



Grief Support in Schools

The Academy offers support to students and staff in schools at all grade levels (pre K-12) through our **School Grief Groups**, **Grief Response** and **Professional Training**. Please call the Hamilton's Academy of Grief and Loss at (515) 697.3666 for more information or if you are a professional seeking grief support in your school.

School Grief Groups

- The Academy offers school grief groups for school-aged students, providing grieving students the opportunity to connect with their peers as they learn and grow through their grief together at school.
- The six-week curriculum aims to help children understand and normalize their own grief experiences, while also providing tools for coping.
- This service is offered free of charge to any school (pre K-12) in the community.

Grief Response after a Death

- The Academy is available to respond when a death occurs in the school community.
- The Academy provides and facilitates grief support in a group setting to students and staff alike.
- This service is offered free of charge to any school (pre K-12) in the community.

Professional Training

- The Academy offers training to school faculty and staff for any grade level.
- Training will equip school staff to help grieving children, providing education centered on developmental considerations and practical suggestions for supporting children in grief.
- Professional Training is based on a sliding fee scale.

Printable Resources

- The Academy is pleased to offer a variety of printable resources pertaining to children and grief, as well as grief support in schools. You may view/print these resources from our website: www.HamiltonsFuneralHome.com