

Intradistrict Communication

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TO: All School Administrators

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SUBJECT: **FREE** Mental Health Education for Parents and Caregivers

Jordan District has partnered with the Cook Center for Human Connection to provide ongoing mental health education for parents and caregivers. This collaboration offers FREE access to live, virtual educational sessions covering various topics. **Please share the following resources with your school community:**

- A calendar for **November's Mental Health Series** sessions is attached. Sessions are offered in both [English](#) and [Spanish](#). Previously recorded seminars can be accessed through a comprehensive library of sessions and resources for each topic. You can access the library of recorded sessions at any time by visiting this site: <https://parentguidance.org/mhsindex>.
- [Ask a Therapist live virtual event](#). This is an anonymous opportunity to ask questions from a licensed family therapist about your child's mental health. It is a live event on **November 11th at 6 pm** with access to the recording afterward. Registration Link: <https://cookcenter.info/ATLNov11>
- Included in the mental health series is a "**Watch Together Series**" to highlight for families. While the Mental Health Series is designed for parents, these "Watch Together" events are for the whole family, especially teens and young adults. In this series, each month, you'll meet a new animated character facing real challenges that teens and young adults experience. Together, you and your family can watch their story and learn how to start meaningful conversations at home.
 - **November Event:** Together, teens and parents will watch the animated story about Kyle. Kyle is a teen masking the pain of bullying, withdrawal, and alcohol use. His story helps families understand the hidden emotional impact of bullying and the importance of asking direct, compassionate questions like, "Have you thought about taking your life?" In this interactive session, parents and teens will learn about warning signs of emotional distress and how to create space for honest conversation and connection.
 - Wednesday, November 12th | 6 pm MT [REGISTER NOW](#)

Please share the attached flyers/resources with your school communities. Should you have any questions, please reach out to Angie Rasmussen at angie.rasmussen@jordandistrict.org.