

**STAR NET Region IV 2024–2025  
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Date	Topic	Location
July 1, 2024 – July 31, 2024	<p align="center"><b><u>On Demand Training</u></b>  <b>Pushing Past Conflicts with Adults</b>            Featuring Dr. Angela Searcy  <i>Registrants have from July 1, 2024 through July 31, 2024 (at 10:00pm) to complete this on-demand training.</i>  <i>Before July 1<sup>st</sup> you will receive an email with the link and voucher for this training, and you can watch it and take the quiz at a time that fits into your schedule.</i></p>	On Demand
July 10, 2024 July 17, 2024 July 24, 2024 July 31, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Deadline to register: May 28, 2024</b>  <b><u>Book Study</u></b>  <b>Unpacking the Pyramid Model: A Practical Guide for Preschool Teachers</b>            Featuring Angie Darnell and Kate Yount            9:00am – 10:00am            Full participation is required for all four live webinars &amp; homework to receive 6 hours of credit. <b>No partial credit will be given.</b></p>	Live Webinar Series
July 24, 2024 July 31, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Introduction to the Pyramid Model</b>            Featuring Angie Darnell and Kate Yount            1:00pm – 2:30pm            Full participation is required for both live webinars to receive 3 hours of credit. <b>No partial credit will be given.</b></p>	Live Webinar Series
August 1, 2024 – August 31, 2024	<p align="center"><b><u>On Demand Training</u></b>  <b>Inclusion in Early Childhood</b>            Featuring Debra K. Wallenberg, M.ED., OTR/L  <i>Registrants have from August 1, 2024 through August 31, 2024 (at 10:00pm) to complete this on-demand training.</i>  <i>Before August 1<sup>st</sup> you will receive an email with the link and voucher for this training, and you can watch it and take the quiz at a time that fits into your schedule.</i></p>	On Demand
August 26, 2024 September 30, 2024 October 28, 2024 November 25, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Deadline to register: July 26, 2024</b>  <b><u>Book Study:</u></b>  <b>Unpacking the Pyramid Model: A Practical Guide for Preschool Teachers</b>            Featuring Angie Darnell and Kate Yount            3:15pm – 4:15pm            Full participation is required for all four live webinars &amp; homework to receive 6 hours of credit. <b>No partial credit will be given.</b></p>	Live Webinar

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<p>August 27, 2024 September 10, 2024 September 24, 2024 October 8, 2024 October 22, 2024 November 4, 2024</p>	<p align="center"><b>Pyramid Model of Social Emotional Support Cohort Series - 1</b> Featuring Angie Darnell and Kate Yount 3:15pm – 4:45pm Participants should work in a public school setting in Region IV and serve young children ages 3-5. <b>Credit for full participation will include 27 hours of credit for viewing eModules and participating in six group cohort discussions, each 1.5 hours in length.</b> <b><u>No partial credit will be given.</u></b></p>	<p align="center">Live Webinar Series</p>
<p>August 28, 2024</p>	<p align="center"><b>New Teacher Cohort Featuring Kate Yount and Angie Darnell 3:30pm – 4:30pm</b> This is a seven-session webinar series. You can attend as many sessions as you would like for 1 hour of professional development credit. Each webinar session may provide new ideas and information through open discussions with the participating teachers. <b>(8/28/24, 9/25/24, 10/23/24, 1/22/25, 2/19/25, 3/19/25, 4/30/25)</b></p>	<p align="center">Virtual Meeting Series</p>
<p>September 11, 2024</p>	<p align="center"><b>Working with Families of Young Children with IEPs Community of Practice (CoP)</b> Featuring Sheri Kraus 9:00am – 10:00am</p>	<p align="center">Virtual Meeting</p>
<p>September 12, 2024</p>	<p align="center"><b>Virtual Coffee Chat for ECSE Administrator Community of Practice (CoP)</b> Featuring Denise Henry 9:00am – 10:00am No credit will be given.</p>	<p align="center">Virtual Meeting</p>
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<p>October 9, 2024</p>	<p align="center"><b>How Parents Can Speak Up for Inclusion Without Second-Guessing Themselves</b> Featuring Charmaine Thaner 7:00pm – 8:30pm</p>	<p align="center">Live Webinar</p>

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October 10, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Writing High Quality, Functional IEP Goals</b> Featuring Stacie M. Kirk, PhD 4:00pm – 5:30pm</p>	Live Webinar
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October 24, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Understanding the IEP Process</b> Featuring Stacie M. Kirk, PhD 7:00pm – 8:30pm</p> <p align="center"><small>No credit will be given. This is a family event.</small></p>	Live Webinar
November 6, 2024 November 20, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Introduction to the Pyramid Model</b> Featuring Angie Darnell and Kate Yount 3:15pm – 4:45pm</p> <p align="center"><small>Full participation is required for both live webinars to receive 3 hours of credit. <b>No partial credit will be given.</b></small></p>	Live Webinar Series
November 13, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Working with Families of Young Children with IEPs Community of Practice (CoP)</b> Featuring Sheri Kraus 9:00am – 10:00am</p>	Virtual Meeting
December 3, 2024	<p align="center"><b>Fostering Self-Regulation in Young Children with Special Needs</b> Featuring Elizabeth B. Frisbie 3:30pm – 5:00pm</p>	Live Webinar

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December 12, 2024	<p><b>Teach Smarter, Not Harder: Harnessing AI Tools for Dynamic Classroom Content Creation</b> Featuring Joe Cipfl 3:30pm – 5:00pm</p>	Live Webinar