



• CALIFORNIA KINDERGARTEN ASSOCIATION PRESENTS •

The Professional Development WORKSHOP SERIES

DATE & TIME

Wednesday,
August 19, 2020
1:00 pm

FEATURING

Genny Gorbach
and
Sylvia Parker

LOCATION

Live via Zoom

COST

Free!



Gennie (pronounced "Jenny") Gorbach is an Early Childhood Educator with a Masters of Education in Teaching and a Multiple Subjects Teaching Credential from University of California, Santa Barbara. She has been working with young children for 15+ years, with a focus on the Pre-K or TK age group. Gennie writes early childhood curriculum for a family of Amazon Alexa Apps called AskMyClass and AskMyKid. She also works as a product consultant for Lovevery, Inc., an award-winning toy company that focuses on developmentally appropriate products for the early years. Through her work with the California Kindergarten Association, of which she was elected president for the 2021-2023 term, she supports educators by promoting learning through play and developmentally appropriate practices. Gennie believes that meaningful connections are made through play and that teachers have the greatest job on the planet.



Sylvia Parker is currently a transitional kindergarten teacher in Southern California with over 20 years of teaching experience. Sylvia is a passionate educator who believes that a teacher should never stop learning. Her blog, Learning with Mrs. Parker is a reflection of her teaching journey.

Don't Give Up the Sensory Bin: Sensory Play Post-COVID

One thing we know about teachers is that they are resourceful and resilient. With that in mind, join Genny and Sylvia as they share how you can still incorporate sensory play as part of your post-COVID educational programs. During this interactive presentation, they will show early childhood educators (preschool-first grade) what is possible if you think "outside the bin." You can give your students opportunities for sensory play that are developmentally appropriate, responsive to sensory needs and SAFE!

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