

Supporting Gifted Children in Early Childhood Settings

- ◆ Do you wish you had a basic understanding of what gifted looks like?
- ◆ Would you like to better support children in your classroom who may be gifted?
- ◆ Would you like to be able to provide their families with the tools they need?

The mission of BVGT is to educate the community, support families, and advocate for the needs of gifted and talented children.

Join Boulder Valley Gifted and Talented (BVGT) in collaboration with the Early Childhood Council of Boulder County to better understand what giftedness looks like in very young children.

Young, bright children share several key characteristics, yet the way each of these children responds to the school experience can vary greatly. Frequently, young gifted children are a delight to teach, yet puzzlingly, they can appear as disruptive or behaviorally challenged nursery and preschool students.

Learn how to best recognize and prepare to support these youngsters and their families, leading to wonderfully deep teaching relationships and enriched and happy classroom environments. Participants will leave with a basic understanding of giftedness and concrete tools to support gifted children in their classrooms.

Facilitator Catherine Zakoian, MA, LPC, NCC, is a child and family psychotherapist with specialized expertise working with gifted and profoundly gifted children, teens, adults, families, and organizations. Additionally, Catherine is an EC Credentialed Coach with over 10 years experience as an early childhood mental health consultant.

Date: March 6, 2018

Time: 6:00 pm—8:30 pm

Location: Aspinwall @ Josephine Commons, Community Building
771 Excelsior Place
Lafayette, CO 80026

Cost: *Free*

Training credit hours: 2.5 Clock Hours

Refreshments provided.

Registration required by February 19: <https://goo.gl/GhtCNt>
Space is limited, so register early.

Please contact Emily Robbins at erobbins@eccbouldercounty.org for more information.



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