

DEAP Child Care Education & Support  
presents...

# PLAY-CON 2011

Play-Con 2011 is a family convention for play, fun, and creation! You may find mud mixed with syrup...a do-it-yourself marshmallow launcher...a confetti cannon...diet coke rockets...paint...ribbon...blocks...and that's just the beginning! Come explore our tables filled with hands-on projects, games, experiments, and lots of ooey-goey mess-making!

**OCTOBER 28, 2011 7 p.m.—9 p.m.**

**Jefferson Elementary School Gym**

**106 N. Strevell (gym entrance is on N. Stacy)**

This event will be the most fun for children ages 2 and up. Moms, Dads, grandparents, aunts, uncles, teachers—everyone is sure to find something to get their hands on!



## Registration Form

Clip and return to DEAP CCES by October 15. We appreciate pre-payment and pre-registration.

Adult's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Children Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per family: \$10.

**ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT FOR THE DURATION OF THIS EVENT!**

Registration forms also available online at [www.deapcces.com](http://www.deapcces.com).

## About Your Host

Play-Con 2011 is hosted by Jeff Johnson. Jeff opened Explorations Early Learning, a family child care program, with his wife Tasha in 2003 after spending 16 years directing a child care and community center for a large non-profit agency. According to Jeff, "The best thing about our program is the great kids...our days are full of laughs, conversation, play, exploration, discoveries, and fun...It is a wonder to get to see them rediscover the world."

Jeff presents at keynotes and workshops at over 30 events each year. In the last three years, he has presented in over half the US states and Ireland. Currently Jeff's work is being translated into Japanese.

Jeff is the author of seven books:

- *Do-It-Yourself Early Learning* (Redleaf Press 2006)
- *Finding Your Smile Again* (Redleaf Press, 2007)
- *Everyday Early Learning* (Redleaf Press, 2008)
- *Babies in the Rain* (Redleaf Press, 2009)
- *Keeping Your Smile* (Redleaf Press, 2010)
- *The Child Care Alphabet Book of Early Learning* (Explorations Early Learning LLC, 2007)
- *The Child Care Alphabet Book of Manipulatives* (Explorations Early Learning LLC, 2008)

This is Jeff's third trip to Miles City, and the FIRST time he's hosting this event! He has keynoted and presented at our annual child care spring conference.

To see more Jeff, visit [explorationearlylearning.com](http://explorationearlylearning.com), or search for explorations early learning on YouTube and Facebook!



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