



**ECCAN #2 Presents:**

**Literacy Thinking Maps**

The use of Thinking Maps allows adults to better plan and coordinate their work on a daily basis. All teachers want their students to be able to think critically. Therefore, all teachers can use Thinking Maps, making them a “visual language for learning” in their buildings. With Thinking Maps, teachers can purposefully differentiate lessons and provide interventions and extensions that focus on developing the cognitive skills.

**Literacy through the Lens of Diversity**

Families and children that we care for all have unique cultures of their own. Learn what the “Big C” and “Little c” of culture is all about. Understanding and appreciating all the dynamics and unique qualities that EVERY family brings to your program will be just one skill you will walk away with at the end of the session. A fun filled session with door prizes to help create a warm, welcoming and inviting environment for ALL children and families in your program.

<p><b>3 Registry Hours</b></p> <p><b>No Fee to Attend</b></p> <p><b>Lunch Provided</b></p>	<p><b>WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2015</b>  <b>9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.</b>  <i>(Check-In: 8:30–9:00 a.m.)</i>  <b>CESA #3 – Conference Room A</b>  <b>1300 Industrial Drive</b>  <b>Fennimore, WI</b></p>	<p>All participants receive <b>FREE Diversity &amp; Culturally Competent Materials for Use in the Classroom!</b></p>
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***AGENDA***

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration, Coffee, & Networking
- 9:00 – 9:15 Welcome and Introductions
- 9:15 – 10:15 Starting Small – Teaching Tolerance
- 10:15 – 10:30 Networking Discussion
- 10:30 – 10:45 Break
- 10:45 – 12:00 Defining, Understanding, and Appreciating Cultural Differences through the Focus On Literacy – *Christie Daeger, Family Connections*
- 12:00 – 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 – 3:00 Literacy Thinking Maps – *Missy Emler, CESA 3*

<p><b>Registration is limited.</b></p> <p><b>Registration deadline is May 15, 2015.</b></p> <p><b>Register online at: <a href="http://www.myquickreg.com">www.myquickreg.com</a></b></p>	<p><b>For more information contact:</b>  <b>Becca Lewis-Clifton</b>  <b>Early Childhood Coordinator</b>  <b>608-822-2153</b>  <b><a href="mailto:blewis-clifton@cesa3.k12.wi.us">blewis-clifton@cesa3.k12.wi.us</a></b></p>
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