



Stress Less, Enjoy More This Fall with Tools to Breathe Easier

Hi Folks, We hope these last days of summer find you remembering fun times and looking forward to the Fall. But if life is a little more complicated than that in your family, we've got you covered. We're focused on the essentials of this important season change - from behavior challenges in little ones to self-esteem in children and helping those kids who feel anxious about going back to school. We have important guidance on building resilience and protecting your child's mental health. We're sharing our Quick Video Solution Libraries with you for on-demand support. Let our Parent Guides connect you to the resources you need. So don't go it alone - we want to hear from you.





Ruth E. Freeman, LCSW, President and Founder of Peace At Home Parenting Solutions

Struggling with a parenting challenge or wondering what to do next? We can help. Email us anytime at solutions@peaceathomeparenting.com

Check out September's live class schedule on page 3. Peace At Home founder Ruth Freeman will remind us of important essentials in the "Back to School Playbook," but really that would be a great title for this



whole month of classes. From an inspiring "School Success" session with Dr. Amy Alamar to real solutions for "School Refusal" with Dr. Kim Barton, we've got your back with strategies that work. Special topics will focus on self-esteem for children with Autism and navigating difficult co-parenting relationships. Parents of little ones will appreciate our Positive Discipline class for toddlers and preschoolers and "Help Your Child Feel Safe and Secure." And we all need "Habits for Healthy Families" as we get busier and days get shorter. You can do this!



Check out our September blogs >



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The Peace At Home 0 **Parenting PODCAST** Ð

C Do you ever wonder about the line between "normal A teenage behavior" and warning signs for mental health s issues? Enjoy this conversation between Amy Alamar, EdD and Amy Killy LICSW, Clinical Director of the Helix Center in Virginia, discussing the mental health crisis among adolescents. Amy emphasizes connection and relationship

as a necessary foundation, and speaks about the influential role of social media and the internet. Don't miss out on this great conversation! Search for "Peace at Home Parenting Podcast" on your favorite app.



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Breathe Easier As you try new tools and strategies, connect directly with our experts. Join our monthly Q&A or our private Facebook Group, take a live class or schedule a 1:1 Consulting Session.





THU 9/18pm	Manage Meltdowns with Positive Discipline for Toddlers and Preschoolers Prevent hitting, biting and help your child manage emotions
TUE 9/6 8pm	School Success for Any Age Practical tools to support your child's learning and motivation and deal with school challenges
WED 9/7 8pm	Habits for Healthy Families Build healthy routines and learn the importance and impact of modeling healthy behaviors
TUE 9/13 12pm	<u>Conversations That Build Self Esteem for your Child with Autism</u> Pathways to a positive sense of self for children with Autism and ADHD
TUE 9/13 1pm	Help Your Young Child Feel Safe and Secure Signaling safety is a Peace At Home Principle, recognize and support your child's needs
THU 9/15 12pm	School Refusal: What Really Helps? Understand the underlying anxiety and approach the solution with confidence and compassion
TUE 9/20 8pm	<u>Reduce Conflict & Create Cooperative CoParenting</u> Strategies for separated or divorced parents to reduce conflict and breathe easier
THU 9/22 12pm	How's Preschool Going? Have Questions? We Have Answers. Join Ruth for our Monthly Q&A focusing on Toddlers and Preschoolers
MON 9/26 12pm Back To School Success with Amy Alamar and Ruth E. Freeman	
TUE 9/27 12pm	Back to School Playbook Add tips to your game plan to inspire motivation, build routines and encourage independence - all ages

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Tip of the Month: Write a letter to your child's teacher to introduce them to your family and consider including:



- → A brief description of the members of your family and their relationship to your child
- → An overview of your child's experience in school last year, including progress and challenges
- → Details about your child's nature including likes and dislikes, interests, etc.
- → Any academic or social emotional concerns or needs
- → Your hopes and dreams for your child this year

You may want to end with an invitation to keep the connection going and when you'd like to meet to check in on your child's transition back to school.

Thanks to Peace At Home parent and consultant, Colleen Vesely, PhD for these great ideas. Read more in her wonderful blog, <u>"Raising gender expansive kids in a gender binary world."</u>