



The Parents 4 Parents

Program provides parents with multiple resources that benefit the whole family.

The scope of the programs is vast and is capable of being designed to meet the individual family's needs:

- Parents 4 Parents Support Group
- Sibling Support Group
- Autism Spectrum Support Group

In addition to the groups, our family educators will work with you in getting assistance from the multiple agencies throughout Sullivan County. They are always there to assist you in getting the right help for your child even if you need help in...

- Navigating the CSE process
- Attending CSE meetings
- Resolving disputes and/or problems with school districts

“It’s good to be around other parents going through the same problems with their kids and knowing you’re not alone.”

Sadequa Steele

The Parents 4 Parents

Support Programs at Sullivan County BOCES are designed to serve the needs of the whole family of children with autistic or emotional, learning and/or behavioral challenges.

The staff supports, educates and empowers the families and children to advocate for themselves in a nurturing and supportive environment.



All programs are offered by Sullivan County BOCES

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Parents 4 Parents



Support One Another

Family Support Programs

Providing a nurturing and supportive environment for families with children who have autistic, emotional, learning and/or behavioral challenges.

Exchange Ideas

Support is just a phone call away
(845) 295-4040

Parents 4 Parents Support

The Parents 4 Parents groups offer support, information and resources to families parenting children and teens who are struggling with learning, emotional and/or behavioral issues. We also provide fun learning activities for your children while the adults are attending the meeting twice a month.

Meeting Details

Registration is required

**All groups meet at the
Rubin Pollack Education Center
at 52 Ferndale-Loomis Road,
Liberty in Room E-7**

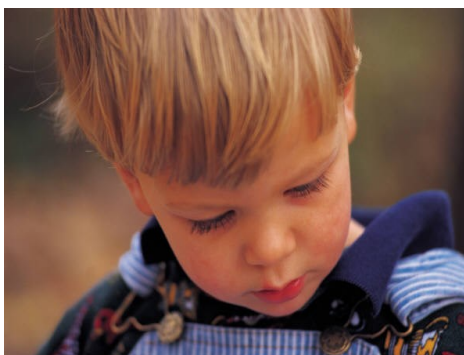
**Meetings take place on the
2nd* & 4th Tuesdays
of each month
from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.**

***Free transportation may be
arranged with prior notice.***

*** Autism Support is available**

Cancellations will be announced on
Thunder 102.1 / WSUL 98.3 / WVOS 95.9

Autism Spectrum Support Group



Parents 4 Parents have joined with Action Toward Independence, Inc. (ATI) to provide support for both parents and children. During the Adult meeting the children will be working with specially trained Sullivan ARC recreational staff. ATI will also provide Social Skills training sessions for children on the Autism Spectrum.

**The Autism Group
Meets on the
2nd Tuesday of the month.**

Registration is required!

For more information and to register,
please contact;

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We're here to help!



Parents 4 Parents offers telephone consultation for your convenience.

If we are not available at the time of your call, please leave a message and someone will get back to you by the next work day.



We are also available by e-mail.

Just send us an e-mail that includes your questions and/or concerns and we will get back to you.

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