Ramapo Catskill Library System
presents

The ABCs of Early Learning
with
Brain Time® and Brain Boxes®

Presented by

Dr. Jill Stamm
(New Directions Institute)

The more parents and professionals know about helping children "wire up" their brains, the more successful children will be!

The New Directions Institute for Early Childhood Brain Development created Brain Boxes® to use with children from birth to 5 ½ years old. Each box contains activity cards (in English and Spanish) and all the materials needed for adult-child interaction that encourages healthy brain development. RCLS will be purchasing 3 sets of Brain Boxes® to circulate to member library staff. A set includes 12 individual boxes: 2 for infants, 2 for babies, 2 for toddlers and 6 for preschoolers.

Brain Time®, the program conducted using Brain Boxes®, is a fun, interactive program that follows a basic storytime format, but includes one-on-one time for the parent and child to work and play together thereby increasing bonding and learning. Participants will learn:

- The Brain Time® curriculum
- How to integrate "Brain Nuggets" tips for parents
- Ways to utilize the materials and information in the Brain Time® curriculum
- Early brain development

Registrants are required to read Dr. Jill Stamm's book, *Bright from the Start*, in preparation for this training.
A copy will be sent to you upon registration!
Register through the RCLS calendar (calendar.rcls.org/)
by **8 a.m. Thursday, March 30, 2017**.

This is a Children's Services Workshop; participants will receive 4 contact hours for attending

Thursday, April 6, 2017

8:45 a.m. Coffee
9:00 a.m. Program Starts
1:00 p.m. Program Ends

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