# Families, Parents, & Caregivers Pathway



- Designed for families, parents, and caregivers who want to support the mental health of the student(s) in their care.
- Best for people who want to learn about mental health literacy generally and gain understanding of universal supports (not specific to schools).

# Recommended Videos

#### Module 1: Creating Safe and Supportive Classrooms

- <u>Elementary Active Listening</u> (00:46)
- <u>Secondary Active Listening</u> (00:51)
- <u>Elementary Praise</u> (00:33)
- <u>Secondary Praise</u> (00:36)

### Module 3: Fostering Social Emotional Competencies and Well-Being

- <u>Self-Awareness</u> (04:11)
- <u>Self-Management</u> (04:33)
- <u>Promoting Self-Regulation</u> (02:31)
- <u>Responsible Decision-Making</u> (03:55)
- <u>Relationship Skills</u> (03:37)
- <u>Identifying Feelings</u> (02:15)
- <u>Social Awareness</u> (04:00)

Module 4: Understanding and Supporting Students Experiencing Adversity and Distress

• <u>Supporting Students in Distress</u> (01:33)

Module 5: The Impact of Trauma and Adversity on Learning and Behavior

- <u>TED Talk: How childhood trauma affects health across a lifetime (16:03)</u>
- <u>Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)</u> (02:21)
- <u>Creating Trust and Transparency</u> (01:34)

### Module 6: Classroom Strategies to Support Students Experiencing Distress

- <u>Noticing Student Distress</u> (01:14)
- <u>Emotion Regulation Strategies</u> (00:42)
- <u>De-escalation</u> (01:22)
- <u>Substance Use Strategies</u> (01:58)

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# Recommended Text Resources

Module 1: Creating Safe and Supportive Classrooms

- <u>Key Terms</u> (contains key terms and definitions for all modules)
- <u>Guide to Active Listening</u>
- National Drug and Alcohol IQ Challenge

# Module 2: Teaching Mental Health Literacy and Reducing Stigma

- <u>Demystifying the Mind</u>
- Youth Mental Health First Aid
- Language Matters
- <u>Words and Phrases to Avoid</u>
- Bring Change 2 Mind
- <u>Children's Mental Health Matters!</u>
- <u>Make It OK</u>
- Mental Health Week: "Be Kind to Your Mind"
- <u>9 Truths About Eating Disorders</u>

## Module 3: Fostering Social Emotional Competencies and Well-Being

- <u>SEL Competencies and Practices</u>
- <u>Habits of Mind</u>
- <u>SEL Activities by Grade Level</u>
- <u>SEL High School Resources</u>
- <u>Tried-and-True Text Resources to Teach Teens About Empathy Strategies for</u> <u>Implementation</u>
- <u>Guiding Students to Improve Executive Functioning Skills</u>
- <u>Emotional Regulation Activities for Tweens and Teens Strategies for</u> <u>Implementation</u>
- <u>Student Life Skills to Survive & Thrive During COVID-19 & Beyond</u>
- <u>Adult SEL Self-Assessment</u>

# Module 4: Understanding and Supporting Students Experiencing Adversity and Distress

- <u>Promoting Healthy Development</u>
- <u>Typical Child Development</u>
- Eating Disorders among Athletes

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- Identifying Student Distress
- <u>Signs of Student Distress and Age-Appropriate Interventions</u>
- <u>Recognizing Anxiety in Youth Webinar and Resource Document</u>
- <u>Warning Signs and Symptoms</u>
- Identifying Sources of Support for Students Experiencing Distress
- <u>Tips for Starting Mental Health Conversations</u>

### Module 5: The Impact of Trauma and Adversity on Learning and Behavior

- <u>ACES Facts</u>
- <u>About Child Trauma</u>
- <u>Toxic Stress 101</u>
- <u>Types of Trauma</u>

## Module 6: Classroom Strategies to Support Students Experiencing Distress

- <u>Co-Regulation: Birth to Young Adulthood</u>
- <u>Self-Regulation</u>
- <u>Nurturing My Mental & Emotional Health</u>