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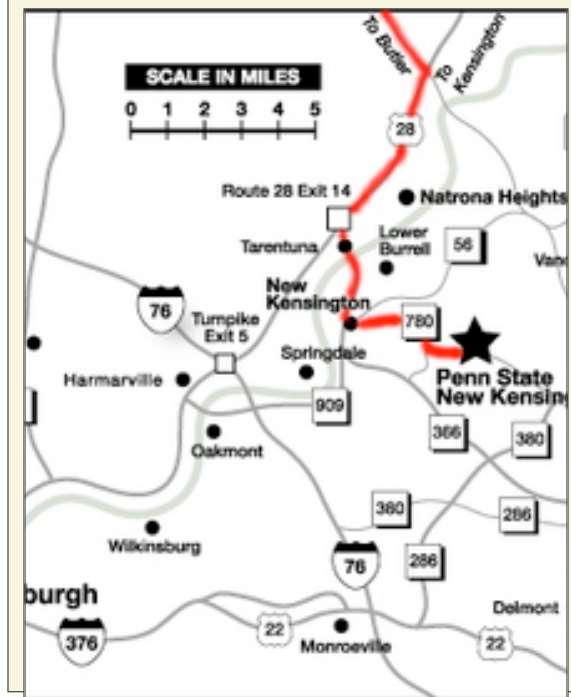
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ACT 48 HOURS AND CEU HOURS WILL BE AWARDED TO ALL DISTRICT AND WESTMORELAND INTERMEDIATE UNIT STAFF IN ATTENDANCE



DIRECTIONS TO PENN STATE NEW KENSINGTON CAMPUS

FROM THE NORTH Butler/ Kittanning area

Take Route 28 south to exit 14, turn left at the end of the ramp and follow the signs for New Kensington (Route 366 east). At the intersection of Route 366 and Route 780, turn left and follow Route 780 east approximately 4 miles. The campus is located on the right side of the road.

FROM THE SOUTH Monroeville area

Take Route 22 east to Route 286 east. Follow Route 286 to Route 380 east. Follow Route 380 to Route 780. Follow Route 780 west past the Alcoa Technical Center for approximately 5 miles. The campus is located on the left side of the road.

FROM THE EAST Indiana area

Take Route 422 west to Route 286 west. Follow Route 286 to Route 380 west. Follow Route 380 to Route 780. Follow Route 780 west past Alcoa Technical Center for approximately 5 miles. The campus is located on the left side of the road.

Parent Training Series

2011-2012



AT PENN STATE NEW KENSINGTON

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2011
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Childhood Obesity

presented by Sandy Beauregard with ParentWISE of Family Services of Western Pennsylvania

We will discuss the adult's role in helping children to develop a lifelong wellness program. We will discuss the role genetics, culture, and family beliefs play in a child's overall fitness. Discussion will also focus on helping children to make changes in their eating and exercise habits.



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2011
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Cooperative Parenting

presented by Bob Brinker with ParentWISE of Family Services of Western Pennsylvania

Families come in many forms and every family has challenges. This training looks at the issue of single parenting and co-parenting (when children move back and forth between mom and dad's house). Strategies for cooperative parenting will be shared as well as how the school and communities can support the children and families.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2012
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Special Education Transition Programs & the Work Discovery Program

presented by Christine Fiorina, Transition Coordinator, and Lyn Marchwinski, Job Coach Mentor, with the Westmoreland Intermediate Unit

Secondary Transition is the "bridge" between skills/lessons learned in school and the risks/opportunities of adult life. The secondary transition process bridges the passage from middle school through high school and on to adult life. This session will explore the transition opportunities available to students, including specifically addressing the Work Discovery Program, which helps students make the transition

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 2012
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Effective Discipline: One Size Doesn't Fit All

presented by Sandy Beauregard with ParentWISE of Family Services of Western Pennsylvania

When asking about discipline and children, most parents would stress the use of some kind of punishment (or negative consequence) for wrongdoing. Discipline is so much more than that - it involves how we teach children life and social skills so they can become responsible, productive family and community members.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 2012
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Preparing Your Child for Kindergarten

presented by Shana Orlic with ParentWISE of Family Services of Western Pennsylvania

We will review the developmental milestones of a kindergartner, discover ways of encouraging a love of learning at home, prepare a checklist for the start of school, and share practices to put in place to ensure a successful school year. We will also review good parent/teacher relationship skills and the expectations your child's teacher will have for your child. Tips to help with separation anxiety will be offered as well.