



Rainbow Riders PTA Parent Lecture Series Presents:

Screen Time for Children

Thursday, February 27, 2020

6:00 – 7:00 PM

Facilitated by Dr. Koeun Choi

Koeun Choi is an Assistant Professor of Human Development and Family Science. She directs the Cognitive Developmental Science (CoDeS) Lab at Virginia Tech. Her work connects cognitive development and technology to explain and support young children's learning. Her involvement in interdisciplinary research has covered a diverse set of topics on children and emerging technologies, including eye-tracking experiments that examine the impact of mobile media on visual attention, the collection of behavioral and neuroimaging data to investigate how children learn with humanoid robots, and studies that explore the link between family stress and early screen time.

For this presentation, Dr. Choi will share some of the insights from her research, cover the following questions, and will leave time for other discussion.

- "Screen time" - what does this mean and what do we know about impacts? What are the pros and cons?
- What age should we expose our children to digital media?
- What time limits should be in place at various ages?
- What are the best and worst types of programming for my child at various ages?
- How is marketing influencing my child?
- What kind of impact does violence in media have on my child? What does violence look like in children's programming?

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