

SENG Model Parent Group Facilitator Training

Comes to Tucson, Arizona

February 6 & 7, 2016

Do you want to help parents understand and develop skills for nurturing the development of their gifted children?

Become a SENNG Model Parent Group Facilitator!

SENG Model Parent Groups (SMPGs) are structured to bring together 10 - 20 interested parents of gifted and talented children to discuss such topics as motivation, discipline, stress management, and peer relationships.

The co-facilitators of the group, though they are knowledgeable about parenting and about educating gifted/talented children, do not attempt to give expert advice to families. Instead their facilitation provides a nonjudgmental and nurturing atmosphere. The parents of high-ability children are themselves a rich resource for information, and participants get fresh ideas from other parents and from *A Parent's Guide to Gifted Children*, the book around which the sessions are organized. Groups meet weekly for 8 to 10 weeks.



Facilitator Training Includes:

- Objectives of SENNG Model Parent Groups
- Characteristics of parents in SMPGs
- The role of SMPG Facilitators
- Group facilitation techniques
- Content learning session topic areas: *characteristics, motivation, discipline, stress management, peer relations and sibling rivalry, and tradition breaking*
- Practice of facilitation techniques
- Potential problems and solutions in SMPGs
- How to organize a local SMPG

Please note: SMPG Facilitators are required to maintain their annual SENNG membership and certification.

Dates and Times: Saturday, February 6 from 8 am- 8:40pm / Sunday, February 7 from 8am - noon

Location: Paulo Freire Freedom School (between Rogue Theater & Audobon Society),
300 E University Blvd. #10, Tucson, AZ 85705

Cost: \$325 (non-refundable, unless class is cancelled due to not meeting registration requirements)

Trainers: Lori Comallie-Caplan, LMSW and James T. Webb, PhD

Materials Provided: A Parent's Guide to Gifted Children and Parent Groups: The SENNG Model, 2nd Ed.



Where can I register? www.sengifted.org

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