



*A group for kids in 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades who have been impacted by a friend or loved one's substance use or addiction.*

We are pleased to offer *Kids of Promise*, a curriculum-based support group offered through Caron's Student Assistance Program and Scituate FACTS. Students impacted by a friend or loved one's substance use or addiction. It is voluntary for students and caregiver permission is required to participate. During the 8- week course, your student will meet via Zoom with the group facilitated by Tasha Thomas from Caron. ***Kids of Promise will meet virtually once per week on Thursdays from 4:00-4:45pm on: 3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12, and 5/19.*** The group's focus will be: positive self-esteem building, healthy communication skills, relationship building (parents, siblings, peers, etc.), healthy coping skills and decision making, alcohol and drug prevention, and helping students identify feelings associated with loved ones who may be suffering from substance use disorder. If you have any questions, please contact Lindsay Newton, Gates Adjustment Counselor, (781) 545-8760, ex 21109, or Jen Lopes, Scituate High School Adjustment Counselor (781) 545-8750 x102.

I \_\_\_\_\_, give my permission for  
\_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the virtual *Kids of Promise* group.

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date

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Parent/Guardian Name Printed

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Phone Number

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Student Signature

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