

Delaware Institute for Excellence in Early Childhood

# Zero to Three Critical Competencies for Infant-Toddler Educators

## Area 2: Supporting Cognitive Development

This series of professional learning experiences includes 3 areas of development: social-emotional, cognitive, and language and literacy. Each area is offered as a separate PLE and focuses on providing opportunities for educators to explore, understand, and practice the critical interactions that support the infants and toddlers who they care for everyday.



### Unlock Your Benefits

Upon completion of Area 2, each participant will earn:

- **17 QA Hours** of Professional Development
- **A book bundle** consisting of 20 titles specifically chosen to coincide with the three Zero to Three Areas
- **A comprehensive understanding** of infant and toddler development, as well as strategies to support infant and toddler development

### Meet Your Facilitators



**Jaquaya  
Thomas**



**Jessica  
DeWese**



**Holly  
Griest**

### Meet Your CLASS Observers



**Ari  
Rivera**



**Jessica  
Morgan**

### Experiences Included:

- A PRE and POST **CLASS observation** will be completed in each classroom that attends the workshop
- Professional development workshop sessions
- Individual coaching for goal setting
- Built-in time for implementation
- Group Reflective Experience (GRE) to learn from your peers



Scan QR Code to learn about an educator's CLASS observation experience!