

Dear Parents and Staff,

Alief ISD is again offering evening parenting workshops. Please note the topics, dates, times and location listed below. These sessions are designed to help parents gain information and practical strategies to help children be successful in school and life in general.

On **October 20, 2009**, we are offering sessions on *Parenting with Love and Logic (English and Spanish)*, *Sexual Activity: How to Talk to Your Child about Sex (English)*, *Parent Child Communication (English)*, and *When is Behavior A Crime? (English)*.

The *Parenting with Love and Logic* (English and Spanish) sessions teach strategies that help parents respond to their children's choices and behaviors in ways that hold them responsible for their actions while preserving the loving relationship all families need to function in today's society.

In the *Sexual Activity: How to Talk to Your Child about Sex* (English) session we will discuss appropriate ways and topics to address with kids to help them stay safe from early onset of sexual behaviors and STD's (Sexually Transmitted Diseases).

In *Parent Child Communication* (English) we will discuss strategies for talking with kids so they will listen.

The *When is Behavior a Crime?* (English) session will help parents gain awareness and knowledge about the laws that govern student behavior.

Please plan to attend one of the workshops at Alief Middle School, 4415 Cook Road. Sessions begin promptly at 6:30 pm.

☺ Baby sitting and homework help will be provided by Alief staff and high school students.

☺ Pizza and drinks will be available for purchase from 6:00 pm – 6:20 pm at the following prices:

- Pizza - \$1.00 per slice
- Drinks - \$.50 per can or bottle

Please fill out the form below and return it to your child's teacher so we may plan for your attendance. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Pat Somers
District Consultant
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Please Print

I, _____, will attend on **October 20, 2009** for (check one):

(Parent's name)

_____ Love and Logic (English)

_____ Love and Logic (Spanish)

_____ Sexual Activity: How to Talk with Your Child about Sex (English)

_____ Parent Child Communication (English)

_____ When is Behavior a Crime? (English)

Phone number _____

Name of children _____ Grade _____ School _____
attending workshop

_____ Grade _____ School _____

Number of people eating dinner (please circle the number) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Please return to your child's teacher by October 16, 2009.