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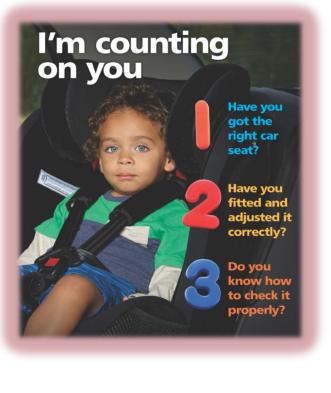


Do you or someone you know need a car seat or have questions about your seat? For more information, please contact Karen Pacheco at 910-296-2000 on Monday - Friday from 8:30 am - 4:00 pm.

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# The SCOOP on Managing Stress

S	Stay connected to family and friends.	Social connections build resiliency.
С	Compassion for yourself and others.	Self-compassion decreases trauma symptoms and stress.
0	Observe your use of substances.	Early intervention can prevent problems.
0	Ok to ask for help.	Struggling is normal. Asking for help is empowering.
Ρ	Physical activity to improve your mood.	Exercise boosts mood and lowers anxiety.

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# Sepa cómo controlar el estrés recordando las iniciales SCOOP

S	Siempre manténgase en enlace con familiares y amigos.	Los lazos sociales ayudan a desarrollar resiliencia.
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 bondad hacia usted mismo y los demás.
disminuye los síntomas de trauma y estrés.
Observe cuál es su consumo de sustancias problemáticas.
La intervención temprana puede prevenir dificultades.

OK, siempre está bien pedir ayuda. La lucha es algo normal. Pedir ayuda da empoderamiento.

Practique actividad física para mejorar su estado de ánimo.

El ejercicio sube el estado de ánimo y reduce la ansiedad.

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## Black History

### Month

Black History Month honors the impacts African Americans have made to U.S. history. Here are some interesting facts about the month itself:

### The Origins



It began as "Negro History Week," created in 1926 by Carter G. Woodson, a noted African American historian, scholar, educator, <u>E</u> *February* and publisher.

#### BIRTH OF THE MONTH

The idea to turn the week into a month first came from the Black Student Union at Kent State University. It did not became a monthlong celebration until 1976.

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different theme. This as originally set by Carter G. Woodson to help focus the attention of the public. They are not intended to restrict the celebration of the history, but its purpose is to shine a light on important topical issues.

#### **Other Nations** Celebrate Too

Canada also celebrates in February. The U.K. celebrates the month in October

It was chosen to coincide with Frederick Douglass's and Abraham Lincoln's birthdays.

In 1940's, African American community began increasing their 🧧 efforts to expand the study of black history in schools. During the Civil Rights Movement in the South, certain school added Black history into the curriculum with the hopes of advancing social change.





Pulled from www.beactivekids.org

#### World's Easiest Chicken Taco Soup

A healthy and delicious chicken soup for quick weeknight din-

ners.

#### Ingredients

- Breast meat from a rotisserie chicken shredded
- 4 cups of low-sodium chicken broth
- 1 15-ounce can of black beans drained and rinsed
- 1 8.75-ounce of can corn drained
- 1 10-ounce can of green enchilada sauce
- 1 14.5-ounce can diced tomatoes with green chilies

#### Toppings

- 5 tablespoons of sour cream
- 1 1/4 cup of shredded sharp cheddar cheese
- Green onions thinly sliced
- Fritos or tortilla chips crushed

#### Directions

- 1. Combine ingredients to a large pot and simmer.
- 2. Serve and mix in cheese and sour cream.
- 3. Add additional toppings.





# P Trainings, Updates & News

Training	Date	Туре	Cost	Deadline to Register
First Aid & CPR	02/09/21	Face To Face Duplin Commons	\$40.00	Pay the night of the training.
ITS SIDS	02/18/21	Virtual	\$5.00	02/16/21



Friendly Reminder

Immunization reports are due! For more information, please contact Rose Kornegay at 910-296-2130.

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