



Pathways to Permanence 2: Parenting Children Who Have Experienced Trauma and Loss[®]

This 24-hour specialized series of eight classes is designed for adoptive, kinship and customary care families who are parenting children who have experienced trauma and loss as a part of their history. This course provides tools, techniques and information that empower participants to effectively parent their children. **TRAINERS: Sylvia Gibbons and Dianne Mathes**



Comprehensive training in eight classes:

- Session 1: Parenting Children with Extra Needs
- Session 2: Lifelong Issues in Permanence
- Session 3: Childhood Development
- Session 4: Creating Positive Attachments, Part 1
- Session 5: Creating Positive Attachments, Part 2
- Session 6: Parenting the Child of Abuse and Neglect
- Session 7: Parenting the Child with Drug and Alcohol Exposure
- Session 8: Building a Community-based Family Support Program

* **Please note** that for some of our Pathways offerings, we are adding an extra session, for a total of 9 sessions instead of the usual 8. This extra time will enable us to move forward with the next phase of our Pathways evaluation project with the University of Toronto.

DATES:

Fridays: 6:00pm - 9:00pm and
Saturdays: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Feb 2, 3, 9, 10, 23, and 24

NO COST:

This course is free thanks to funding from the Ontario Ministry of Children and Youth Services.

WHERE:

CAS Nipissing and Parry Sound
457 Main Street W.
North Bay, ON

Register at www.adoption.on.ca/events

"I learned the importance of empathy and taking the time to decode my children's behaviours."



"I would recommend this training to all adoptive parents, teachers, grandparents, and any relatives taking care of children."



"Boy, did I need this class!"



"I have learned so much that will enrich my family's life. Thank you."



"AWESOME AWESOME AWESOME! I came with a lot of questions. At the end I got a lot of answers."



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