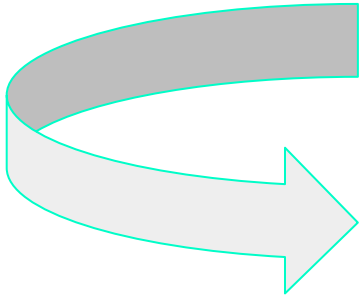


# EARLY CHILDHOOD ENVIRONMENT RATING SCALE: 3RD EDITION

PRESENTED BY: MASTER TEACHERS  
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# WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT



This will be a brief overview of the ECERS 3 observation in preschool classrooms. The session will provide information to parents about the purpose of the ECERS 3 observation and the importance of applying ECERS 3 practices into daily classroom routines.

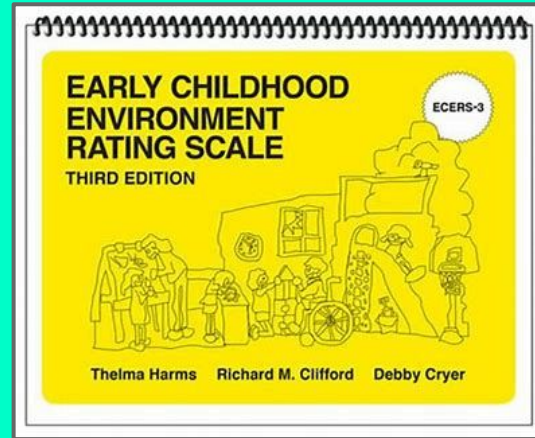
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# AGENDA

- WHAT IS ECERS?
- HOW DOES ECERS BENEFIT YOUR CHILD?
- HOW CAN YOU INCORPORATE ECERS AT HOME?

# WHAT DOES ECERS STAND FOR?

## EARLY CHILDHOOD ENVIRONMENT RATING SCALE



# WHAT IS ECERS?



*THE EARLY CHILDHOOD ENVIRONMENT RATING SCALE®*, IS A STAPLE OF EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS. IT IS A COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT TOOL THAT HELPS TO ACCURATELY ASSESS YOUR CHILD'S LEARNING ENVIRONMENT IN THE AREAS OF COGNITIVE, SOCIAL EMOTIONAL, PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT, AS WELL AS HEALTH AND SAFETY STANDARDS.

THE SCALE CONSISTS  
OF 35 ITEMS  
ORGANIZED INTO 6  
SUBSCALES:

- 1- Space and Furnishings
- 2- Personal Care Routines
- 3- Language and Literacy
- 4- Learning Activities
- 5- Interaction
- 6- Program Structure

Let's take a look at them...

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# 1. SPACE AND FURNISHINGS

1. Indoor space
2. Furnishings for care, play, and learning
3. Room arrangement for play and learning
4. Space for privacy
5. Child-related display
6. Space for gross motor play
7. Gross motor equipment



## 2. PERSONAL CARE ROUTINES

- 8. Meals/snacks
- 9. Toileting/diapering
- 10. Health practices
- 11. Safety practices





# 3. LANGUAGE AND LITERACY

12. Helping children expand vocabulary

13. Encouraging children to use language

14. Staff use of books with children

15. Encouraging children's use of books

16. Becoming familiar with print



# 4. LEARNING ACTIVITIES

17. Fine motor
18. Art
19. Music and movement
20. Blocks
21. Dramatic play
22. Nature/science
23. Math materials and activities
24. Math in daily events
25. Understanding written numbers
26. Promoting acceptance of diversity
27. Appropriate use of technology



# 5. INTERACTION

- 28. Supervision of gross motor
- 29. Individualized teaching and learning
- 30. Staff-child interaction
- 31. Peer interaction
- 32. Discipline





# 6. PROGRAM STRUCTURE

33.Transitions and waiting times

34.Free play

35.Whole-group activities for play and learning



HOW DOES ECERS  
BENEFIT YOUR  
CHILD?



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ECERS IS AN ASSESSMENT TOOL THAT HELPS TO CREATE THE BEST LEARNING ENVIRONMENT FOR YOUR CHILD. IT HELPS TEACHERS PREPARE FOR ENGAGING, MEANINGFUL ACTIVITIES THAT PROMOTE LANGUAGE SKILLS AND REINFORCE INDEPENDENT PLAY.

IT CREATES ENOUGH SPACE IN THEIR ENVIRONMENT FOR INTERACTIVE, HANDS-ON LEARNING, AND TEACHES CHILDREN TO FOLLOW SCHEDULES, ROUTINES, AND CLASSROOM RULES. ECERS LOOKS AT THE WHOLE CHILD WHILE CREATING THE BEST POSSIBLE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT FOR THEM TO SUCCEED!

HOW CAN YOU  
INCORPORATE ECERS  
AT HOME?





Help your child learn new words through interactions, experiences, and books!

Making math useful in everyday life!

Teaching and encouraging self help skills for personal care routines.

Allow them to learn through PLAY!

## ¡Lávese Las Manos!

Wash Your Hands!



**1** Mójese las manos  
Wet Hands



**2** Enjabónese  
Soap



**3** Lávese las manos por 20 segundos  
Wash for 20 seconds



**4** Enjuáguese  
Rinse



**5** Cierre el Grifo  
Turn off water



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THANK YOU!

ANY QUESTIONS, CONTACT US!

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