

DEBUNKING THE MYTHS OF PLAY



World Forum

Articles, Videos & Resources Web Links

American Journal of Play @ Strong Museum of Play (Free access to the Journals of Play)	https://www.journalofplay.org/
BabyCentre - 10 Ways To Bond With Your Baby	https://www.babycentre.co.uk/a1049630/10-ways-to-bond-with-your-baby-bump
CECE Early Childhood Videos at Eastern CT State University Documenting Children's Learning	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RdOqkukZikE
Child Care Exchange - sign up here for email updates- <i>Every Day Delivered five days a week containing news, success stories, solutions, trend reports, and more.</i>	https://www.childcareexchange.com/eed/
Child Development Theorists	https://www.simplypsychology.org/developmental-psychology.html
Cumbria County Council, UK Embedding Cultures and Diversity Within An Early Years Setting	https://www.cumbria.gov.uk/elibrary/Content/Internet/537/3953/4202/7088/42563164148.pdf?timestamp=42627367
Early Brain Development in Children	https://www.parentingforbrain.com/brain-development/
Early Childhood Education Journal Fees or specific access	https://www.springer.com/journal/10643
ECLKC - Engaging Fathers	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2QnAIN5q2gc

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<p>European Early Childhood Education Research Association Journal <i>(download full text)</i></p>	<p>https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/recr20/current</p>
<p>Global Partnership for Education (GPE) - The rationale for investing in pre-primary <i>(This is Module 1 of the massive online open course on mainstreaming early childhood education into education sector planning.)</i></p>	<p>https://www.globalpartnership.org/content/rationale-investing-pre-primary</p>
<p>Harvard Center for the Developing Child - Balancing Adversaries and Building Resilience for Young Children (resources and videos)</p>	<p>https://developingchild.harvard.edu/resources/inbrief-resilience-series/</p>
<p>Harvard Center for the Developing Child - Executive Function</p>	<p>https://developingchild.harvard.edu/science/key-concepts/executive-function/</p>
<p>Harvard Center for the Developing Child - How Children and Adults Can Build Core Capabilities for Life</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6NehuwDA45Q</p>
<p>Harvard Center for the Developing Child - Resilience</p>	<p>https://developingchild.harvard.edu/science/key-concepts/resilience/</p>
<p>Harvard Center for the Developing Child - Serve and Return Infancy - 5 Steps</p>	<p>https://developingchild.harvard.edu/science/key-concepts/serve-and-return/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KNrnZag17Ek&t=59s https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KNrnZag17Ek&t=42s</p>

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Harvard Center for the Developing Child - The Case for Science-Based Innovation in Early Childhood	https://developingchild.harvard.edu/resources/the-case-for-science-based-innovation-in-early-childhood/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Umr8Acgluc&t=23s
International Play Association Resources (Free resources to download)	https://ipaworld.org/resources/
International Play Association (Translated posters for Rights of Children The Child's Right to Play Document)	https://ipaworld.org/resources/for-children/fun-things/ http://ipaworld.org/childs-right-to-play/the-childs-right-to-play/
Journal of Early Childhood Research <i>(Fees or specific access)</i>	https://journals.sagepub.com/home/ecr
How to raise resilient children in a fear-based world Lukas Ritson - TEDxUQ	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8cpTDz_-1Is
NAEYC Guidelines for Developmentally Appropriate Practice	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/position-statements/dap/guidelines
NAEYC Play	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/topics/play
NAEYC The Case of Brain Science and Guided Play: A Developing Story	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/pubs/yc/may2017/case-brain-science-guided-play
Nature Play SA The Power of Loose Parts Play	https://www.education.sa.gov.au/sites/default/files/npsa-familyday-care-loose-parts.pdf

