

“Children carry more between home and school than lunch and a backpack. Working together we can lighten their load.”

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National Association of School Psychologists

# Kaleidoscope

*Helping students in our community with grief and loss.  
Providing education to school counselors, teachers, and personnel.*

The Hospice of Lenawee Bereavement Department has developed a school-based program called *Kaleidoscope* to reach students who have suffered a significant loss. The name *Kaleidoscope* symbolizes a series of changing events that occur after experiencing a loss. The loose pieces of colored glass reflect the changing patterns of life's journey, as each transition fosters life's new perspective.

Recognizing that grief can have a major impact on learning, processing thoughts, and retaining information, *Kaleidoscope* provides accessible grief and loss services to students who cannot easily visit the Hospice of Lenawee office. We also provide education to teacher and school personnel, as they can be most influential in our children's lives.

It is a universal goal to provide each student with the tools and supports necessary to becoming a healthy productive adult upon graduation: mind, body, and spirit. *Kaleidoscope* aims to partner with school systems to address the needs of grieving children and create a safe haven conducive for learning. We provide:

- 1 Grief Education materials
- 2 Individual grief counseling in the school environment
- 3 Grief groups
- 4 Teacher Inservice/Grief Education

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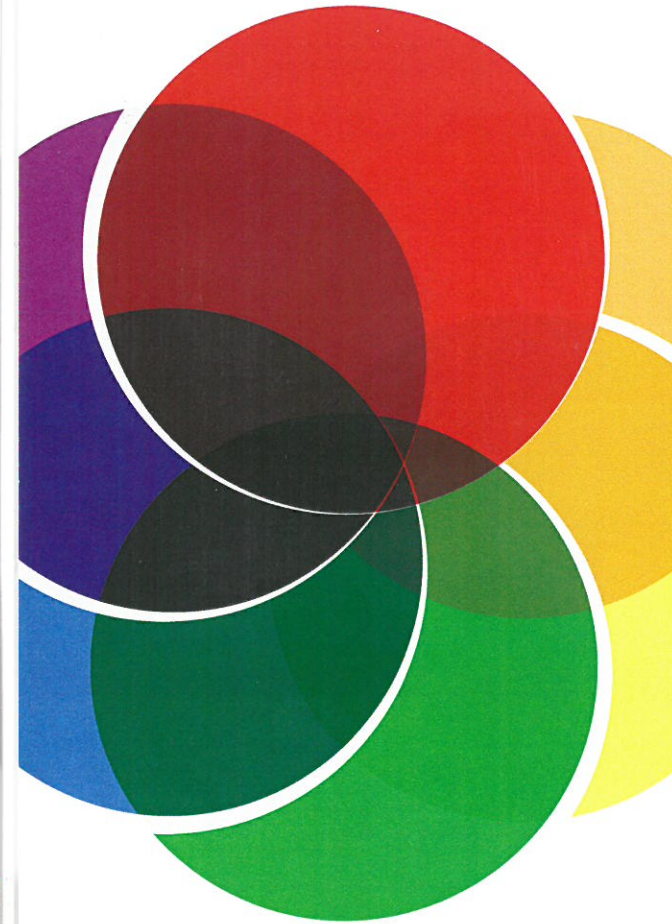
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