



Request for Quote

Certification Workshop for Early Childhood Education Programs

The Early Learning Coalition of Miami-Dade/Monroe ("the Coalition"), a Florida not-for-profit corporation, is seeking a **Certification Workshop for Early Childhood Education Programs**. In order to select a vendor to deliver the above-referenced services, The Coalition requests a quote for services based on the specifications listed below. The quote for services will include the following information: company name and address with year incorporated, if applicable; total amount for services; and the quote should be signed and dated by an authorized representative of the vendor. Upon receipt of all quotes, the Coalition will review and make a decision based on the best value offered. Most importantly, the selected vendor will be required to enter into an agreement with the Coalition so to guarantee the specifications listed, as well as to ensure adherence to all applicable state and/or federal laws.

Description of Services:

A program that shows educators how to facilitate the language and emergent literacy development of young children (birth to 5yrs) during every day routines and activities, and how to become more sensitive to the individual needs and abilities of children, responding in ways that will be most helpful to each child.

During the program, educators must learn how to implement three kinds of responsive interaction strategies that are known to promote children's social, language and emergent literacy development:

1. **Child-oriented strategies** - These strategies encourage children to initiate and engage in conversational interactions so that educators can respond in ways that encourage the child's continued engagement in the interaction.
2. **Interaction-promoting strategies** - These strategies encourage extended individual and group conversations between adults and children.
3. **Language-modelling strategies** - These strategies expand the child's oral language skills and facilitate the development of decontextualized language.

Training materials- a quantity of 50 Teacher TALK workbook sets (30 English/20 Spanish), 8 Learning Language and Loving It guidebooks and 1 pack of the Teaching Interaction and Language Rating Scale (TILRS), should also be included on the quote.

Please submit your quote no later than **Tuesday, August 30, 2016** to Early Learning Coalition, by email.

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