



Use Your Words . . . And What Words are Those? Supporting Communication with Infants and Toddlers.

Presented by

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The Montessori School
300 Montessori Way, Chattanooga, TN 37404

\$45 per participant

Come learn about ages and stages of language development for children birth to three years old. How can caregivers most effectively aid communication skills at this young age? What can you do to help the children in your care learn more language and better express their needs? A hands-on workshop for adults working with infants and toddlers.

Learning objectives:

1. Participants will learn to recognize developmental milestones in language development for infants and toddlers.
2. Participants will learn to plan hands on and experiential language activities for infants and toddlers.
3. Participants will practice techniques for integrating children's everyday life experiences into conversation and programming.

We're looking forward to a great morning of learning, sharing, and supporting one another in this important work.

This workshop will provide 3 hours of training toward the TN Dept. of Education literacy training requirement for preschool teachers and assistants.

Register online at: www.matenn.org/2019-literacy-workshops.html

Registration is limited. Secure your space soon.

Payment: Payment can be made by check or cash the day of the workshop. **Checks should be payable to Montessori Alliance of TN.**

About Our Presenter

Pamela Baumbarger founded the first AMI toddler community in Atlanta in 2002. She organized and leads a local Assistants to Infancy support group, which has hosted workshops for guides, assistants, and administrators in the Atlanta area. She has established and worked as a guide in nido and infant communities as well as an administrator. Pamela is in the AMI Training of Trainers program at the Assistant to Infancy level. She has a Bachelor's degree from Bard College and a Master in Education from Loyola College. Pamela also serves on the advisory council for Montessori Partnerships for Georgia, which seeks to expand the reach of Montessori in underserved communities in Georgia. In addition to her Montessori work, Pamela is a childbirth educator, a doula, and has worked as a professor at a local college. Pamela and her husband are also Montessori parents to their daughter.