

# Early Learning Environments, Play and Children's Rights

Presented By: Dr. Jodi Streelasky

**Date(s):**

Monday, December 10, 2018  
9:00 AM - 3:30 PM

**Session Location:**

Central Alberta Regional Consortium  
8 Page Avenue, Red Deer, AB

**Registration Fee:**

\$60.00

**Audience:** Teachers, ECS workers

**Grade Level:** Pre K -  
Grade 1

## About the Session:

This session will discuss the ways early childhood educators can co-construct meaningful and effective learning environments with young children. The relevance of indoor play and outdoor play in natural settings will also be addressed. Children's rights, in relation to their views on their learning, and their ability to be change-makers on the ways early childhood curriculum is delivered in both Canadian and international settings, will also be shared.

## About the Presenter(s):

**Dr. Jodi Streelasky**

Dr. Jodi Streelasky is an Assistant Professor in Early Childhood Education and Early Literacy at the University of Victoria. Prior to this position, she was an early childhood educator for 11 years in pre-kindergarten classrooms. Her research focuses on children's use of multiple modes (e.g., drawing, painting, photography) to document what matters to them at school. Dr. Streelasky's research takes place in rural and urban early childhood settings in Canada and Tanzania.