

## Contact Us

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*Greene County*

**PARENT  
EDUCATION  
GUIDE**

**2017**

## PARENTING CLASSES

### Strengthening Families

#### Greene County Juvenile Court



**WHO:** Both parents/guardians and youth ages 10-14

**WHAT:** 6 session parenting program

**WHEN:** Group meets once a week for six weeks from 5:45-8:30pm

**WHERE:** Two locations: Xenia (Monday) and Fairborn (Thursday)

**COST:** Free

**CONTACT:** Heidi Sanders, BA, LSW  
(937) 562-4049

### Parenting Solutions

#### Family Solutions Center and TCN



**WHO:** Family Solutions and TCN clients

**WHAT:** 6 session parenting program

**WHEN:** Groups are offered regularly throughout the year and meet on Saturdays from 10:00-11:30am

**WHERE:** Family Solutions Center  
287 Cincinnati Ave., Xenia, OH 45385

**COST:** Free

**CONTACT:** Lorey Simons  
(937) 376-8700 ext. 8761  
or contact your FSC or TCN provider

## OTHER PARENT EDUCATION

### Parent Preparation Program

#### Miami Valley Women's Center



#### (MOM's) Making Outstanding Mothers Program

**WHO:** Pregnant mothers and mothers of young children

#### (DAD's) Developing Awesome Dads Program

**WHO:** Fathers-to-be and fathers of young children

**WHAT:** Both the MOM's and DAD's programs are 1 on 1 Parenting Sessions. 1 hour per weekly session for 5-10 weeks. During either program, parents can earn Baby Bucks to spend at the Baby Store. Participants can also get periodic access to baby supplies.

**WHERE:** Miami Valley Women's Center,  
245 S. Allison Ave., Xenia, OH 45385

**COST:** Free

**CONTACT:** MVWC (937) 374-0001

### GRADS Program

#### Greene County Career Center



**WHO:** Pregnant and Parenting Teens (both male and female) in grades 7-12.

**WHAT:** An in-school parenting program. Students meet individually, online and/or in a classroom setting and may enter GRADS anytime throughout the school year, with the opportunity to earn credit towards graduation.

**WHERE:** Greene County Career Center

**COST:** Free

**CONTACT:** Wendi Kirsch or Nancy Myers  
(937) 372-6941 ext.235, GRADS  
Greene County Career Center

## OTHER PARENT EDUCATION

### **Wright-Patterson Air Force Base Parent Advocacy Program**



**WHO:** Parents and Families of WPAFB. Must have base access  
**WHAT:** A Variety of Parent Education and Family Services including parenting classes, informal groups, supportive community based services, home visits, office visits, and phone consultations.  
**COST:** Free  
**CONTACT:** WPAFB Parent Advocacy (937) 257-6429/4608

### **Families Succeeding After Divorce Greene County Domestic Relations Court**



**WHO:** Class offered exclusively to divorcing court mandated parents  
**WHAT:** 1 session (2 hour) Parenting Class  
**WHEN:** Offered twice a month  
Sat. 9:30-11:30am or Thurs. 6-8:00pm  
**WHERE:** 595 Ledbetter Rd. Xenia, OH 45385  
**COST:** Free. Must register to attend  
**CONTACT:** DR Court (937) 562-6249

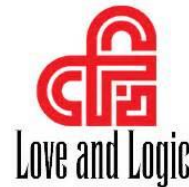
### **Family Focus Family Violence Prevention Center**



**WHO:** Individuals receiving services from the Family Violence Prevention center  
**WHAT:** Discussions on various parenting topics with parents who have experienced domestic violence.  
**WHERE:** Family Violence Prevention Center  
380 Bellbrook Ave, Xenia, OH 45385.  
**COST:** Free  
**CONTACT:** FVPC (937) 376-8526

## PARENTING CLASSES

### **Parenting the Love and Logic Way Greene County Juvenile Court**



**WHO:** Parents/guardians  
**WHAT:** 6 session Parenting Program  
**WHEN:** 6:00-8:00pm Tuesdays  
**WHERE:** 2100 Greene Way Blvd.  
Xenia, OH 45385  
**COST:** \$20 per person/\$30 per couple (cash only)  
**CONTACT:** Randell Gidley (937) 562-4044

### **Active Parenting Now Family and Children First**



**WHO:** Parents/guardians  
**WHAT:** 6 session Parenting Program  
**WHEN:** 6:00-8:00pm Thursdays. Day courses are offered periodically based on full class registration- held on Thursdays  
**WHERE:** Courses alternate between Xenia and Fairborn locations  
**COST:** Free.  
**CONTACT:** Steven Gregory (937)562-5606

## IN HOME PARENT EDUCATION

### Parents as Teachers

#### Council on Rural Services



**WHO:** Parents/guardians and their children birth-5 years old. Pregnant mothers  
**WHAT:** A parent educator provides personal visits, group connections, and child development screenings  
**WHEN/WHERE:** The educator and family work together to set convenient visits in the family home  
**COST:** Free for low income families  
**CONTACT:** Heather Butcher  
(937) 372-1446 ext. 25

### Help Me Grow Early Intervention Services

#### Greene County Public Health and 4 Oaks Early Intervention



**WHO:** Children birth to 3 years old with suspected developmental delay, diagnosed medical condition, prematurity, sensory issues, feeding issues, or suspected autism  
**WHAT:** Service coordination, child developmental evaluation, support, information, and resources.  
**WHERE:** In the family home  
**COST:** Free  
**CONTACT:** 1-800-755-4769

## IN HOME PARENT EDUCATION

### Help Me Grow Home Visiting Program

#### Greene County Public Health



**WHO:** Expectant or 1<sup>st</sup> time mothers with a child under 6 months of age  
**WHAT:** Home Visiting Program for Parent and Child, providing education, support, resources and child development screenings  
**WHEN/WHERE:** The educator and family work together to set convenient visits in the family home  
**COST:** Free  
**CONTACT:** 1-800-755-4769

## OTHER PARENT EDUCATION

### Family & Youth Initiatives

#### Parenting Network Family & Youth Initiatives Parenting Network

**WHO:** Parents (moms and/or dads) who are expecting or have children up to age 5  
**WHAT:** Parents meet one on one with a mentor for 30 minute sessions to discuss homework relating to pregnancy, parenting, or life skills appropriate for participants. They earn points for lessons to spend in our baby store obtaining cribs, car seats, clothing, and other baby items needed. Monthly group classes offered on different topics.  
**WHEN:** Participants must schedule an appointment during regular hours. Current hours are M 1:30 - 4:30; W 9:00 - 2:00; TH 5:30 - 8:00  
**WHERE:** 1030 N. Maple Ave, Fairborn, OH 45324 (located behind Mary Help of Christian Parish Center)  
**COST:** Free  
**CONTACT:** Diana Hobbs, Fairborn Network Coordinator (937)879-3313  
Nikki Stefanow, Parenting Network Director (937)845-0403