

South Alabama Early Childhood Convention

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Workshop Descriptions

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Marvelous Mathematicians in the Making K-2

Looking for exciting ways to turn your students into problem solving mathematicians? Learn how to inspire your students to love numbers through a variety of hands-on math games and centers. Create memorable learning experiences using cheap manipulatives that make learning exciting! Develop critical thinkers and link writing and math through the use of math journals and calendar binders.

Oh, What a Beautiful Morning Meeting Pre-K-3

Looking for new ways to start the day? Discover how to use morning meeting time to build a classroom community. Learn how to use morning messages, silly handshakes, fun songs, and movement activities to update your calendar routine. Create calendar binders to reinforce and assess student learning.

Creating Responsible Learners and Informed Parents Pre-K-3

Tired of crumpled papers and missing homework? Discover how to create an organizational notebook that will help inform parents and save time. Examine new ways to communicate between home and school by updating your homework contracts and weekly newsletters. Make homework fun by creating your own classroom bags.