

**REGISTRATION FORM**

(Please detach and return with registration fee.)  
*Please print & write clearly.*

**Name (as it appears on court records):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_

**State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Work Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**County case filed in:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of case:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\* Case number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Month/Year filed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Parent's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent filed the case (name):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your attorney:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ages of Child(ren):** \_\_\_\_\_

**City of COURSE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date ATTENDING:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADMIN USE ONLY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cash or Check:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**HOLD CERTIFICATE**

**\$55 FEE PER PARENT  
ATTENDANCE IS MANDATORY**

Personal checks **MUST** be received 6 business days before class to process the check. If in doubt, mail a money order. Do not send by Registered/Priority mail.

Please remember to add **an additional \$15 to your registration fee for each guest** that will be attending with you. Guests will NOT receive a certificate of completion.

**Make payable to:**

**CHILDREN 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Mail to:**

CHILDREN1st  
P.O. BOX 828  
Sergeant Bluff, IA 51054  
712-898-7186

A \$30.00 fee will apply for all returned checks.

Attendance is **REQUIRED** for both parents in all cases involving child custody or child visitation, including modification of custody and physical care.

Parents may attend together or separately.

“Children Cope with Divorce” is a four-hour educational course designed to help minimize the negative impact of divorce on children at a time when parents are naturally preoccupied with their own adjustments.

Recognizing that their joint roles as parents will continue to exist, the seminar helps parents begin to restructure their relationship and make appropriate plans for their children.

This program is copyrighted as CHILDREN COPE WITH DIVORCE - FAMILIES FIRST.

\*Personal checks must be received 6 days before class to process the check. If in doubt, mail a money order.

\*Not necessary to send by Registered/Priority mail. Registration is valid for **60 days** after payment.\*

**\*Ask your attorney if unsure of any required information.**

**WHAT TO DO**

1. **REGISTER:** Complete the registration form. Please complete **ENTIRELY**, including your **case number**. **Missing information will result in the inability to E-File.**

2. **MAIL:** At least 6 business days before class mail registration with payment as check, money order or cash to:

CHILDREN1st  
P.O. BOX 828  
Sergeant Bluff, IA 51054

3. **ATTEND** the class and receive a certificate of attendance. **NO CONFIRMATION** of registration will be sent to you. If you cannot attend the class for which you registered, your registration will apply at the class you attend at a later date.

**Bring photo ID**

**FEES:**

- The fee for the seminar is \$55 per parent. Registration with a personal check must be received 6 business days before class to process the check.
- Registrations with less than 6 business days before class must be paid by money order or cash upon arrival.
- **Reduced Fee:** A copy of Food Stamps, SSI or WIC **Dated Letter of Decision** (no other proof of income will be accepted) must be provided with the registration and \$25 fee, **PRIOR TO ATTENDING CLASS**. Cash or money order only. No personal check.
- **Fee Waved:** Parents receiving services from Legal Aid or have a pro-bono attorney pay no fee.
- Proof of services from Legal Aid or pro bono attorney provided by your attorney must be included with your registration **PRIOR TO ATTENDING CLASS**.
- **NO low-income fee or waived fee registration will be accepted the day of class.**
- **If you have any further questions please call:**  
**712-898- 7186**
- **DO NOT** call to register.
- **DO NOT** call to re-schedule.

CLASS SCHEDULE: ZOOM Meetings, computer preferred. Sign in 15 minutes before class time \*\*Look at class rules\*\*

### January 2021

Friday Jan 8<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Jan 16<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Jan 21<sup>st</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 1:15-5:45 pm

### February 2021

Friday Feb 5<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Feb 20<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### March 2021

Thursday Mar 4<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Friday Mar 12<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Mar 13<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Mar 20<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Mar 27<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### April 2021

Friday Apr 9<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Apr 10<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Apr 17<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:45 pm  
Saturday Apr 24<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### May 2021

Friday May 7<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday May 8<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday May 15<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday May 20<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### June 2021

Friday Jun 4<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Jun 5<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Jun 12<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Jun 19<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Jun 24<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm

### July 2021

Friday Jul 9<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Jul 10<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:45 pm  
Saturday Jul 17<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Jul 24<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Jul 29<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm

### August 2021

Friday Aug 6<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Aug 7<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Aug 14<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Aug 19<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Aug 21<sup>st</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### September 2021

Friday Sep 17<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Sep 18<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Sep 23<sup>rd</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Sep 25<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### October 2021

Friday Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Oct 14<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### November 2021

Friday Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Nov 6<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Saturday Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Nov 18<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Nov 20<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### December 2021

Saturday Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Friday Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm  
Thursday Dec 16<sup>th</sup> 6:00-10:00 pm  
Saturday Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 1:15-5:15 pm

### Class Rules

*ALL 2021 Classes will be presented live on ZOOM. Students will be required to register and pay in advance. Times and dates are as published in this brochure. Registration forms must be received 6 business days in advance to be valid for classes. Zoom invitations are sent the Day BEFORE the class to the email provided by 7pm. If students don't receive their invitation by 7:00pm the day before the class they may text 712-898-7186 between 7-9pm to notify the instructor. Students May NOT be in a car or in bed during the class. Students must be live on the call at all times during the class.*

**\*\*\*Anyone that leaves the meeting for ANY reason will be excused and have to retake-reregister- AND pay another fee!! This also applies to unruly students. Classes of five (5) students or less are subject to rescheduling. Students will be notified 24 hours in advance of any cancellation. \*\*\***

## 2021 Schedule Children Cope with Divorce

- Court approved course for divorcing and unmarried parents.
- Required by Code of Iowa section 598.15 and laws of other states.
- You are required to attend within 45 days of filing for divorce, modification or petition for custody/visitation.

**REGISTER:** Please mail complete registration and payment prior to attending.

**\*PLEASE DO NOT CALL TO REGISTER.**

**PREPARE:** Read as much as you can on the following sites and resources:

www.UpToParent.org & www.ProudToParent.org

swiamediationcenter.org P Forms. (sample parenting plan – 9 pages)

Iowa Judicial Branch P About the courts district courts – district 3- News Releases and Orders. (parenting plan check list and agreement – 4 pages)

### **Bring photo ID to class and present upon sign-in.**

Grandparents, friends, step-parents, relatives, (not other biological parent) can attend with you for an additional \$15.00 fee per person. Please include these additional fees to your registration when mailing it in.

**Name(s) of additional individual(s) that will be attending:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Relationship to me:** \_\_\_\_\_

This class is open to the public and is suitable for grandparents, step-parents, significant others as well as parents from other countries and states at an additional charge.

<https://www.children1st.net>