



DUPLIN COUNTY
Partnership for Children

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News for the Communities, Families and Early Childhood Educators of Duplin County



2019

Duplin County Partnership for Children helps to fund two Pre-Kindergarten classes located at Chinquapin Elementary and Rose Hill-Magnolia. The Pre-K activity helps prepare children to enter kindergarten ready to learn. The learning environment is organized around The Creative Curriculum that offers eight areas of interest. Registration/Applications for Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten will be held at all Elementary Schools on Friday, March 22, 2019 from 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. **Eligible students must be 4 years old on or before August 31, 2019.**

On registration day please bring the following:

- The child you wish to register
- A certified Birth Certificate
- Immunization Record
- Insurance or Medicaid Card
- 911 Address and Proof of Residence (utility bill, phone bill, water bill, rental contract/lease, etc.)
- Verification of all income for the past 12 months. This could include a 2018 tax return or W2, or check stubs. A notarized statement from employer is acceptable. (If no income, a notarized statement is required.)



For more information, you may call Pre-K site at the phone number listed below between the hours of
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

BF Grady (252) 568-3816
Warsaw (910) 293-4354
Beulaville (910) 298.6022
Kenansville (910) 296-2583
North Duplin (910) 299-7138
Rose Hill Magnolia (910) 289-6572
Wallace (910) 285-7439
Chinquapin (910) 285-5815



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Car Seat Workshop

**February 15, 2019
9:00 am-11:00 am
At Duplin
County
Partnership for
Children
For more
information,
please Call
910-296-2000.**





Buckle Up Kids
NORTH CAROLINA



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La Asociación para Niños del Condado de Duplin ayuda suministrar fondos para dos clases del Pre-Jardín localizado en la escuelas de Chinquapin Elementary y Rose Hill-Magnolia. Pre-Jardín ayuda a prepara a los niños para entrar al Kinder listos para aprender, por medio de un entorno de aprendizaje organizado en torno a ocho áreas de interés. La inscripción/aplicación para Pre-Kínder y Kinder será en todas las escuelas primarias el Viernes, 22 de Marzo de 2019 será de 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. **Los estudiantes elegibles deben tener cuatro años en o antes del 31 de Agosto de 2019.** El día de inscripción por favor traiga lo siguiente:

- El niño o niña que usted desea inscribir
- Un acta certificada de nacimiento
- Registro/cartilla de vacunas
- Seguro de salud o la Tarjeta de Medicaid
- Dirección física para las emergencias de 911 y comprobante de domicilio (factura de servicios como factura de teléfono, recibo de agua, contrato de alquiler o arrendamiento. etc.)
- Prueba de todos los ingresos de los pasados 12 meses. Esto puede ser la declaración de impuestos del 2018 o la W-2, talón de cheque que refleje lo que ha ganado desde. Una declaración de ingresos notariada del empleador es aceptable. (Si no tiene ningún ingreso, se requiere una declaración notariada diciendo que no esta trabajando).



Taller de Asientos de Ninos:

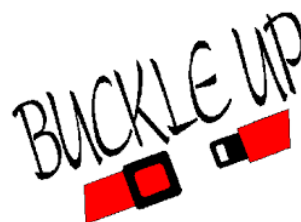
16 de Febrero 15,
2019

9:00 am-11:00 am
At Duplin County
Partnership for
Children

Para mas
informacion, llame
al 910-296-2000.

Para obtener mas información, puede llamar al sitio de Pre-K de su área al numero de teléfono que aparece abajo entre las 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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Bullying & Young Children

What does bullying look like in early childhood? Does it happen?

According to NAEYC, bullying has three elements. It is an action that is:

- Aggressive and intended to do harm
- Repeated over time
- Occurs within a power imbalance



And yes, bullying does happen in early childhood. A 2009 study showed that **20.4% of children ages 2-5 had experienced physical bullying and 14.6% had been teased (verbally bullied).** The research in this area is still growing, but most supports the idea that as children at this age are learning social and emotional regulations skills, their challenges may be expressed in bullying behaviors. As their skills improve, these behaviors often decline.

What Should I Do If My Child Is Being Bullied?

On the day of my child's birth, I imagined the wonders, joy, laughter, and adventures she would experience. Never in a million years did I expect my child to be bullied - but she was.

When their child is targeted, most parents don't know what to do. Like me, they feel a range of emotions: anger, sadness, frustration, disappointment, and uncertainty about what to do next.

Childhood bullying experts encourage parents to focus on open communication about school beginning at an early age. Rather than ask a question like, "Did you have a good day?" that can be answered with one, ask open-ended questions.

- "What did you do on the playground today? Who did you play with?"
- "Tell me about the best part of your day."
- "Did anyone make you feel good today? Bad? How?"



If your child tells you they are being bullied:

- Remind them it's not their fault and they did the right thing by telling you
- Understand and confirm the facts of the situation
- Talk to your child's teacher so they can monitor the situation and intervene if needed

For more information, www.naeyc.org



Black History Month



Black History Month honors the impacts African Americans have made to U.S. history. Here are some interesting facts about the month itself:

The Origins



It began as “Negro History Week,” created in 1926 by Carter G. Woodson, a noted African American historian, scholar, educator, and publisher.

