



# BOSS Club Registration Building Our Social Skills

(Deadline January 25)

FUSE is pleased to offer our new BOSS after school social skills program at your school for the 2019 spring semester, made possible by a Big Impact Grant from the Hancock County Community Foundation. BOSS (Building our Social Skills) is a social skills development program available to students in grades 3 to 8 as an after school program. Well-developed social skills are important because good social skills can positively influence academic performance, behavior, social and family relationships, and participation in extracurricular and community activities. BOSS will provide instruction in skills that all children need to have successful social interactions with their peers, teachers and neighbors. Interested families must complete an application and skills rating form, as well as have a skills rating completed by a school or private medical or therapy professional. To be eligible, students must show needs in at least 3 of the instructional areas, which include: communication, non-verbal communication, being part of a group, expressing your feelings, caring about yourself and others, problem solving, listening, standing up for yourself, and managing conflict. Rating forms from the parent and one professional should be returned with the application form. Students may have an IEP, a 504 plan, or be referred from a school or other related professional (simply by returning a completed skills rating form for the student).

**Registration:** Enrollment is limited to 8 participants per site. Deadline to register is January 25. A waiting list will be maintained once the class is full. Families will be notified of application approval by January 30.

**Fee:** \$180 per semester, payable in full or in installments by automatic debit with a credit card. A small number of scholarships will be available based on financial need. Scholarship application available by request. Approval for scholarships may take up to two weeks. Scholarships are subject to fund availability.

**Schedule:** Once a week for 12 weeks, starting the first full week of February (excluding school holidays). Program day depends upon which school your child attends. Contact FUSE to confirm the day of the week for your school. Specific schedules will be distributed on the first day of the program. BOSS runs for 75 minutes after the school day ends at your site. Parents are responsible for pick up.

**Application forms and two (2) ratings forms may be returned by email to [darland@fuseinc.org](mailto:darland@fuseinc.org), by fax to 317-467-0814, or mailed to FUSE, Inc., 1133 W Main St. Ste. E, Greenfield, IN 46140.**

For questions, call Denise Arland, Executive Director, at 317-462-9064 or email [darland@fuseinc.org](mailto:darland@fuseinc.org).

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**Clip and Return with two completed ratings forms (one parent, one professional) to:**

Email form to [darland@fuseinc.org](mailto:darland@fuseinc.org) or fax 317-467-0814, or mail to FUSE, Inc., 1133 W Main St. Ste. E, Greenfield, IN 46140.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Tee Shirt Size \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (Mobile) \_\_\_\_\_ (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Can we send program text messages to your mobile phone? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Names \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Email: \_\_\_\_\_

School attending 2018-19 school year \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have an IEP or 504 plan? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ (If not, referral is needed from school or other professional)

Child's eligibility for services or diagnosis (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ I will pay the full \$180 semester fee in January    \_\_\_\_ I want to pay in installments    \_\_\_\_ I need a scholarship application

I hereby grant permission for my son/daughter to participate in the activities of the above-named FUSE program. Further, I agree to hold harmless and release FUSE, Inc. and its employees, officers, directors or agents, from any and all liability, claims, and actions arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by the participant. I also hereby grant permission for FUSE to use program photos of my child for promotional purposes in written publications or electronic media. If photo permission is not granted, express direction shall be noted below my signature on this document.

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