



Post Adoption Services
is Offering a Free Virtual Seminar
for Adoptive Parents and Professionals

**Talking about Race with Our Children:
A Developmental Approach**

Presented by Beth Hall, MA, Executive Director of Pact

Friday, May 7, 2021

9am-11am

A practical, developmentally grounded discussion, for parents and professionals working to support foster and adoptive parents who are parenting children of color, about personal adoption stories, adoptism, racism, and racial pride, in the context of the white supremacy that permeates their world and ours. We will explore how to introduce and expand conversations in a manner that is reflective of developmental stages. Participants will be presented with examples of what families, educators and scholars think about strategies for balancing race-based pride with the realities of oppression. Participants will be able to:

- Identify strategies for talking about race and adoption with children based on developmental milestones.
- Identify context for experiences when navigating conversations about race.
- Discuss the current context for supporting children in understanding white supremacy, trauma and loss, adoptism and race-based oppression.

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