Other Nations Celebrate Too

Canada also celebrates in February.

The U.K. celebrates the month in October



Why February?

It was chosen to coincide with Frederick Douglass’s and Abraham Lincoln’s birthdays.

BIRTH OF THE MONTH

The idea to turn the week into a month first came from the Black Student Union at Kent State University. It did not become a month-long celebration until 1976.



Changing Themes



With each new year comes a different theme. This was originally set by Carter G. Woodson to help focus the attention of the public. They are not intended to restrict the celebration of the history, but its purpose is to shine a light on important topical issues.

RAISING AWARENESS

In 1940's, African American community began increasing their efforts to expand the study of black history in schools.

During the Civil Rights Movement in the South, certain schools added Black history into the curriculum with the hopes of advancing social change.



By: Itzel Gallardo



Duplin County Hurricane Florence

DIAPER BANK & Other Related

Supplies

Diapers and other related items will be distributed to families that have been impacted by Hurricane Florence and unable to handle the financial ramifications of those situations.

Supplies are limited.

Eligibility requirements include:

1. Recipients must have been impacted by Hurricane Florence.
 2. Provide proof of Duplin County residency, which can be a utility bill, NC Identification Card or NC Driver's License.
 3. Proof of paternity or guardianship.
- Must provide birth certificate or legal documents.

Distribution Site:

Duplin County
Partnership for
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149 Limestone Road,
Suite #3

Kenansville, NC 28349

Distribution Hours:

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Monday - Friday



For more information, please contact Karen Pacheco at 910-296-2000.



Condado de Duplin Huracán Florence

**Banco de Pañales y
otros
Artículos Relacionados**

Los pañales y otros artículos relacionados se distribuirán a las familias que han sido afectadas por el huracán Florence y no pueden manejar las ramificaciones financieras de esas situaciones.

Los artículos son limitados.

Los requisitos de elegibilidad incluyen:

1. Los beneficiarios deben haber sido afectados por el Huracán Florence.
2. Prueba de residencia en el condado de Duplin, como una factura de servicios, tarjeta de identificación ó licencia de Carolina del Norte
3. Prueba de paternidad o tutela. Debe presentar certificado de nacimiento o documentos legales.

Sitio de Distribución:

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Lunes-Viernes



Para más información comuníquese con Karen Pacheco al 910-296-2000.

Jello Cherry Hearts



Valentine's Day is quickly approaching.
Let it be a memorable holiday.

These creamy cherry hearts are a decadent and fruity treat . They're easy to make and super fun to eat. By cutting them into hearts, you can make a perfect, portable and sweet little Valentine's Day treat.

You Will Need:

- 2 85g boxes of red cherry flavored gelatin
- 2 cups of boiling hot water
- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup of cream
- heart-shaped cookie cutter



Instructions:

1. Empty both pouches of red flavored gelatin powder into a medium-sized bowl.
2. Slowly add 2 cups of boiling hot water and stir the gelatin powder until dissolved completely. Pour into a 9x13 inch pan and let sit for 10 minutes.
3. Slowly pour $\frac{3}{4}$ cup of cream into the red mixture. Stir until well mixed.
4. Place the pan in the fridge and refrigerate until set.
5. Once set, remove pan from fridge and use a heart-shaped cookie cutter to cut hearts out of the pan.
6. Use a spatula to remove the hearts from the pan.
7. Refrigerate until ready to eat!

