



# Prairie View

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### **Mentoring, Parenting Workshops Available to Community**

Newton, Kan. – Parents, mentors, youth leaders, and anyone wanting to positively influence a youth’s life are encouraged to attend one of two upcoming workshops and learn basic communication and conflict-management skills.

Both workshops are a collaboration of Prairie View Process Solutions and USD 373 and made possible by a grant from Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services (SRS).

The first, “Be Yourself, Be a Mentor,” will be held Thursday, April 3, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at McKinley Administration Building.

Peer mentors, Big Brothers/Big Sisters and other students will learn about what makes them “tick,” how to value different perspectives, communicate more effectively and be a role model and mentor for others.

This workshop is recommended for those ages 13-19. The cost is \$40 per person. Registration deadline is Monday, March 31.

The second workshop, “Parenting for Success,” is a workshop for those wanting to learn new skills to connect, motivate and reduce conflict with the youth in their lives. It will be held Saturday, April 12, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Prairie View’s Auditorium. Prairie View is located at 1901 East First Street, Newton.

Each participant will receive a personality profile, workbook and personal action plan with parenting tips.

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The cost to attend is only \$40 and anyone is welcome to attend; however, full-paid scholarships are available for those in Harvey County who meet specific criteria. Registration deadline is Monday, April 7.

Contact Michele Ediger, Process Solutions, at 284-6446, for more information or to register.

Process Solutions is the consulting, training, and research division of Prairie View, a non-profit psychiatric hospital and network of outpatient behavioral health facilities serving Kansas for over 50 years. Established in 1999, Prairie View Process Solutions was created to meet the growing need for non-clinical services in schools, churches, businesses and a variety of other organizations. Rooted in Prairie View's rich history, Process Solutions serves clients across the United States.