

# COMMON SENSE PARENTING

A Girls and Boys Town Program

Six two-hour training sessions. Call 225-8995 for starting date and time.

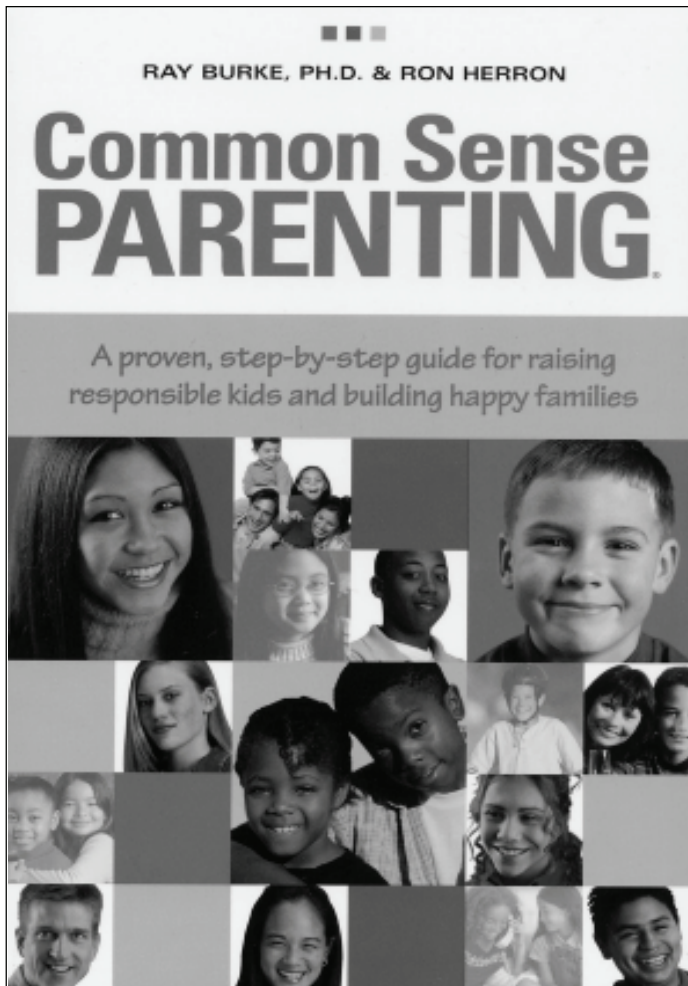
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Videos ♥ Role Playing ♥ Practicing New Skills in Class ♥ Home Assignments

Review Questions Commonly Asked by Parents

Certificate of Completion



Topics:

## **Parents as Teachers**

Punishment vs. Teaching  
Clear Messages  
Consequences...Positive and Negative

## **Effective Praise**

Responding When Children Do Well  
Kid-Related Approval

## **Preventive Teaching**

Learning to Avoid Situations  
Kid-Related Reasons  
Clear Expectations  
Staying Calm

## **Corrective Teaching**

Responding to Problem Behavior  
Acceptable Alternatives  
Sticking to One Issue  
Consistency

## **Teaching Self-Control**

Making Decisions  
Reaching Goals with Charts and Contracts  
Family Meetings  
The Media - Friends or Foes?  
Social Skills and Peer Pressure  
Helping Children Succeed in School

## **Putting It All Together**

Developing a Plan to Use Common Sense Parenting  
Practicing How and When to Use New Skills



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**\$120 for training, book and materials.  
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Childcare available upon request.

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