

# Groups start soon

Contact Parentline to register, and to confirm venue and start date

> Phone 355 1655 or call free 0800 432 6459

# 'Parent Help'

Phone Support line Parenting support available 24 hours a day on 0800 568 856

### Supporting parents to care for children He tautoko i ngā mātua ki te manaaki tamariki

Need a listening ear?

Parentline offers confidential counselling. Whether it is support with a particular problem you are facing or whether you just need a place to sound things out, a counsellor can help you get perspective and reach solutions.

> **Open Hours:** Mon - Fri 9.30 - 3.00



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# **Blended Families**

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## **Blended Families**

Creating powerful possibilities within your new family

This workshop looks at the issues, expectations and possible strategies for improving life within a family made up of varying combinations of adults and children.

The workshop content enables couples to explore and discuss:

- Confusing terminologies
- Myths/Truths
- Values
- Parenting styles
- Children's styles
- Nuclear/Blended families/Models/ Developmental stages
- Communications tools
- Expectations/Emotions/Roles and strategies for change

#### **Format**

A one day workshop (usually a Saturday) 9.30 am to 4 pm.
A break for lunch on site will be taken.
Lunch is provided within the cost.

#### Cost

\$30 per couple (this includes lunch, course materials and refreshments)

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#### Other Parentline courses:

#### **Triple P Discussion Groups**

Two hour discussion groups on a range of topics. To help parents make decisions that work for their family through education and discussion.

#### **Triple P Teen Group**

For parents of teenagers. To help you do the best for your teenagers and have an enjoyable family life!

#### **Triple P General**

For parents of children aged 3-10 yrs. 5-6 group sessions over 6-8 weeks. Gives you support to help you manage your child's behaviour and become a more confident parent.

#### **Great Fathering**

A group for men committed to the care and well being of their children.

#### **Parenting Through Separation**

A 4 hour programme to help people, with children, who have separated or are thinking about separating.

#### **The Incredible Years**

To provide parents of children aged 3-8 with practical skills to build positive relationships and deal with challenging behaviour in everyday situations.

#### **Triple P Teen Discussion Groups**

In a relaxed 2.5hr group session, you will learn tips and suggestions for dealing with your teenager's problem behaviour.