



## Parent University-Effingham (02-08-2020)

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### Session Schedule

**1<sup>st</sup> Session: 9:00 – 10:50**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Session: 11:00 – 12:00**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Session: 12:10 – 1:10**

**\*CORE Classes** are offered to teach, inform, update or clarify specific subject matter relevant to the home, school and community. The intent of CORE classes is to improve student achievement and strengthen the family unit. **Shaded areas** indicate class **not** offered.

Choose Sessions Here			*CORE	Credits	Classes Offered & Description (Subject to change)
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>			
<i>For attendees arriving by 9:00 a.m.</i>				3	<b>9:00-9:40 - General Session</b>
<b>3hour session</b>			*	6	<b>First Aid Certification Class Only</b> - (All day session) Limited to 20 participants on a "First Come, First Served" basis. This training will provide information and skills needed to perform first aid during many emergency situations. <b>NOTE:</b> CPR Certification Class will be offered at the Spring Session April 25, 2020.
1 <sup>st</sup>			*	2	<b>Newcomers Orientation</b> - This is an introductory course to welcome all first-time attendees and Springfield Elementary School's third grade parents. Participants will learn more about Parent University-Effingham and how to get the most out of the sessions. The Parent University and the Effingham County Board of Education's Reading Initiative Program (an Early Language and Literacy Mini-Grant that partnered with Springfield Elementary School) will be updated and evaluation process discussed. <b>Family Literacy</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>		*	2	<b>State Testing - Mastering the Georgia Milestones Assessments</b> - This session will provide test taking tips and supports that parents can use to help their child perform their best. Parents will leave with a handout with practice items for the appropriate grade of their children. <b>Family Literacy</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup>		*	2	<b>Real Dialogue with Dad</b> - This interactive session will engage fathers with dialogue and practical strategies to support their child today. Emphasis will be placed on supporting the academic and social development of their school-aged child. <b>Family Literacy</b>
		3 <sup>rd</sup>	*	2	<b>Dads Playbook: Coaching Kids to Read</b> - Fathers who read with their children at home have a unique impact on their child's language and literacy development as they grow. Just like the coach that taught you the skills that made you a better football player, you can coach your child to be a great reader. At this session, you'll learn some tips and tricks to help you become a great reading mentor, making you feel more comfortable reading with your children. <b>Fatherhood Initiative/Literacy Post Evaluation</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>			*	2	<b>Literacy Strategies for Parents That Speak Other Languages</b> - Participants will learn reading strategies to use with their children and leave with tips to use at home. <b>Family Literacy</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>		2	<b>Human Trafficking Awareness</b> – Human Trafficking is on the rise in our state and is #5 in the country for human Trafficking, according to Jose Gonzales, President of SWAHT (Savannah Working Against Human Trafficking). This session is designed to increase participants awareness of human trafficking and provide tips that will help keep them safe.
		3 <sup>rd</sup>		2	<b>Zumba/Fitness</b> – Zumba, the "Best Stress Reliever" medicine of all times, involves aerobic movements and dance. Put on your dancing shoes and enjoy the beats of various music while sweating away the worries. Wear comfortable shoes.

**2019-2020 Graduation Requirements** - Parent University-Effingham Graduation will be held in the fall.

- ◆ Participants must complete five (5) CORE classes per year and have a total of fifteen (15) credits.
- ◆ Additional credits will entitle you to be an Honor Graduate.

*To graduate with honors, a total of 25 credit hours (15 required hours plus 10 additional hours) are needed. Additional hours may be earned in other school functions and by attending or participating in community activities.*