



Parent Training Class approved by FFTA
Courses Available

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Ain't Misbehavin': Discipline and the Adopted Child

In this course you will learn some of the causes for challenging behaviors and understand why discipline is preferable to punishment, especially for adopted children. Get tips and strategies for applying discipline consistently. = 2 FFTA credit hours

Conspicuous Families: Race, Culture, and Adoption The term "conspicuous families" refers to families adopting trans-racially and/or trans-culturally. These families face unique parenting challenges that call for awareness of the issues they will encounter. = 1.5 FFTA credit hours

Let's Talk Adoption: A Lifetime of Family Conversations This course focuses on a child's understanding of what it means to be adopted and how it changes as she or he grows. It gives families the tools needed to talk about adoption and feel comfortable in doing so. = 2 FFTA credit hours

The Journey of Attachment is intended to provide adoptive families with an understanding of the attachment process and a set of skills that will help them develop a secure attachment with their child. Domestic children in late infancy and even the youngest children placed internationally are old enough to recognize the loss of their familiar caretaker and environment. = 2 FFTA credit hours

Finding the Missing Pieces: Helping Adopted Children Cope With Grief and Loss This course gives families strategies and resources they can use to help their children express and deal with their feelings of grief children have about adoption and the losses they experience. = 2 FFTA credit hours

With Eyes Wide Open: A Preparation Guide to International Adoption Children's Home Society & Family Services joins Adoption Learning Partners in offering a web-based version of their highly acclaimed program, *With Eyes Wide Open: A Preparation Guide to International Adoption*. = 2 FFTA credit hours

Medical Issues in International Adoption This program is designed to address key adoptive parent questions and is a valuable Hague aligned training requirement. This course will provide an overview of common medical issues faced by children adopted internationally. A section on travel tips, for parent and child, is included as well. = 2 FFTA credit hours

Adopting the Older Child This course will help adoptive parents determine if adopting an older child is right for them. From knowing what kind of information is important to have, to anticipating potential stumbling blocks to a smooth transition, this course serves as a guide to anyone considering adopting a child older than an infant = 2 FFTA credit hours

Lifebooks: Creating and Telling Your Child's Story (No Course Fee) This course introduces parents to the importance of Lifebooks, helps them create one for their child, and provides tips on how to use a Lifebook. = 0 FFTA credit hours

Creating an Adoption Profile that Works Offers tips on what to include in your profile, includes interactive exercises to help you craft your own story, helps you think about possible connection points to highlight in your profile, and includes profile Do's and Don'ts. = 0 FFTA credit hours

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