



**SYNERGISTIC
SYSTEMS**

A DIVISION OF PITSCO, INC.

PARENT BRIEFING

Module

Entrepreneurship: Child Care

- Research basic first aid techniques for children.
- Become knowledgeable about the physical needs of children.
- Use a computer software program to create and illustrate a children's story.
- Use a computer software program to prepare a baby-sitting portfolio, generate a list of phone numbers, and design a questionnaire.

Session Focus

1 Entrepreneurship

2 Parent Interview

3 Business Card Design

4 Creating a Flyer

5 Writing Your Story

6 First-Aid Reference

7 Critical Information

Dear Parent,

As parents and teachers, we realize it can be hard to get a child to discuss what he or she is learning in school. We hope the information provided on this page will assist you in communicating with your child about what he or she is learning.

For the next few days, your child will be learning about the basics of the business of baby-sitting and child care, how to find a job, and what is expected of them and their employer by completing the Entrepreneurship: Child Care Module. As your child's best teacher, your participation in the learning process is extremely important.

Words students will learn in this Module include:

- adolescence
- child neglect
- child proofing
- discipline
- Heimlich maneuver
- infant
- maturity
- nutrition
- preschooler

Questions for discussion

During the course of this Module, your child will be assessed on key concepts and activities. You might want to discuss these concepts with your child.

He or she will be asked to:

- Explain the importance of discussing the job with the child's parents prior to accepting a baby-sitting position. *(Discussion can prevent problems and possible misunderstandings.)*
- List specific questions to ask when conducting an interview with a parent. *(Answers vary but might include: How many children are there? What are their ages? How long will the job last? What does it pay? Do the children have allergies or food reactions?)*
- Explain the importance of presenting himself/herself in a professional manner. *(Whenever providing a service and trying to gain employment, they need to make themselves marketable.)*



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