Support Through the Pyramid Model

Learn More About Our Approach to Social Emotional Well-Being

The Pyramid Model is a framework for supporting social and emotional development of children. The goal of the Pyramid Model is to create an environment where every child feels good about coming to school. This is accomplished by designing classrooms that promote engagement in learning and by building positive relationships among children, families and staff.

The Pyramid Model was developed by two national, federally-funded research and training centers: The Center for the Social and Emotional Foundations for Early Learning (CSEFEL) and Technical Assistance Center on Social Emotional Intervention for Youth Children (TACSEI). These centers' faculty represent nationally recognized researchers and program developers in the areas of social skills and challenging behavior. The Pyramid Model is a conceptual framework of evidence-based practices for promoting young children's healthy social and emotional development. The Pyramid Model builds upon a tiered public health approach to providing universal supports to all children to promote wellness, targeted services to those who need more support and intensive services to those who need them.

"I love our social/emotional curriculum, We Thinkers, as part of the Pyramid Model. It allows our students to better Intensive Intervention understand their emotions, behaviors and relationships with others." -Pearson Early Learning Center Targeted Social-Emotional School Psychologist, Cortney Olson Supports High-Quality Supportive Environments Nurturing & Responsive Relationships **Effective Workforce**



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PARENTING QUESTIONS? For parents with children, birth through third grade

Are you expecting or are caring for a child from birth - 3rd grade and would like to connect with a licensed Parent and Family Educator for support? Schedule a free, one-on-one visit with a licensed parent educator. The parent educator can respond to your parenting questions and share information on child development and community resources. Meet by phone, email, virtually using Google Meet, in your home or at Pearson Early Learning Center.

Discussion topics include:

- Setting up a daily routine
- At home activity ideas
- Questions about child development
- Behavior challenges (or finding positive ways to guide/teach your child)
- Sleep/bedtime challenges
- Eating/mealtime challenges
- Managing stress
- Family relationships and communication
- Community resources for families

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