

2021 TRAINING CATALOG

SUMMER

ABOUT US

Center for Afterschool, Summer and Enrichment for Kids (CASE)

CASE for Kids, a division of Harris County Department of Education, services improve program quality and equalize access to afterschool, summer and enrichment opportunities – because what happens between school and home matters. To learn more about CASE for Kids services, visit www.hcde-texas.org/after-school

Harris County Department of Education (HCDE)

HCDE is a unique, educational hybrid serving school districts, governmental agencies, nonprofits and the public in the third-largest county in the U.S. HCDE annually serves a quarter-million students and educators through schools for students with profound special needs; the largest adult education program in Texas; Head Start early childhood education; school-based therapy services; and afterschool programs. Educator professional development and certification, school safety, records management, and a purchasing cooperative are also provided. #SeeTheImpact at www.hcde-texas.org.

PD OPTIONS

This summer, CASE for Kids is offering lots of options to meet the needs of Out-of-School Time (OST) field.

We offer:

**July SEL-ibration focused trainings
August Back to OST focused trainings**

- In- person workshop opportunities
- Live webinars
- Recorded webinars
- Virtual library of recorded webinars
- 24/7 training available through Cypherworx online platform
- Conversation Starter videos for staff meetings
- CASE Quality Team recommendations for free national webinars

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*Click on workshop type and date to register.
Certificates are provided based on participation and time in workshop.*

What in the "SEL"?; Introduction to Social and Emotional Learning

[Live in-person workshop, Wednesday, July 7, 2021, 10:00am - 11:30 am Rm. 1012 CASE for Kids](#)

[Live webinar, Friday, July 9, 2021, 10:00 am-11:30 am](#)

[Recorded webinar, available on-demand after July 9](#)

Go beyond the buzzwords and build a strong foundation about SEL concepts and terms. In this workshop, you will be able to explore best practices and strategies for incorporating SEL in your OST program.

What's in Your Toolbox?: Building Relationships in OST

[Live in-person workshop, Wednesday, July 14, 2021, 10:30am - 11:30 am Rm. 1012 CASE for Kids](#)

[Live webinar, Friday, July 16, 2021 10:00am-11:30 am](#)

[Recorded webinar, available on-demand after July 16](#)

Students need to feel safe and supported to learn and thrive. In this interactive workshop, we will discuss how to continually reinforce a sense of community and explore activities designed to engage students. Come ready to share your ideas and add some new tools and strategies to your toolbox!

*In-person workshops will be held
at
6005 Westview Drive, Houston*

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Introduction to Trauma Informed Care

[Live in-person workshop, Wednesday, July 21, 2021, 10:00am - 11:30 am Rm. 1012 CASE for Kids](#)

[Live webinar, Friday, July 23, 2021, 10:00 am-11:30 am](#)

[Recorded webinar, available on-demand after July 23](#)

Our entire community has experienced a prolonged state of stress which impacted both students and adults. In this foundational workshop, we will examine the relevant science about trauma and explore strategies to meet the needs of our programs.

Flex Your SEL Muscles!

[Live webinar, Thursday, July 29, 2021 10:00am-11:30 am](#)

[Recorded webinar, available on-demand after July 29](#)

Social Emotional Learning starts with you- the adult! Your SEL muscles need to be strong so that students feel safe and supported before you can implement any programming. Come and explore the 5 SEL muscles featured in the A Trusted Space curriculum and get ready to flex!

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Climbing the Youth Voice Ladder

[Live in-person workshop, Wednesday, August 4, 2021, 10:00am - 11:30 am Rm. 1012 CASE for Kids](#)

[Live webinar, Friday, August 6, 2021, 10:00 am-11:30 am](#)

[Recorded webinar, available on-demand after August 6](#)

**Many youth organizations boldly state “We listen to youth.” But do they really? Do you?
In this workshop, you will be able to evaluate your practices, define the benefits of youth voice and develop strategies for incorporating it on multiple levels.**

Ready, Set, Transition!

[Live in-person workshop, Wednesday, August 11, 2021, 10:00am - 11:30 am Rm. 1012 CASE for Kids](#)

[Live webinar, Friday, August 13, 29, 2021 10:00am-11:30 am](#)

[Recorded webinar, available on-demand after August 13](#)

How many times do students switch activities in your program? Transitions between activities can be a point of stress for students and adults. Let’s talk about strategies that reduce tension, encourage self-regulation and create learning opportunities.

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Thinking Thematically: Lesson Planning for OST

Live webinar, Thursday, August 12, 2021, 10:00 am-11:30 am

Recorded webinar, available on-demand after August 12

Learn how to develop an integrated thematic unit with student-centered activities, while following the Five E's of lesson planning. Create a cohesive experience for students while integrating math, science, ELA and more.

Managing Homework: Tips, Techniques and Strategies!

Live in-person workshop, Wednesday, August 18, 2021, 10:00am - 11:30 am Rm. 1012 CASE for Kids

Live webinar, Friday, August 19, 2021 10:00am-11:30 am

Recorded webinar, available on-demand after August 19

Is homework time in your program challenging? Is it difficult to get students to concentrate and complete their work? Do you struggle to find activities for students who finish early? This workshop will provide tips to reduce the daily stress, improve processes and create a positive learning environment for all.

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RECORDED WEBINARS

The virtual library of recorded webinars features local OST content experts and CASE for Kids staff. Registration is required to view a recording. Certificates of attendance will be provided. Each new webinar held this summer will have a recorded webinar posted that week.

Topics include:

Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) for students and adults
Activities for OST programs (direct care and virtual)
Classroom/Behavior Management
Communication
Literacy/Numeracy

[Click to view topics & register](#)

FREE WEBINAR RESOURCES

[Click to Science](#)
[Virtual Lab School](#)
[Afterschool Alliance](#)

[CASEL](#)

[ASCD](#)

[edWeb](#)

[Common Sense Education](#)

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CASE for Kids Sponsored On-Line Training Opportunity

Access additional opportunities for professional development through courses designed for OST professionals. These training opportunities are available 24/7 using any device. Individual users can track course progress and print a certificate upon completion! Supervisors can contact Kathy Evans (kevanse@hcde-texas.org) to learn how they can individualize the system for their staff. Topics include:

- **Developmental stages of school age youth**
- **Activity planning**
- **Guiding behavior/Safety**
- **Professionalism**

Courses are appropriate for front line staff and supervisors.

Review the course catalog

Register to access online training

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