



## West Pierce Fire & Rescue



Dear Parent or Guardian,

Your son/daughter has shown an interest in participating in the upcoming Safe Sitter program being offered by West Pierce Fire & Rescue. Safe Sitter is a 13-hour course and your son/daughter must attend both days in order to receive their course completion card. In order for your son/daughter to participate in this nationally recognized program you will need to register them right away.

Only 24 slots are available for this course.      Registration Deadline: July 7th

Class Dates: July 12th, 13th, & 14th 2016 (3-day class) Attendance is required on all days to receive  
Class Times: 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM      course completion card.  
Class Location: West Pierce Fire & Rescue Station 20  
10928 Pacific Hwy. SW  
Lakewood, WA 98499

SAFE SITTER is a medically accurate program that teaches boys and girls age 11 to 13 how to handle emergencies when caring for young children.

SAFE SITTERS learn:

- \* What to do when a child stops breathing or chokes
- \* How to call for emergency help
- \* Basic child care essentials—diapering, feeding, etc.
- \* How to entertain children and keep them safe

Young children cannot always communicate their needs or protect themselves. The babysitter must be able to handle whatever situation arises.

In order to register your son/daughter please fill out the enclosed registration form and student contract and return it with payment.

Cost: \$40 (checks only please)  
Checks payable to: West Pierce Fire & Rescue  
Mail checks to: 3631 Drexler Drive West, Suite B, University Place, WA 98466

The \$40 fee covers materials for the class and snacks.

For more information about this program contact:  
Michelle Johnson at 253-983-4553 or [michelle.johnson@westpierce.org](mailto:michelle.johnson@westpierce.org)



# REGISTRATION FORM

Class Dates: **July 12th - 14th (Three-day class)**  
 Registration Deadline: **July 7th**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone:(Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Name student wants to be called in class \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Student must be at least 11 years old.*

**Dear Parent or Guardian:**

In the Safe Sitter course, a great deal of information is presented in a short period of time. Some children are unable to keep up with the pace. Because we want every child to succeed in the class, we will work with you to make alternate plans if your child has difficulty keeping up.

I will take responsibility for deciding whether my child is capable and mature enough to baby-sit. \_\_\_\_\_ YES

Is there anything about your child that you'd like to share with us before the class?

**Attendance**

I understand the importance of having my child attend each class session on time and picking them up promptly at the end of each class. \_\_\_\_\_ YES

**Mannequin Practice**

The Safe Sitter class includes practice of rescue skill on CPR mannequins. Strict standards for controlling infection are followed in using the mannequins.

I agree not to send my child to class if he/she has a contagious illness. \_\_\_\_\_ YES

I give permission for my son/daughter to practice on the mannequins. \_\_\_\_\_ YES

**Emergency Medical Permission**

In the event of a health emergency. I authorize **WPER** (site) to take my child to

\_\_\_\_\_ hospital and authorize treatment by the doctor on call. In the event of any

accident or health problem which may require the attention of a physician, I may be contacted at (phone)

\_\_\_\_\_ .

If I am not available, \_\_\_\_\_ may be contacted and is authorized to act in behalf of my

child. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Photographic Release**

I consent and authorize **WPER** (site) to use and reproduce photographs/videos taken of my child during Safe Sitter class for publicity purposes. \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of parent/guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

*Safe Sitter assumes no responsibility for the acts or omissions of Safe Sitter graduates.*

