



Keeping UW-Madison Families Informed

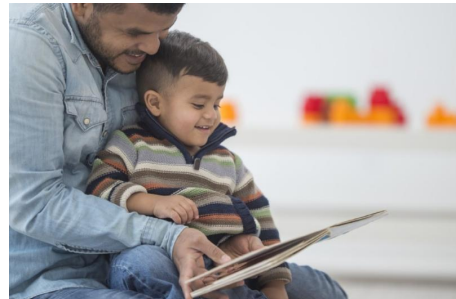
Our monthly newsletters are back! The purpose of our monthly Parent Newsletter is to keep UW-Madison parents connected and informed with happenings and resources on campus. I will include parenting tips, ideas, events, etc! Feel free to send me any information that you think other families would enjoy seeing in our newsletters!

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Family Tip of the Month

Read Aloud to Children Past Preschool

In a Washington Post article, author Amy Joyce explains that a new study by Scholastic asserts that while reading from "Day One" is important, "it shouldn't end when kids begin to read on their own. As they become independent readers, we tend to let them go, but even kids in older demographics love nothing more than that time with their parents...We're blown away that kids time and again said that the most special time they recall spending with a parent is reading together."



[Link to full article](#)



Work and Family Life Newsletter

Balancing job and personal responsibilities: Practical solutions for family, workplace and health issues

July-August 2017 Issue

Escape Adulthood: Tip of the Month

Everyone needs a bit less stress and more fun! Check out these fun tips from escapeadulthood.com. Get rid of [Adultitis](#) now!

Today's Tip: Get out the paints and markers. Blindfold your child and yourself and

create a masterpiece together. Don't worry about what it might look like or if you get paint or marker on each other. Just have fun! Then take off your blindfolds and talk about what you made! What does it look like to each of you? Hang it on the refrigerator to keep the conversation going for days!

ATWOODFEST

Things to do:

Atwood Fest: July 29-30

A great family friendly event happening this weekend on Madison's east side! They even have a KidsFest Stage! Check out the link for the schedule and location!

[Atwood Fest Information](#)

Fall 2017 CCTAP Application Now Available for Student Parents

If you are going to be a student parent this coming fall semester, please make sure you submit your CCTAP application soon! Funding is limited and awards are given on a first-come first-served basis.

[Click here to visit the CCTAP website!](#)

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