August 26th, 2024

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As part of ongoing support for families, your child's school is offering a series of classes for parents and guardians through a partnership with the Behavior Intervention Support Team (BIST). These training sessions are designed to provide ways you can support your child's developing academic and behavior skills, as well as increase consistency between home and school.

BIST Virtual Parenting Series

5:45 PM - 6:00 PMEnter Zoom Waiting Room6:00 PM - 6:45 PMInformational Session6:45 PM - 7:00 PMQuestions and Answers

September 19th: "The Impact of Common Ground Parenting: Presenting a United Front"

September 26th: "The Art of Not Saying 'No""

October 3rd: "Moving from Resistance to Resilience"

These classes are designed to:

- Create consistency between school and home
- Provide language for adults to use when redirecting children
- Share ways to problem solve to increase your child's success
- Increase generosity and kindness in your children
- Bring a sense of calm to your home

Please join us for any or all three sessions!

How to Register for Free Training

These virtual classes are provided free of charge, however, we do ask that you **please register <u>through our website on or before Friday, September 13th, 2024</u></u>. Instructions for registration are on the page below.**

We are excited to offer this opportunity to you!

Sincerely,

Marty Huitt, Director Behavior Intervention Support Team/Cornerstones of Care 8150 Wornall Rd Kansas City, MO 64114 @MartyHuitt To register for this class:

- 1. Go to http://BIST.org
- 2. Click Log In on the home screen.
- 3. If you already created a username by previously enrolling in a BIST class, just log in on this screen.
- 4. If you have never registered for a BIST class, enter your information (Name, Email, and a Password). This will register you on the website, but not for the class.
- 5. At the top of the page, use the dropdown menu called "Classes." Click "Training Calendar."
- 6. Select the class you wish to attend (Parenting with BIST). Click "Register" under your preferred class.
- 7. Fill out the required questions and click "Register."
- 8. On the checkout screen, complete the billing details even though this is a free class.
- 9. Click "Place Order." The Order Details page is your confirmation of registration.
- 10. You will receive an email containing the Zoom link for the training sessions on Wednesday, September 18th.
 - a. If you have not received an email containing the Zoom link by noon on September 18th, please contact our office at <u>bist@cornerstonesofcare.org</u> for assistance.