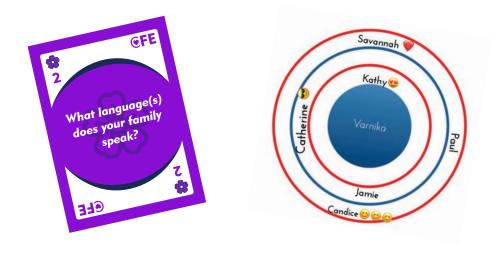
FIND AND SUPPORT THOSE WHO ARE EARLY CHAMPIONS AND BELIEVE IN CFE.



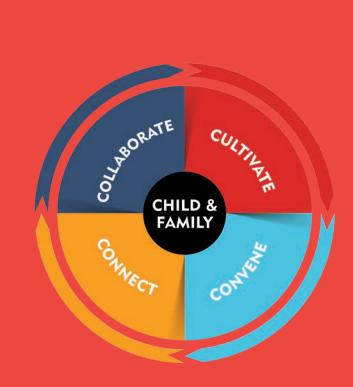
They are key in gaining buy-in from others and driving the work forward.



CFE TOOLS AND ACTIVITIES AREN'T JUST FOR KIDS!

They can and should be done with children, youth, parents, and family members.

TOP 10 LESSONS LEARNED FROM 10 YEARS OF CFE



THE 4CS AND CORE
VALUES OF CFE ARE
UNIVERSAL AND
GUIDE THE WORK
NO MATTER WHERE
YOU ARE.

CFE practices may look different across Texas.

BUILDING STRONGER CONNECTIONS.

There are many ways to engage families, and all approaches can work together to support the family.





CONNECTIONS TRANSCEND DISTANCE.

There are many ways for family to offer connection and support across distance. Love does not require close proximity.



FAMILY MEETINGS ARE AT THE HEART OF CFE.

They can happen outside of the CPS/SSCC timeline, and CFE ensures that more people attend, offering more support for both the child and the parents.



TRAINING IS ONGOING, BUT THE BEST WAY TO LEARN CFE IS TO DIVE IN.

Give the tools a try and make them your own to really understand how they work.



DOCUMENTING CFE ACTIVITIES IS CRUCIAL AND IMPORTANT FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE PROCESS.

The more CFE activities a child and family receive the more likely they are to have better outcomes.

CFE SUCCESS COMES IN MANY FORMS.

Whether it's big, like reunification or finding relatives, or smaller, like building trust or learning new information, every success is valuable and worth celebrating and sharing.





WHICH CHILD DESERVES TO BE CONNECTED?

All children! Every child and family deserved a lifetime network of support and connections.

