

# **WESTERN/PLEASANT HILL 0-3 PREVENTION INITIATIVE**

## **PROGRAM**

The 0-3 program provides parents with training & support to enhance their child's development. It lays the foundation for school success & reduces the chance of developmental delays. It is a grant funded/FREE program for all participants.

### **SERVICES INCLUDE:**

**\*Prenatal** – updated information during pregnancy

**\*Developmental Assessment Screening** – To assess the child's growth & development

**\*Personal Visits** – Provides parent/child activities, information on child development & family support.

**\*Group Encounters/Workshops** – Offered in the 0-3 classroom located at the Western Junior High building in Kinderhook and the Pleasant Hill Pre-K room in Pleasant Hill. These events provide age appropriate activities that stimulate growth & socialization skills.

**\*Library Time** - Activities/ book reading at the Barry/Pleasant Hill Public Library on a monthly basis to support our community & literacy.

### **OTHER SERVICES:**

**\*Parent Lending Library**

**\*Book & Toy Lending Library**

**\*Monthly Calendars & Newsletters**

Childhood is full of opportunity. Research indicates that children's earliest years are a critical time for learning. What we do to assist our children in reaching their full potential paves the way for future school success. For more information contact Kathleen Schlueter, Western Early Childhood Coordinator, at Western Junior High 432-8324 Ext. 2

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD MISSION STATEMENT**

The Western Early Childhood programs are parent focused partnership. They are designed to assist families develop effective parenting skills & support. The programs cover education, health, & social services. The goal of the program is to give families the tools & opportunities to grow with their child.