



KYDaD “Testimonials”

“Empowerment is the word I can use to describe this program!”

“The biggest prayer I could ask for...ever since this program, the flood gates opened, confidence came back, joy came back.”

“I used this for my fight to get joint custody, but as time went on, I grew fond of everybody, and I learned a lot of things that I did not know...it helped me grow up.”

“When I set out on this journey, I was locked up. This was such a huge blessing for me. I never dreamed that I would be this far.”

“I got to share a side of my story that nobody knew before today that lifted a weight off of my heart. I know it was understood because these fellow men have been in my shoes.”



Commonwealth
Center for
Fathers &
Families

The Commonwealth Center for Fathers and Families (CCFF) is an emerging non-profit organization that seeks to improve child outcomes and enhance families and communities through increasing positive fatherhood engagement across Kentucky. We will do so by ensuring services are available to fathers and families to increase responsible fatherhood THROUGHOUT THE COMMONWEALTH.



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A FELLOWSHIP FOR FATHERS ACROSS KENTUCKY





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-ROY LESSIN



WHAT IS KYDaD ACADEMY

What?

KYDad Academy is a 6 week, 10-module training intensive covering a range of topics such as engagement, communication, advocacy, policy, and capacity building through facilitated instructional sessions from experienced leaders, organizers, and advocates for responsible fatherhood.

The Objectives

- 1) To educate and empower fathers to take an active role in the lives of their children, families, and communities
- 2) To establish and convene a core group of men to serve as ambassadors for father engagement throughout the Commonwealth

WHEN IS KYDaD ACADEMY?

There are two cohorts per year:

- 1) Spring
- 2) Summer

WHERE IS KYDaD ACADEMY?

The first and last sessions will be held in Lexington, KY. All other sessions are hosted virtually on **ZOOM**.

*Expenses for room and travel to Lexington will be provided.



**DADS CAN EARN
UP TO \$1500**

WE VALUE DADS WITH EXPERIENCE OF ALL KINDS:

LIVED
EXPERIENCE

CHILD
SUPPORT

CUSTODY

RECOVERY

REUNIFICATION

RE-ENTRY

WORKFORCE

RELATIONSHIPS

**Selected participants are paid per session with the possibility of attending a financial course for additional pay.*