

Kent CAN Agenda

December 12, 2018
1:00-3:00
Coldwater Room

Facilitator – Alissa Hofstee

Administrative Support – Lori Matthews

Grant Coordinator – Jennifer Murchison

Peer to Peer Coach – Jennifer Amorose & Scott Bont

PD with Impact Coach - Lindsey Nicholson

Family and Community Supports – Jill Kreuze

Transition Supports - Kim Norman & Liz Ensing

Our Mission: To build a comprehensive model for identification, training, shared resources, and effective practices which promotes collaboration and consistency between families, educators, and community partners in support of our students with ASD.

Our Philosophy Supports:

- Multi-disciplinary collaboration
- Services that are individualized and utilize evidence-based interventions and strategies
- Intervention driven by the student's present level and ongoing assessment
- Use of positive behavior support and proactive approaches to address challenging behaviors
- Inclusion of families and community partners as critical team members
- Continuous improvement of programs and services based on current data
- Focusing on opportunities in integrated environments

Calendar

Kent CAN RCN Leadership Meeting Dates

**All meetings are held from 1:00-3:00 pm unless otherwise noted.*

- **September 19, 2018 ESC**
- **October 24, 2018 ESC**
- **January 23, 2019 ESC**
- **February 20, 2019 ESC**
- **March 20, 2019 ESC**
- **May 15, 2019 ESC**

Additional START and Kent CAN Trainings and Conferences:

Anyone wishing to attend a START training should contact Lori Matthews (lorimatthews@kentisd.org) for registration via Kent CAN.

- Asperger Module, January 29 & 30, 2019, Van Buren ISD, Lawrence
- Using the Peers Model as a Basis For Teaching Social Skills to Teens With ASD, February 8, 2019, Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center, East Lansing
- 18th Annual START Conference, April 29, 2019, Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center, East Lansing
- 2019 Spring RCN Leadership Day, April 30, 2019 Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center, east Lansing Additional START information can be found at the Grand Valley website: <http://www.gvsu.edu/autismcenter/>
- Self-Management, May 8, 2019, Van Buren ISD, Lawrence

Agenda Items

Introduction of Kent CAN 18-19 membership

Review of Survey and Communication Planning

Trainings and Program Updates

Presentations:

Overview of START

Transition for Students with ASD

Peer to Peer Programs

Evidence Based Practices for Students with ASD

Family and Community Involvement