Sycamore Creek's Parent Education Croc Conference - October 24, 2019

Session 1: 6:00 - 6:45 Session 2: 7:00 - 7:45 (choose two courses to attend)

Game Night for Students

Only current Sycamore Creek students in K-5 are invited to attend "Game Night" while parents attend the Parent Education Conference. A snack for your child will be provided by our PTA.





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#	Course Titles	Presenter(s)	Room Number UPSTAIRS
1	Managing Children's Stress and Anxiety Find out what anxiety looks like in children and how you can help your child deal with anxiety. You will learn about different treatment approaches and strategies to reduce your child's worries.	Brian Burton Harry Scharstein	2222
2	Welcome to Letterland (K-2) Meet Slithering Sam, a king who can kick, a quarrelsome queen or even Noisy Nick! Let's all go to Letterland! In this session you will be introduced to the Letterland characters, receive a brief overview of the Letterland program and resources, and learn tips to support your child at home.	Rachael Biggs Katie Nanni Katie Sayles	2216
3	P2 for You! Positivity Project at Home Want to know how to incorporate the #OtherPeopleMatter mindset at home? Come learn more about the twenty-four character strengths and the impact of a strong Positivity Project home/school connection.	Myers Hazelgrove Danielle Overcash	2215
4	Simple STEM for Track Outs and Breaks Critical thinking and problem solving are essential real world skills that need to be developed and practiced. Check out some easy and fun STEM activities to try at home with your scientist, engineer or mathematician. These activities require very few materials and will keep you and your child engaged in the 4Cs during school breaks.	Alyssa Estrela	2302
5	DreamBox Want to connect to your child's digital learning experience at home? Join us in this interactive session that you will learn more about DreamBox Learning, the digital math program. We will provide opportunities for you to set up your family account, navigate the family dashboard, help support/monitor growth and experience sample lessons.	Molly Bailey Lesa Boyer Hayley Wagner Cortney Yahn	2218
6	Developing Academic Vocabulary at Home Using Hands-On Activities Academic Vocabulary is the language that is used to acquire new learning and skills. You will learn ways to encourage your child to develop academic vocabulary and activities they can	WCPSS Family Academy	2202

	use at home.		
	Desarrollar vocabulario académico en casa usando actividades interactivas. El vocabulario académico es el lenguaje que se usa para aprender nuevas habilidades y conceptos. Usted aprenderá diferentes formas de motivar en su casa, a su hijo/a para desarrollar estas habilidades. (Primera sesión en español. La segunda será en inglés).		
7	Fine Motor Fun Join us to learn how to strengthen your child's hand and finger muscles to help them with school and home activities.	Kari Marotta Julia Minch	2210
8	Strategies for Helping your Young Reader Join us as we discuss strategies that will help you work with your emerging/developing readers.	Lynn Woodrow Doreen Zanella	2209
9	Developing Executive Functioning in Your Future Executive! Executive functioning includes skills related to attention, organization and completion or tasks. It also includes skills related to understanding and regulating emotions. In this session, you will learn about tools and techniques to develop independence, self-confidence, and self-regulation that will benefit your child in school and in life!	Melanie Fagert	2211
10	Social Emotional Learning Have you heard your child talk about being stuck on land, or mention that they are in the Red Zone? What does all that mean? We will be learning about Social Emotional Learning utilizing the same language that your children have learned. Being mindful of how you are feeling and what zone you are in is essential in beginning to decide what to do about it. Practicing calming strategies, changing our thinking to change our emotions and behaviors results in better Consequences.	Scott Gordon	2314
11	Conscious Discipline Conscious Discipline is a social-emotional program that allows parents and teachers to respond to daily conflict in a way that transforms it into an opportunity to teach critical life skills. Come and learn 10 tips for positive discipline.	Cynthia Winter Linda Hewitt Chita Besana	2221
12	Math Strategies That Work (Grades K-2) End the homework battle and come learn the strategies that work! Learn the current strategies that are used from Kindergarten through Second grade. You will get hands on practice to try out some of the strategies, so you know how to best support your students at home.	Jenn Miller Shannon Thomas Katie Zajac	2223
13	That's Not How I Learned Math! Multiplication and Division Strategies (Grades 3-5) Come learn about the progression of current strategies for multiplication and division as they build from third to fifth grade. See how these methods help build conceptual understanding. You will have the chance to try out some of the strategies to help make math homework time a little less stressful!	Amber Atkins Megan Kodweis Kristen Wendover	2220
14	Sycamore Blinded Me with Science Moving past the basic volcanic eruption experiment and digging into the Real Science 5th graders study to prepare for Science EOG. From understanding Newton's 3 laws of motion, interdependence in various ecosystems around the world, genetics, the function of 7 human body systems to what causes weather!	Kylie Edmister Jonathan Tomaszewski	2217
15	Understanding the Standards and Standards Based Grading Do you wish you knew more about the standards your children are learning? Have you ever wondered what those numbers really mean that come home on your child's work? Is a 4 really an A? a 3 really a B? Come to this session to find out the answer to these questions and more about grade level standards and SBG	Minda Griffin	2225
16	Do You Have An Inclusive Mindset? Dive into people-first language and gain an understanding of interacting with people with physical and intellectual differences.	Deb Bihler Jennifer Brown Alyssa Burdeau Chelle Harris Pam Hoke Kelsey Papinchak Michelle Waters	2311

17	First Year of EL Reading Instruction (2nd grade) 2nd grade has jumped on the EL train and we are excited to share what we have learned so far. We will briefly discuss the research behind EL as well as how the program is organized. Next we will dive into an example lesson and explore some of the text your children will use this year. We will also share how you can support your students in this curriculum transition.	Jenni Olsen Ashley Tomaszewski	2306
18	EL is SwELl! (Grade 3-5) A whole new reading curriculum can be daunting for parents, teachers, and students. We are here to help! Join us to find out more about what your child is working on during Module Lessons, A.L.L Block, and everything in between. We will cover the big ideas of the program, expectations, how to help with homework, and how each grade builds on one another.	Gloria Dragonette Jessie Lawson Abby Lilley	2219
19	Transition to Middle School Are you wondering how to help your child make a smooth transition from elementary to middle school? Come and hear from a Pine Hollow Middle School counselor and walk away with some great tips!	Jack Martin	2301
20.	Digital Portfolios for Students What are digital portfolios and why are students developing them? Come learn about artifacts, reflections and how students can "show what they know" using technology.	Melanie Farrell Barbara Vinal	2213