Pulled from www.cbc.ca/parents/food

Peace Wreath

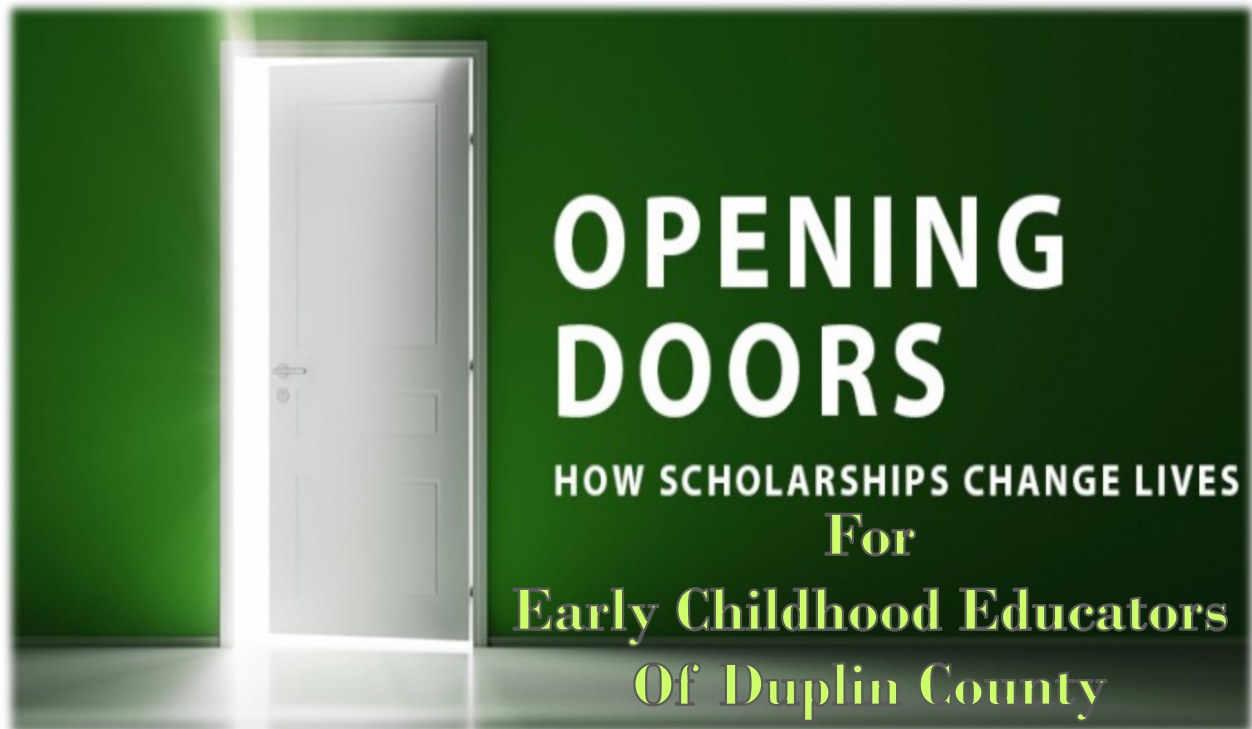


To create hand prints for the wreath...

- Have students trace and cut their hand prints from multicultural construction paper.
- Provide students with multicultural paint, inviting them to use a paint brush to cover their hand with paint and gently press it to a piece of white card stock. When dry, have them cut out their prints and arrange them into the shape of a wreath.
- Of course, you can always use multicultural markers to trace and color, then cut!

Pulled from www.pinterest.com





Scholarships are available at University of Mount Olive (UMO) for all degrees offered by UMO. There is a minimum of 10% off tuition to you and your employees who attend one or more classes online, at UMO's main campus or at a UMO Education Service Center. There is 30% off tuition for those who attend classes online, at UMO's main campus or at a UMO Education Service Center, who are enrolled in a minimum of twelve (12) units per semester at the undergraduate level or nine (9) units per semester at the graduate level. This opportunity can be combined with T.E.A.C.H. scholarships.

For more information about this offer, please contact:

Paul Rutter, D.Ed., Director

University of Mount Olive

(919) 299-4818

Save
the
Date

Early Educators
of Duplin County
2019 Provider's Event

Date: March 29, 2019

Who: Duplin County Early Educators

Where: Mad Boar Restaurant

Wallace, NC 28466

Time: Registration will begin promptly at 6:00 p.m.

**Dinner will be served.
Casual attire is required,
no jeans or sneakers.**

For more information, please contact Karen Pacheco at
910-296-2000. Each teacher is responsible for registering
individually. Please call and register by noon on
Friday, March 15, 2019. The event is **FREE**.

However, space is limited.

No children are allowed. Hope to see you!

Details on guest speaker & entertainment coming soon!

A lot of fun and excitement!



Trainings, Updates & News

Training	Date	Time	Cost	Location
Knowing Infant, Toddlers & Two's	2-19-19	6:30-8:00	\$5.00	DCPC
ITS SIDS	2-26-19	6:30-8:00	\$5.00	DCPC

What is Triple P?

The Triple P - Positive Parenting Program is an internationally - recognized program that gives parents the skills they need to build strong family relationships, manage misbehavior and prevent problems in the first place.

For more information, please contact Rita Flynn or Amanda Sanderson at 910-296-2000.



Friendly Reminder
Immunization reports are due! For more information, please contact Rose Kornegay at 910-296-2130.



Duplin County Partnership for Children is excited to offer the EPIC Teacher Bonus!
You can receive a \$750 check semi-annually for having a degree or working towards your Early Childhood Associates Degree.
Please contact Rita Flynn at 910-296-2000 with any questions or to request an application.

Donor Levels:

\$10-\$49	Friend
\$50-\$99	Patron
\$100-\$249	Bronze
\$250-\$499	Silver
\$500-\$999	Gold
\$1000 +	Platinum

Duplin County Partnership for Children is a 501(c) 3 private, nonprofit organization. Therefore, all donations are tax deductible. All contributions are appreciated. If you would like to make a contribution, make checks payable to the Duplin County Partnership for Children.

Name _____

Address _____

Daytime phone (____) _____

Amount enclosed ____\$100 ____\$50 ____\$25
____other

Your donation will help ensure that young children in Duplin County are healthy, safe, and ready for school.

Join Dolly Parton's Imagination Library & Smart Start as we celebrate this very special milestone!



Inspiring Young Readers
of Duplin County



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