

Early Learning Coalition of Hillsborough County

# VPK Standards Enhancers



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TRAINING SERIES REGISTRATION PACKET

# VPK's Standards Enhancers

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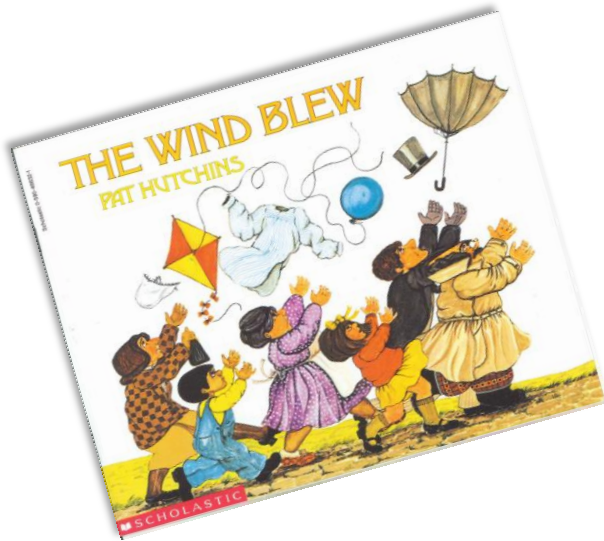
The Early Learning Coalition of Hillsborough County is pleased to announce the continuation of a training series entitled **Standards Enhancers**. This fun, interactive series offers Hillsborough's VPK teachers activities and strategies that enhance VPK Education Standards through early literacy.

This session of **Standards Enhancers** will be held on **Wednesday, April 4, 2012** and feature the book **The Wind Blew** by Pat Hutchins. *The Wind Blew*, published in 1974, is a story of a playful wind

that blows through a small coastal town, randomly picking up and taking the town's peoples' personal items in its path. But just when the wind is about to take its collection of odd objects to the depths of the deep blue sea, it suddenly decides to follow a different course.

This book is a simple rhyming story that takes readers on a whirlwind trip that shows how the forces of nature impact the lives of ordinary people.

Participants will have the choice of attending a day time or evening session. The cost for the VPK Standards Enhancers Training is \$15.00 per person. Participants will receive the following materials at the session:



- a quality children's book
- a Make & Take activity
- supporting materials
- a resource file
- a 2-hour in-service training certificate

Sessions are limited to 30 participants per session, so send your registration in today! Future sessions are scheduled for:

- May 2012 – *The Tiny Seed* by Eric Carle
- July 2012 – *The Kissing Hand* by Audrey Penn

Specific dates and times for the trainings will be posted on the ELCHC web site at [www.elchc.org](http://www.elchc.org). Click on the Calendar and Events tab. A registration packet will be available for each session!

## ELCHC Training Registration Instructions

1. Select the training date and time, your VPK instructor will be able to attend. **Please note that 30 registrants are the maximum number we can accept for each training session.**
2. Payment **MUST** be submitted with the registration. Registrations are accepted on a space available basis and registrations received without payment are not considered until payment is received.
3. The cost of the training is **\$15.00 per person**. Registrants may pay for the training(s) by check or money order. **Cash payments are not accepted.** **Checks and money orders should be made payable to: The Hillsborough County School Readiness Coalition, Inc.**  
Mail (or bring) the registration and payment to:

The Early Learning Coalition of Hillsborough County  
1002 East Palm Avenue, Suite 100, Tampa, FL 33605.

4. You will be called to confirm your training space.
5. If your payment/registration arrives after the session is full, your payment will be returned.
6. Please **DO NOT** send staff to any training sessions unless the registration has been submitted with the payment and confirmed.
7. All training sessions are designed for adults. Please make necessary child care arrangements.
8. **CANCELLATION POLICY:** If you register for a session and are not able to attend, call 813-202-1000 at least 48 hours prior to the training in order to receive fee credit toward a future training and so we can fill your spot with someone on the waiting list. **ELCHC does not issue refunds.**
9. **LATE ARRIVAL/EARLY DEPARTURE POLICY:** To honor and respect the professionalism of both instructors and other participants, participants should be ready to begin training sessions at the time advertised. Training staff will begin each session at that time. Participants arriving more than 10 minutes late **WILL NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE SESSION.** Participants leaving more than 10 minutes before the conclusion of a training event will not receive full credit for attending.
10. By submitting the Registration Form you acknowledge that you have read, understand and agree with these instructions and policies.

# Standards Enhancers Training Registration Form

Please print clearly or type (Use one registration form for each person registering)

<b>First Name:</b>	<b>MI:</b>	<b>Last Name:</b>
<b>Center Name:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>	<b>City:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>E-mail:</b>	
<b>Position: (Choose One)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Director/Lead VPK Teacher	<input type="checkbox"/> Assistant VPK Teacher	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lead VPK Teacher	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
<b>SELECT THE TIME YOU PLAN TO ATTEND (SELECT ONE)</b>		
<b><i>The Wind Blew (\$15.00 per person):</i></b>		
<b>Wednesday, April 4, 2012</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. <b>OR</b> <input type="checkbox"/> 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.		

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR REGISTRATION! REMEMBER TO:**

1. Make your check or money orders payable to:  
**The Hillsborough County School Readiness Coalition, Inc.**
2. One registrant name per registration form.
3. Mail or deliver payment **and** this completed form only to: The Early Learning Coalition of Hillsborough County, 1002 E. Palm Avenue, Suite 100, Tampa, FL 33605.

**For Office Use Only**

Date Payment Received: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check  Money Order  Cash  
Check/M.O. # \_\_\_\_\_  
Processed By: \_\_\_\_\_

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