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| *Upcoming Training*

Talking with Children About Race

Presented by Cultures Connecting LLC

This training is for foster parents and relatives who have children in their care and want to learn more about this topic. Recent research has shown that children have very complex understandings of differences and how they make meaning of stereotypes. Far from being color-blind, most children are aware of how their own skin color is an advantage or disadvantage. They also judge their peers based on these differences-even though many adults believe young children in today's generation don't stereotype. Because of this, it is important to give children anti-bias messages, through actions and words that actively counter what they are internalizing and witnessing in the world.

In this workshop we will explore how children and youth learn and practice racism and privilege. Participants will learn strategies to for acting on teachable moments and ways to create counter narratives.

Registration is required. Some classes may have prerequisites.

To register, go to allianceforchildwelfare.org, select [Our Courses](#), and search for your class.

If you have questions, contact Shelly Myers at mysh300@uw.edu or 206-923-4955.

For registration support email help@acwe.on.spiceworks.com

Saturday, June 13, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Red Lion Hotel & Conference Center
510 Kelso Drive
Spruce Room
Kelso WA 98626

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