

ADVANCED PARENT'S TOOLSHOP

6 Week Schedule

Dates: 6 Thursdays, 4/10/08 to 5/22/2008 (skip 4/24), 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. (2.5 hours each session)

Where: Access For Youth, 1320 Woodman Dr. Directions at <http://tinyurl.com/39bj93>

EACH SESSION, WE WILL do fun interactive activities and engage in stimulating discussions to:

- ✓ Review the “4-star tools” from the TIPS class and their advanced uses. (30 min. at most)
- ✓ Learn additional tools, not covered in the TIPS class and their advanced uses. (1.5 hr.)
- ✓ Practice the skills, in age-specific small group activities and/or
- ✓ Apply the skills to your family, through individualized group problem-solving and personalized coaching from the author. (at least 30 min)
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<u>SESSION</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>CHAPTER TOPIC</u>
1	4/10/08	CHAPTER 1: A QUICK TOUR OF THE PARENT'S TOOLSHOP CHAPTER 2: FOUNDATION-BUILDING TOOLSET CHAPTER 3: USING THE UNIVERSAL BLUEPRINT
2	4/17/04	CHAPTER 4: SELF-ESTEEM TOOLSET CHAPTER 5: COOPERATION TOOLSET
SKIP	4/24/08	CATCH UP ON YOUR READING — OR GET AHEAD!!
3	5/1/08	CHAPTER 6: INDEPENDENCE TOOLSET CHAPTER 7: LISTENING TOOLSET CHAPTER 8: PROBLEM-SOLVING TOOLSET
4	5/8/08	CHAPTER 9: KEEP YOUR COOL TOOLSET CHAPTER 10: CLEAR COMMUNICATION TOOLSET CHAPTER 11: UNINTENTIONAL MISBEHAVIOR TOOLSET
5	5/15/08	CHAPTER 12: "ON PURPOSE" MISBEHAVIOR TOOLSET CHAPTER 13: DISCIPLINE TOOLSET (beliefs)
6	5/22/08	CHAPTER 14: FAMILY COUNCIL TOOLSET CHAPTER 15: 4 C's: CONSISTENCY, handling CRITICISM, CONFIDENCE, CLOSING

PRACTICE EXERCISES:

There is **so** much in this book, we will not cover **all** of it. If you do the practice exercises at the end of each chapter it will **dramatically** improve how much you learn and how well you master the skills. Always give your answers before you read the answer key (which has some of the meatiest content).