

The Butte College Foster/Kinship Education Program  
**Presents: Trainer: Ronda Evans**



**Parenting the Special Needs Youth:  
The Explosive Child and Educational Advocacy**

**Dates: Thursday May 3 & Friday May 4, 2012**

**Repeated: Friday January 18 and Saturday January 19, 2013(New Location)**

**Time: 9am to 4pm (one hour lunch break)**

**Location: 2491 Carmichael Dr. Suite 300 Chico, 95928**

***Thursday May 3, 2012: Parenting the Explosive Child***

The specific areas that will be covered include:

- Appropriate parental expectations of children with special needs
- Can't vs. Won't and how to respond to each
- Specific parent interventions that help children be successful
- Helping children with maladaptive behaviors
- A pro-social skills model for parenting that is highly successful for children with a variety of special needs.
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Specifically dealing with children with explosive behaviors will be addressed. Ronda was trained in The "Explosive Child" intervention strategy by Stuart Ablon. The Explosive Child intervention model developed by Ablon/Green will be taught and demonstrated

***Friday May 4, 2012: Educational Advocacy***

The specific areas that will be covered include:

- The roadblocks to effective learning
- Resources available to your special needs child
- Learn school lingo, acronyms, abbreviations, etc.
- Navigating the school system
- IEP's and 504 Plans and determining eligibility
- Requesting testing/assessment
- "Discrepancy" and determination of eligibility for an IEP.
- Support, services and modifications you may ask for if your child qualifies for an IEP
- Preparing and advocating for your child's IEP meeting.

Please call Butte College Foster/Kinship Care Education at 530-897-6235 to sign-up for any of these classes. **If you are new to the program or have not attended training recently please arrive 15 minutes early to fill out mandatory paperwork or fill it out from the website and bring it with you.** [www.butte.edu/careerservices/fosterkinship/](http://www.butte.edu/careerservices/fosterkinship/)

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