Helping young children succeed at home, at school . . . in life.

## PARENT WORKSHOPS 2018-2019



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elcome to a new year of parent workshops!

Project Enlightenment is a comprehensive early childhood education and early prevention program through the Office of Early Learning of the Wake County Public School System.

Since 1969, we have worked with parents, teachers and caregivers, providing the knowledge and skills to help young children (birth through kindergarten age) be successful in school and in life.

Below is a listing of the variety of services that we offer.

### Project Enlightenment Programs & Services

# The Alice K. Burrows Parent Teacher Resource Center

Available for parents, teachers, and others interested in finding resources about young children, the Resource Center includes a lending library of books and videos, activity ideas and other materials concerning young children. Call **919-694-8990** for further information and hours.

#### **Screening Program**

Screening is available for three- and four-year-old children when parents have a specific concern about a child's development such as speech or language. Call **919-694-8993** for further information. All screening services are free of charge.

## Two Demonstration Preschool Classrooms:

Two inclusive classrooms are located at Project Enlightenment. The use of best practices in early childhood education makes both of them excellent training sites for hundreds of educators and parents each year. Call **919-856-7774** for further information.

#### **Teacher/Parent Consultation**

Project Enlightenment provides consultation in early child-hood classrooms around individual children. Teacher Parent Consultants (TPCs) address classroom difficulties with behavior, social development and learning for children enrolled in preschools and child care facilities in Wake County. Requests for consultation can be made by directors/teachers. In public school kindergartens and in collaboration with School Intervention Teams, TPC's provide support to parents/families of public kindergarten children. Requests for consultation are made by elementary school principals. Call 919-856-7774 for more information.

#### Facebook Page

Project Enlightenment stays abreast of important and interesting information and resources regarding young children birth through kindergarten. Information is shared through social media as well as through conventional methods such as flyers and brochures. Project Enlightenment does not share the personal information of our clients and patrons.

#### **Parent Counseling**

Free, short-term counseling is available as a support to help parents with concerns about child behavior and family issues affecting child development and learning. If you are facing challenging issues that impact you and your child, call **919-694-8991** to schedule an appointment.

# Triple P: Positive Parenting Program at Project Enlightenment

Triple P is an internationally recognized evidence based program that gives parents the skills they need to raise confident and healthy children, manage behavior and prevent problems from occurring in the first place. For more information, please call **919-694-8991**.

### **Parent Workshops**

Workshops are available throughout the school year for parents of young children. Topics include discipline techniques, communication, school readiness, and child development. All workshops occur at Project Enlightenment from 6:30 pm until 8:30 pm. Fees are listed on the registration page.

Call **919-856-7774 x 27025** for more information about workshops. This brochure lists the workshops offered for the **2018-2019** school year.

## **Parent Workshops 2018-2019**

Please NOTE:

All workshops occur at
Project Enlightenment
from 6:30 pm until 8:30 pm
and fees are
\$22 a person or \$33 a couple
for one session workshops.
Exception: The fee is
\$64 a person and \$84 a couple for the
three session Positive Discipline workshop.

Please call
919-856-7774 x 27025
for more information or visit our website at
wcpss.net/projectenlightenment

The Language of Self-Control: Teaching Children How to Regulate Their Own Behavior

For families with children 3 to 6 years of age.

What is self-regulation and how can the power of self-control be taught? In this workshop participants will learn ways to interact with their child that teaches self-control and supports the development of self-regulation. This workshop is offered twice during the year.

Course No.: PPB1901 Date: September 27, 2018

Registration Deadline: Sept. 20, 2018

**Course No.:** PPB1908 **Date:** March 19, 2019

Registration Deadline: March 12, 2019

Positive Discipline: Tools for Your

Parenting Toolbox

For families with children 3 to 6 years of age.

Tired of tantrums? Weary of whining? Kids not listening? In this three-session workshop series on the foundations of positive discipline, parents will learn how to develop a firm, effective limit setting style, follow through with choices and consequences and prevent misbehavior before it starts. This series meets once a week for a three week period and includes a workbook of reference materials that you will be able to use for years to come. This workshop is offered twice during the year.

Course No.: PPB1902

Dates: October 9, 16 & 23, 2018 Registration Deadline: Oct. 2, 2018

Course No.: PPB1911

**Dates:** May 1, 8 & 15, 2019

Registration Deadline: Apr. 24, 2019

Understanding the Minds of Boys

For families with children 3 to 6 years of age.

Boys have their own way of seeing and interacting with the world that so often leads to the mistaken impression that boys are difficult to manage and teach. Find out why boys are more likely to get into trouble and fall behind in school. Learn how neurological and hormonal differences impact boys' behavior and learning. This workshop is offered twice during the year.

**Course No.:** PPB1903 **Date:** October 11, 2018

Registration Deadline: Oct. 4, 2018

**Course No.:** PPB1910 **Date:** April 11, 2019

Registration Deadline: April 4, 2019

Parenting Through Power Struggles: This Too Shall Pass

For families with children 3 to 6 years of age. Power struggles are a normal part of the parenting journey, but one of the most challenging to handle. This informative workshop will teach parents how to recognize triggers and respond in new ways that are calming, neutral, and productive. This workshop will provide strategies not only to survive the power struggles but ways to avoid them. This workshop is offered twice during the year.

