

FALL 2020

GOOD CHOICES

MCHA Resident Services Newsletter

Free Pre-K Enrolling Now!

Available to ALL MCHA Residents

With all the uncertainty in the world right now, one thing will never change: how important your child's education is to you and to us. If your child is 3 years old, potty-trained, has transportation, and a birth certificate then you are eligible for our *FREE* preschool at Sharpsville Garden's Learning Center! Meals are also included daily as a part of our educational program along with engaging activities to prepare your little one for transitioning into kindergarten. We still have positions open in the physical classroom as well as a few virtual spots for those that prefer distance learning due to COVID. This program is open to all residents, For more information, please call (814) 657-1166.

Parenting Classes Coming Soon

Parenting is hard and Parenting Wisely can help parents with children ages 3-11. Learn skills proven to solve problem behaviors, family conflict, lessen drug & alcohol abuse in youth, school and homework problems and more. The Parenting Wisely Program increases parent-child communication, confidence and disciplinary skills, strengthening the parent's ability to help their child as we sometimes struggle through daily issues. Skills focused on in this program are critical to helping children and adolescents avoid delinquency and substance abuse and also to improving common family problems. Class space will be limited. Participants who complete all classes will receive a gift card at the end of the course.

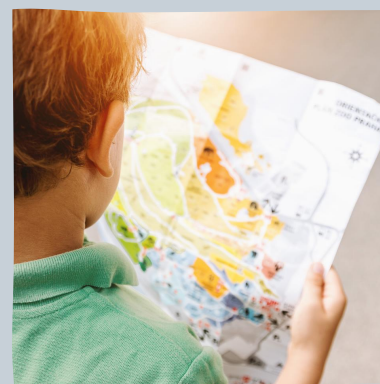
What's Covered:

- Interrupting on the telephone
- Conflict with other children
- Refusing to go to bed
- Getting ready for school
- Acting up in public
- Sibling conflict
- Homework & bad grades



Did You Know?

The benefits of Pre-K are not limited to test scores. Children who receive high-quality Pre-K have better attendance, fewer behavior problems, and increased chances of reading at grade level in 4th grade.



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Back to School Summer Bashes!



We had a blast at this year's bashes! Thank you to our partners SMILES AmeriCorps, the Melt Down Food Truck, and Primary Healthcare. We gave away over 150 bookbags!

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed, citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”

MARGARET MEAD

