

Celebrating World Behavior Analysis Day

For the second year, behavior analysts around the world will be celebrating the science of behavior analysis in March. The celebration will begin March 14 and last until the annual *World Behavior Analysis Day* on March 20, 2022. March 20 is significant because it is B.F. Skinner's birthday. Skinner is the founder of contemporary behavior analysis. To learn more about him and his scientific accomplishments, [click here!](#)

The 2022 theme for the celebration is "Together in 1 science" – a reference to the fact that the science of behavior applies to everyone: all persons and populations worldwide. Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) can improve the quality of life for all of us because...we all behave.

At Touchstone ABA, we rely on the science of behavior to help your loved ones have more options in life and to increase independence; ABA is most known for its effectiveness in teaching persons with autism but there are many other areas that ABA has shown to be helpful to improve people's lives. ABA can help people live healthier lives, increase learning for all students, help employees work safer, stick to medical recommendations, decrease delinquency, help the elderly remain independent longer, and *many* others. ABA can also help people anywhere- in homes, schools, clinics and centers, hospitals, and in the community and workplace. To learn more about the many uses of behavior analysis, [click here.](#) Watch a 3-minute video on World Behavior Analysis Day!

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UPCOMING FAMILY GROUP MEETINGS

Lafayette- March 30, 2:00pm in person

New Orleans SMSS- March 24, 6:30pm in person

Houma/Thib- March 23, 9:30am online and 2:30pm in person

Hammond – March 24, 8:30am in person

Baton Rouge Pre-K- March 17, 8:45am in person

Baton Rouge School-aged- April 4, 8:45am in person

In -person meetings: please wear a mask and practice social distancing, please refrain from attending if you have any symptoms of illness

Online: Angie Lanoux will send a ZOOM link prior to the meeting
We look forward to seeing you!



NEW PHONE SYSTEM!

Touchstone will soon start using a new automated phone service to help our families reach support faster.

Be on the lookout for an email from Angie Lanoux regarding the new Touchstone automated phone service. The new phone service will include options for you to directly contact someone based on your need, such as family support, authorizations and billing, or immediate assistance. We are excited to improve our efficiency in meeting family needs!



TO OUR NEW FAMILIES!

Please email Mary Johnson or Janice Huber to schedule your New Family orientation!

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