABORATIVE**

INVITE EARLY CARE & EDUCATION SERVICE PROVIDERS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual

**KINDERGARTEN SYMPOSIUM:**

**Building Social-Emotional Competencies**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5<sup>th</sup>**

*Join in a morning of learning and discussion as we build our knowledge about the important role that social-emotional development plays in preparing children for success in Kindergarten and beyond. Participants will receive several perspectives on how to promote and support children's social-emotional development, which becomes the foundation for the rest of a child's education. Our keynote speakers and discussion leaders will highlight educators' role for social-emotional development, as well as, common challenges and how we can best work together to support children in reaching their full potential.*

**Keynote Speakers will include:**

- **Dr. Joanne Panopoulos, Ed.D.**, Assistant Superintendent of Student Services, CUSD 200, will share educators' perspective on social-emotional standards during the first five years.
- **Maria Sinkule**, Addison School District 4, Early Learning Center Social Worker, will share families' experiences and successes in supporting their children's social-emotional development.

**Discussion session with:**

- **World Relief, Malita Gardner**
- **Addison School District 4, Lisa Gomez-Black, Ed.D.**
- **YWCA Metropolitan Chicago, Casey Craft**

**LOCATION:**

- **DUPAGE ROE  
CENTER FOR PROFESSIONAL LEARNING  
1519 GRACE ST, LOMBARD, 60148**

**TIME:**

- **8 -8:30 - CHECK IN & LIGHT BREAKFAST**
- **8:30-12:00 - PROGRAM**

**COST: FREE**

**CEU and EI CREDITS WILL BE GIVEN**

**RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY!**

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**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MARCH 29<sup>th</sup>  
SPACE IS LIMITED**