**Course No.:** PPB1904 **Date:** Oct. 18, 2018

Registration Deadline: Oct. 11, 2018

**Course No.:** PPB1909 **Date:** April 4, 2019

Registration Deadline: March 28, 2019

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family & friends with
little kids about
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Understanding and Supporting Your Shy, Cautious, or Anxious Child

For families with children 3 to 6 years of age.

Is your child shy, cautious, anxious or all of the above? In this workshop, a wide variety of worries, anxieties and fears of young children will be discussed and participants will be provided with

strategies for helping children overcome them.

Course No.: PPB1905 Date: November 27, 2018

Registration Deadline: Nov. 20, 2018

Clashers and Clingers, Pleasers and Strong-Willed: *Parenting with Temperament in Mind* 

For families with children 3 to 6 years of age.

Temperament is an important factor when considering what works and what does not work for parents. Children are born with certain temperament traits that are the building blocks of personality. In this workshop you will learn how temperament matters within your parenting practices, the different personality traits and what they look like, how your own temperament impacts the parent-child relationship and how temperament influences a child's learning style.

**Course No.:** PPB1906 **Date:** February 7, 2019

Registration Deadline: Jan. 31, 2019

Toddlers: Understanding What Makes Them Tick

For families with children 15 months to 3 years of age

Toddlerhood can be challenging for any parent. Come learn "what makes them tick." In this workshop, we will discuss discipline, development, and ways to communicate with a toddler that will increase cooperation and reduce power struggles.

Course No.: PPB1907 Date: Feb. 21, 2019

Registration Deadline: Feb. 14, 2019

### WORKSHOP REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION

#### About Parent Workshops...

Registration - There are two types of classes offered:
single-session classes and multiple-session series. Some workshops are offered more than once. Pre-registration is
required for all classes or series. Please note registration deadlines. Registration is on a first-come, first-served
basis as class sizes are limited. Plan to arrive fifteen minutes
early for your class to allow time to sign in and receive materials.

Instructors- Classes are taught by professionals who have advanced degrees and extensive experience in child development.

Workshop Location- Workshops are held at Project Enlightenment, 501 S. Boylan Ave., Raleigh, NC 27603 unless otherwise indicated.

Inclement Weather- Project Enlightenment is part of the Wake County Public School System. If schools (or after school activities) are closed due to weather conditions, workshops will be cancelled and rescheduled. A new date will be emailed as soon as possible or visit our website at wcpss.net/projectenlightenment for re-scheduled class dates.

Child Care- Children are not allowed to attend workshops and children may not be left unattended in the building while parents attend workshops. Please make other child care arrangements for your children when attending any workshop.

Cancellation Policy- Project Enlightenment maintains a "no refund" policy unless a workshop is cancelled due to low enrollment. Participants will be notified one week in advance of the workshop start date if it is cancelled.

### Registration Instructions...

## There are two ways to register for workshops:

- You may register and pay online through our website at wcpss.net/projectenlightenment
- 2. Complete the *registration form* and mail or bring it in with payment.

#### Payment:

Decide which workshop(s) you wish to attend. Indicate the course number and cost of each class on the registration form. Write total amount enclosed at bottom of form. Make checks payable to **Project Enlightenment**. (Fees can be adjusted based on financial need.)

Call 919-856-7774 x 27025 for more information.

#### **Confirmation:**

We will confirm your paid registration via email. If you do not have email, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your registration. We will mail confirmation back to you in this envelope.

#### **Enclose:**

- 1. Registration Form
- 2. Payment

#### Mail to:

Project Enlightenment
Parent Workshop Registration
501 S. Boylan Avenue, Raleigh, NC 27603

## Registration Form

Please print clearly and <u>COMPLETE ALL PARTS OF THE FORM</u>. Send the completed form to Project Enlightenment at 501 S. Boylan Avenue, Raleigh, N.C. 27603.

For additional registration forms or to register online visit

wcpss.net/projectenlightenment

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email address (For confirmation of paid registration only. We do not share email addresses.)

<b>✓</b>	Course Number	Title	Date(s)	Cost	Total
	PPB1901	The Language of Self-Control: Teaching Children How to Regulate Their Own Behavior	9/27/2018	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1902	Positive Discipline: Tools for Your Parent- ing Toolbox	10/9, 16 & 23/2018	\$64/\$84	
	PPB1903	Understanding the Minds of Boys	10/11/2018	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1904	Parenting Through Power Struggles: This Too Shall Pass!	10/18/2018	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1905	Understanding and Supporting Your Shy, Cautious, or Anxious Child	11/27/2018	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1906	Clashers and Clingers, Pleasers and Strong- Willed: Parenting with Tempera- ment in Mind	2/7/2019	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1907	Toddlers: Understanding What Makes Them Tick	2/21/2019	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1908	The Language of Self-Control: Teaching Children How to Regulate Their Own Behavior	3/19/2019	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1909	Parenting Through Power Struggles: This Too Shall Pass!	4/4/2019	\$22/\$33	
	PPB1910	Understanding the Minds of Boys	4/11/2019	\$22/\$33	
PPB	PPB1911	Positive Discipline: Tools for Your Parent- ing Toolbox	5/1, 8 & 15/2019	\$64/\$84	

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# Did you know...

...that Project Enlightenment is an early education and prevention program under the Office of Early Learning of the Wake County Public School System?

The WCPSS Office of Early Learning (OEL) is a department of the Wake County Public School System with a focus on serving children birth through age 5 and their families. A variety of services are offered including prevention programs (Project Enlightenment) and direct services for children (Preschool Programs). Children having a strong foundation is crucial to school success.

Call 919-856-7774 for more information