

A RECYCLING WORKSHOP TO BEGIN AT LABORAL AS PART OF THE LABENFAMILIA PROGRAMME

LABoral Centro de Arte y Creación Industrial will inaugurate a new workshop this weekend as part of its LABenfamilia programme. It is to be a Recycling Workshop in which participants – parents and children – will be shown how to reduce, reuse and recuperate all sorts of instruments and objects. During the course of the workshop, a puppet show and an orchestra will be made from discarded materials.

The LABenfamilia initiative is of interest to parents and children, offering an opportunity to be creative and explore various artistic practices while fostering inter-generational dialogue.

Commencing this Saturday, February 16th, and continuing on Sunday, February 17th, the Recycling Workshop will take place from 11:30 AM until 1:30 PM every weekend until March 30th, 2008. Up to 20 children from 3 to 7 years of age will participate, accompanied by members of their family. The registration fee is 16 Euros. It is coordinated by the Escuela de Educación Infantil El Bibio.

Professors:

Lucía Morán Balán has a Master's degree in Educational Psychology from the University of León and an Education Certificate with specialisation in Early Childhood Education from the University of Oviedo. She has taught many classes at the Centro de Profesorado y Recursos in Gijón. She has collaborated in various working groups and projects organised by the aforementioned Centro de Profesorado. She has also been a speaker at conferences on Childhood Education. She carried out her Educational Psychology Training with the Red Cross in León and later she worked as an Educational Psychologist at the Centro de Educación Secundaria López y Vicuña in Gijón. She is currently a Teacher at the Escuela de Educación Infantil El Bibio in Gijón.

Aurora Valverde Hernández has a Master's degree in Educational Psychology from UNED and an Education Certificate with specialisation in Early Childhood Education from the University of Oviedo. She has taught numerous courses at the Centro de Profesorado y Recursos in Gijón such as "Families and School. Seeking a common ground in Early Childhood Education," "Mini-Art: Bringing Children closer to Art through Recycling," "Art in Early Childhood Psychology," "Games, myths, rolls and performances" or "We all play here." She has participated in numerous working groups on "Cooperative Training" and "Movement and Music in Early Childhood." She has participated in the European Socrates Project "Creciendo con libros" ("Growing with books") and in Comenius' "Talleres compartidos, busco otros amigos" ("Shared workshops, seeking other friends"). She has given informal lectures and spoken at seminars on the



subject of cooperative education. She currently works as an Early Childhood Educator in the Escuela de Educación Infantil El Bibio in Gijón.

LABoral's 2008 Didactic and Creation Workshops include workshops, camping excursions and numerous activities that deal with six different subjects: Cooperation, Photography and Audiovisual Culture, Multiculturality, Music, Theatre and Dance, New Technologies and Urbanism and Recycling.

Opening Hours: Wednesday to Monday, from 12:00 to 8:00 PM
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