

Resources shared during Children & Nature Network's Babies, Toddlers & Preschoolers in Nature event, February 23, 2024

Children & Nature Network's resources

- Find your native land https://native-land.ca
- How to support Indigenous Peoples Everyday, adapted from Amplifier Art (https://amplifier.org/campaigns/well-being/) and 'Āina Momona (https://www.kaainamomona.org/)
- Upcoming Children & Nature Network Conference info https://www.childrenandnature.org/conference/
- Benefits of early childhood nature connection infographic https://eadn-wc04-796033.nxedge.io/wp-content/uploads/CCCN_earlychildnatureconn_22-1-1

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- Early Childhood Nature Connections Toolkit -https://www.childrenandnature.org/resources/early-childhood-nature-connections-toolkit/
- Bibliography: Nature Engagement During Early Childhood -https://www.childrenandnature.org/resources/bibliography-nature-engagement-during-the-early-childhood-years/
- Resources and inspiration for families, caregivers and program service providers: https://www.childrenandnature.org/families/
- Stay connected with the network on The Trailhead, a free online community for members of the children and nature movement: https://www.childrenandnature.org/resources/welcome-to-the-trailhead/
- Finding Nature News article about Jessica Carrillo Alatorre and OutGrown https://www.childrenandnature.org/resources/fnn-encouraging-new-parents-to-get-outside-with

 -their-babies-and-access-natures-benefits/

Panelist's resources

Alexis Burroughs

- Funky Monkey Yoga https://funkymonkeyyoga.net/
- ANFT Forest Therapy https://www.anft.earth/
- Early childhood yoga https://funkymonkeyyoga.net/early-childhood-yoga-1
- Benefits of nature time/forest bathing https://funkymonkeyyoga.net/vitamin-nature
- Alexis's PDF <u>Nature Relationship & the Young Child</u>

Jessica Carrillo Alatorre

- OutGrown (formerly Hike It Baby) https://weareoutgrown.org/
- Family Trail Guide https://weareoutgrown.org/explore-as-a-family
- Get Outside with Baby https://weareoutgrown.org/get-outside-with-baby
- What to Wear & Where to Go https://weareoutgrown.org/start-here-ttbg
- Winter Walk with Wox https://weareoutgrown.org/winter-walk

Gabriel Pickus

- InDiGO https://www.inwarddiscovery.org/
- UNIFYING Experiences Integrative Framework https://www.inwarddiscovery.org/lets-indigo.html
- Baltimore connecting children to nature https://www.baltimoresustainability.org/children-and-nature/
- Baltimore Children's Outdoor Bill of Rights (COBOR) https://www.baltimoresustainability.org/baltimore-childrens-outdoor-bill-of-rights/
- Questions to explore with children for <u>Unifying Experiences</u>
 - Activity 1:
 - Form: What is it like?
 - Function: How does it work?Causation: Why is it like this?
 - Change: How is it changing/stable?Connection: How is it connected?
 - Patterns: Is there a pattern here?
 - Perspective: What are the points of view?
 - Reflection: What is the evidence?
 - Responsibility: What is my responsibility?
 - Activity 2:
 - Who am I?
 - What am I?
 - Where am I?
 - Where do I come from?
 - Who supports me?
 - How do I create healthy relationships with myself, others, and the Earth?
 - What do I care about?
 - What do I want to change in the world?
 - What can I do to heal and empower myself and others?
 - How do I express myself?
 - What do I want to experience?
 - What do I want to create?
 - Is my air clean?
 - Where does my water come from?
 - Where does my food come from?

- Why am I here?
- Where am I going?
- How do I get there?

Resources shared by attendees

- Archer, Micha. Wonder Walkers. Penguin Random House, 2021.
- McCloskey, Robert. Time of Wonder. Puffin Books, 1989
- Kelsey, Elin. You are Stardust. Owlkids, 2012