

# Letting Go: Time to Land the Helicopter

The Letting Go: Time to Land the Helicopter workshop examines the importance of encouraging independence in a child. The workshop also discusses how hard it can be for parents to step back and offer the increasing levels of freedom to the child to allow the child to develop that independence. Finally, the training offers some ideas for parents in learning how to let go in a constructive fashion.



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**When:** Thursday February 2, 2017  
10:00 noon – 12:00 noon CST

**Where:** PAEC Florida Buy Classroom  
(this is the small building on the north end of the parking lot)  
753 West Boulevard, Chipley, Florida 32428

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