

Early Childhood Professional Development Trainings with OMSI

Ready to dive into STEAM for early learners?

Staff from the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI) are excited to help!

Supporting Young Scientists: finding science process skills in everyday play

In *Supporting Young Scientists*, you will assess your own attitudes about science and gain resources to identify what it *really* looks and sounds like when young children are being scientists. We will practice using some of these resources in museum-tested hands-on activities rich in scientific thinking.

Four hours, Set One, Preschool age. CKC LEC.

November 14, 2026 | March 13, 2027. 9am–1pm.



About the trainings

All OMSI trainings are ORO-certified! Trainings include plenty of discussions and hands-on activities to encourage active engagement with the content covered. Master Trainer Annie Douglass, M.Ed, has over 15 years' experience in museum-based early education. She values play and inquiry as powerful builders of identities, critical thinking skills, and meaningful human connections.

“I realized science is everywhere and we engage, teach, and learn science everyday. I am a scientist! :)”

– Participant in *Supporting Young Scientists*, 2025



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Trainings at OMSI include same-day general admission for participant.
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