



# Bookmates' Growing Strong Stems Workshop

“Supporting Science, Technology, Engineering and Math  
Concepts in the Early Years”



This workshop is designed to share practical skills, tips and resources for implementing STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) learning into early childhood settings. Content includes:

- Understanding why inquiry based learning is essential in early childhood development
- Discussing the critical thinking and problem solving skills that are developed when engaged in STEM
- Learning how to engage children in investigatory activities
- Sharing and discussing a wide range of ways we can develop and incorporate STEM into our everyday programs
- Providing STEM related literacy activities that can be used by families
- Provision of a suggested book list with titles that incorporate STEM themes and encourage discussion of related topics between caregiver and child

**Tuesday, September 11, 2018**

**9:30am -3:30pm Lunch will be provided**

**Jake Epp Library, 255 Elmdale street, Steinbach**

**It is free, but you must register to attend.**

**It is open to those that work with children 0-6 and their families in the South East region.**

**Spaces are limited. Registration deadline is September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**

**Call Andrea at (204) 346-6698 or email [aklassen@southernhealth.ca](mailto:aklassen@southernhealth.ca) to register.**

**When registering, give the names of all registrants, a contact phone # and email and indicate any dietary concerns.**

