



Fall 2023 Training Schedule

October 20-22, 2023

The following three-day training is required of ALL families interested in providing foster care or permanent adoptive homes to children in need. Completion of all of these classes will fulfill the requirements to be approved as an adoptive family. Training times and topics are subject to change to reflect changes in state requirements.

<i>Date and Time</i>	<i>Length (hours)</i>	<i>Topics</i>
Friday, October 20, 2023 8am to 5pm	8 hours training + ½ hour lunch	8:00-10:00 Introduction to Foster Care and Adoption 10:15-12:15 7 Core Issues in Adoption and Permanency LUNCH 12:45-2:45 Child Development and Attachment 3:00-5:00 Helping Your Family Become Multi-Cultural
Saturday, October 21, 2023 8am to 5pm	8 hours training + ½ hour lunch	8:00-10:00 Trauma and Its Effects on Brain Development 10:15-12:15 Managing Behavioral Challenges LUNCH 12:45-2:45 Healthy Relationships and Boundaries 3:00-5:00 Supporting Healthy Identity
Sunday, October 22, 2023 8am to 3pm	6 hours training + ½ hour lunch	8:00-10:00 Effects of Caregiving on the Family 10:15-12:15 What's Next LUNCH 12:45-2:45 Stories from the Trenches – Parent Panel

*Lunch will be provided all three days.

Optional group dinner following training on Friday night at your expense.

All trainings will be held at:

The NEW Center
4211 State Route 44
Rootstown, Ohio

Once registered, you will receive information for online classes that must be completed PRIOR to in-person training. CPR Training is also required to be completed prior to attending training.



Fall 2023 Training Registration

October 20 - 22, Rootstown, Ohio

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Cell Phone Number(s) _____

Email(s) _____

T-Shirt Size(s): (unisex crew neck shirts) _____

Have you previously adopted? _____

If so, how old was your child at placement? _____

Please Initial: _____ I/we agree that I/we must attend all of the training sessions. If I/we cannot attend all of the training sessions, I/we will contact Open Arms Adoptions to make arrangements to make up the missed classes.

Please list any special dietary considerations:

Payment of \$400 must be received to hold your spot in the training.

Registration needs to be emailed to samantha@openarmsadopt.com.

Please mail payment to: Open Arms Adoptions

11 River St., Suite B
Kent, OH 44240

Please call 330.697.4751 or email samantha@openarmsadopt.com with any questions.