

## What does FCE do?

- Books for Newborns
- Hygiene Kits for Vets
- Human Trafficking
- Scholarships for students
- Kaleidoscope of Learning
- Embroidery Floss to India and South Africa
- Develop Leaders for the Local, County, State and National Level
- CHARACTER COUNTS!® - Essay and Artwork Contest
- Family Community Leadership Training
- Various Community Service Projects



- Child Advocacy Day
- Lobbying for Seat Belt Laws and Rating on TV Programs
- Attend Various Meetings and/or Conferences at the Local, County, State, National and International Levels

## Find additional information about FCE:

- National FCE website: [www.nafce.org](http://www.nafce.org)
- Oregon FCE website: [www.Oregon-FCE.org](http://www.Oregon-FCE.org)
- Oregon FCE Facebook Page

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# AN INVITATION TO JOIN



Washington County  
Association for Family and  
Community Education (FCE)  
Study Groups



## WHAT ARE FCE STUDY GROUPS



- They are groups of friends and neighbors concerned with improving the quality of family and community life.
- Monthly lessons are taught by volunteer leaders. The lessons come from various sources; National FCE Hearth Fire series, National FCE Lessons, Oregon FCE Lessons, OSU Lessons and Individually Prepared Lessons.
- As a member of a Washington County FCE Study Group you also become a member of:
  - The Oregon Association for Family and Community Education.
  - The National Association for Family and Community Education.
  - The Associated Country Women of the World (ACWW)
- FCE Study Groups meet monthly in members' homes or community centers. Meeting times vary to accommodate different work schedules and family life styles.
- Members participate in community service projects.



## Examples of FCE Study Group Lessons:

- Human Trafficking
- Talking With Your Doctor
- Advance Directives
- Hope on the Horizon
- V is for Very Valuable Volunteers
- Cooking for One or Two
- Water... Precious Water
- Mom's Tool Box
- Flag Protocol
- Now I've Got It... Where do I Put It (Important Papers)
- Our Love Affair with Salt
- Disaster Preparedness
- How do I Manage My Obesity?
- Power Point Basics
- Understanding Parliamentary Procedures (Roberts Rules of Order)
- Grandparents Raising Grandchildren
- Cyberbullying and Sexting
- Electronic Scams and Frauds
- Managing Your Arthritis
- Forgetfulness or Alzheimer's?
- Show Me the Power of Foods
- Why Should Love Hurt (Abuse)?
- Here's To a Healthy Heart
- Money, Money, Money (Finances)
- Loving the Men in Your Life
- How do we Talk About Autism
- Serving on a Board (Leadership)
- Buying Safe Food
- Making Eye-catching Brochures and Displays



## How do I sign up to join FCE?

- Obtain a membership form by contacting any of the officers of Washington County FCE or one of the Study Groups. You can also contact any of the members of either of the Study Groups. A membership form can also be found on the Oregon FCE website [www.Oregon-FCE.org](http://www.Oregon-FCE.org).
- Fill out the membership form and return it to the Treasurer of the Study Group you are joining through.
- Pay the yearly combined dues for National FCE, Oregon FCE, Washington County FCE and your local FCE Study Group.
  - Please NOTE: New members and some other members may qualify for a Keeper's Corner Membership Scholarship. Forms can be obtained from any FCE member or found at [www.Oregon-FCE.org](http://www.Oregon-FCE.org)



Strengthening individuals, families and communities through continuing education, developing leadership and community action.

Membership in the Washington County Association for Family and Community Education is open to all persons without regard to sex, race, color, ethnic background or economic circumstances.