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<p>Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Encouraging Quality in Early Childhood Education and Care (ECEC) OECD - Building a High-Quality Early Childhood Education and Care Workforce & Early Learning Matters Brochure</p>	<p>https://www.oecd.org/education/school/49322232.pdf</p> <p>https://www.oecd.org/education/talis/building-a-high-quality-early-childhood-education-and-care-workforce-b90bba3d-en.htm</p> <p>https://www.oecd.org/education/school/Early-Learning-Matters-Project-Brochure.pdf</p>
<p>Peter Gray's TedTalk - The Decline of Play</p>	<p>https://youtu.be/Bg-GEzM7iTk</p>
<p>Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority Planning For and Documenting Children's Learning</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=91o85mky6D0</p>
<p>Stuart Brown: Play is More Than Fun</p>	<p>https://youtu.be/HHwXlcHcTHc</p>
<p>The Benefits of Play in Children PsychCentral</p>	<p>https://psychcentral.com/lib/the-benefits-of-play#1</p>
<p>The Optimus Blog Getting the right balance between adult-led and child-initiated learning</p>	<p>https://blog.optimus-education.com/getting-right-balance-between-adult-led-and-child-initiated-learning#:~:text=develop%20an%20emotional%20environment%20where,develop%20their%20self%2Dinitiated%20play</p>
<p>The Wisdom of Play Community Playthings</p>	<p>https://www.communityplaythings.com/resources/literature/wisdom-of-play</p>
<p>UNICEF Early Learning Development Standards for Children</p>	<p>https://evaluationreports.unicef.org/GetDocument?fileID=9571</p>

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UNICEF How Babies Learn Through Play	https://www.unicef.org/parentingtips/how-babies-learn-through-play https://youtu.be/tdeK4B3BbM4
UNICEF Master Class Parenting Videos	https://www.unicef.org/parenting/master-classes
UNICEF Video When Do Babies Begin To Learn	https://www.unicef.org/parenting/child-development/when-do-babies-begin-to-learn https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NlvI0j7_bjE&feature=emb_imp_woyt
UNICEF Learning Through Play: Strengthening learning through play in early childhood education programmes	https://www.unicef.org/sites/default/files/2018-12/UNICEF-Lego-Foundation-Learning-through-Play.pdf
University of Cambridge - Early Years Foundation Stage Activities	https://nrich.maths.org/early-years-old
Voice of Play	https://voiceofplay.org/benefits-of-play/
Zero to Three - Brain Development	https://www.zerotothree.org/espanol/brain-development
Zero to Three - Development of Play Skills - Birth to Three	https://www.zerotothree.org/resources/series/the-development-of-play-skills-from-birth-to-3
Zero to Three - Social Emotional Development	https://www.zerotothree.org/espanol/social-and-emotional-development
Zero to Three - Feelings To Friendships Tip Sheet	https://www.zerotothree.org/resources/30-from-feelings-to-friendships-nurturing-healthy-social-emotional-development-in-the-early-years

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Zero to Three - The Most Important Changes In The Brain After Birth	https://www.zerotothree.org/resources/1379-what-are-the-most-important-changes-in-the-brain-after-birth
Zero to Three - Play	https://www.zerotothree.org/early-learning/play
Zero to Three Frequently Asked Questions About Brain Development	https://www.zerotothree.org/resources/series/frequently-asked-questions-about-brain-development

Teacher & Workforce

Development

Web Links

Center for Early Childhood Education - Early Childhood Videos at Eastern CT State U.	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCmPfoBQuol_sPfOpr0WzH9Q
CompSAT - Professional development tools for early childhood educators.	http://ececompsat.org/index.html https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qH24T8qE9Ds
Head Start Early Childhood Learning and Knowledge Center - Family Engagement	https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/family-engagement
Head Start Early Childhood Learning and Knowledge Center - Teaching Practices	https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/teaching-practices

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Book Resources	Author/Association	Web Link
Developmentally Appropriate Practice In Early Childhood - Birth to Age 8	National Association for the Education of Young Children	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/pubs/books/dap-fourth-edition
Developmentally Appropriate Practice: Focus on Preschoolers	National Association for the Education of Young Children	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/pd/online-learning/focus-preschoolers
The Intentional Teacher - Ann Epstein	National Association for the Education of Young Children	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/pubs/books/intentional-teacher-revised-edition
Respecting Babies - Magda Gerber's RIE Approach	Ruth Anne Hammond	https://rie.org/product/respecting-babies/
Infants and Toddlers at Play: Choosing the Right Stuff for Learning and Development	National Association for the Education of Young Children	https://www.naeyc.org/resources/pubs/books/infants-and-toddlers-at-play
Conversations on Early Childhood Teacher Education	Voices from the Working Forum for Teacher Educators	https://www.nztertiarycollege.ac.nz/news/early-childhood-education/conversations-early-childhood-teacher-education-reduced-limited-time
Global Partnership for Education	The rationale for investing in pre-primary	https://www.globalpartnership.org/content/rationale-investing-pre-primary

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