

FALL 2025 TRAINING SCHEDULE

Court Appointed Special Advocates

In-Person Training Location: YOC

Tuesday October 21st 5:30 – 8:30	In-Person Training Session 1: Introduction to the CASA Volunteer Role <i>Trainer: Karen Zabel, Facility Dog Handler</i>
ONLINE Due before 10/28/2025	Talent LMS (https://delawarecountycasa.talentlms.com/index) Session 1: Homework DCS Hotline, Trauma in CHINS and the effect it has on brain development
Tuesday October 28th 5:30 – 8:30	In-Person Training Session 2: Introduction to CASE Management Working a Case as a Court Advocate or a Child Home and School Visitor <i>Speaker: CASA Volunteer(s)</i> <i>Trainer: Susan Brown Jackson, CASA Volunteer Coordinator</i>
ONLINE Due before 11/4/2025	Talent LMS Session 2: Homework Trauma in Children, part two, Meet Jane as she meets with the Case Manager and makes a home visit. Video of a first visit with a child.
Tuesday November 4th 5:30 – 8:30	In-Person Training Session 3: DCS Part and the Legal Process Navigating "the system" through a deeper understanding of our local child welfare system <i>Speaker: DCS</i> <i>Trainer: Nicky Bosken, CASA Director</i>
ONLINE Due before 11/11/2025	Talent LMS Session 3: Homework Case Study, Planning for Permanency; Child and Family Team Meetings
Tuesday November 11th 5:30 – 8:30	In-Person Training Session 4: Disposition and Advocacy Intake, Predispositional Report, Dispositional Order, CASA Reports <i>Trainer: Susan Brown Jackson, CASA Volunteer Coordinator</i>
ONLINE Due before 11/18/2025	Talent LMS Session 4: Homework Cultural Competence and Understanding Normal Child Development
Tuesday November 18th 5:30 – 8:30	In-Person Training for Everyone Session 5: Working Your Case Expectations of the Court, Case Guidance, Next Steps, Final Review <i>Speaker: Hon. Judge Andrew Ramirez</i> <i>Trainer: Nicola Bosken, CASA Director</i>
SCHEDULE WITH SUPERVISOR	Visit to CASA Office Session 5: FIRST CASE ASSIGNMENT AND COURT OBSERVATION Attend scheduled meeting w/ Supervisor: Pick a new case, Review file, Schedule meeting with FCM, Create a Case Plan, Schedule Court Observation, Optima Taining