



Upcoming Virtual Trainings/Meetings:

Contact your therapist or Ken Summers at Ksummers@thebabyfold.org for more information about Parent Support Groups:

- ❖ **Tuesday Night Parent Support group:** Provides education and support related to parenting, trauma, and self-care within the context of adoption and foster care. Meets 2x a month.
- ❖ **Wednesday Daytime group:** Provides education and support related to parenting, trauma, and self-care within the context of adoption and foster care. Meets 2x a month.
- ❖ **Mom's Support group:** Primarily focuses on support, celebrating successes and sharing/discussing challenges. Meets 1x a month.
- ❖ **Dads Sharpen Dads:** A safe place for dads to share their unique challenges, as well as education and support for each other to be their very best. Meets 1x a week.

Other Resources (click on the link embedded in the title to see the video):

1. [How Do I Handle Manipulation and Control?](#)
2. [How Do I Handle Lying?](#)
3. [Lying](#)

TBRI Tip of the Month

"My goal is to teach my child skills for life through honest communication with trust and integrity."

-- Dr. Karyn Purvis

[Lying, Manipulation and Control](#)

"The two primary errors I see with parents when their children lie is that they either overreact or they don't react at all. And neither one of those is an appropriate response. We need to do a balance of responsiveness and proactively addressing those needs as parents who are teaching our children patterns for life." – Dr Karyn Purvis

Questions to ask yourself about correcting lying:

1. Do I have my own emotions and feelings under control?
2. Am I willing to give choices to my child?
3. Does my reaction fit the child's behavior?
4. Am I willing to see past the lie to find the cause of the behavior?
5. Do I celebrate the good in my child?



THE BABY FOLD **PARENT SUPPORT GROUP**

**1ST AND 3RD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH
8-9PM**

EMAIL EMILY BACKODE AT EBACKODE@THEBABYFOLD.ORG OR
CARLEY JACOBI AT CJACOBI@THEBABYFOLD.ORG FOR MORE
INFORMATION

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if you do not know the way yourself.”**

-- Dr. Karyn Purvis



THE BABY FOLD
VIRTUAL PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

WEDNESDAYS BEGINNING 10/19
11:30 – 12:30PM

EMAIL FOR MORE INFORMATION
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Dads Sharpen Dads

"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another."

The Baby Fold

Dad's Support Group

Monday evenings starting

July 18, 2022 7:15–8:15 pm

Email Ken Summers at ksummers@thebabyfold.org

for a Zoom link!

" If we can communicate to our children,
It's you and me against your history,

We have a strong place to begin."

Dr. Karyn Purvis