## Bold and Beautiful: Fostering Self-Esteem and

 Resilence in Teen GirlsPresentation by Ara Mascarenas, M.S Registered Mental Health Counseling Intern


- M.S. in Clinical Mental Health Counseling
- Experience in diverse clinical settings: schools, clinics, and outpatient services


## What I do:

- Treat behavior issues, ADHD, Depression, Anxiety, low self-esteem, life transitions, and trauma
- Foster healthy development
- Promote social-emotional learning
- Enhance executive functioning skills
- Provide parenting tools \& education

My focus: Children and adolescents aged 4 to 18, as well as young adults

Bilingual in Spanish \& English

## Hi, I'm Ara!

## Mental Health Counseling Intern



## The inspiration for the

group


- Issues with interacting in groups and making friends
- Strong emphasis on social media
- Wanting connection but not sure how to foster it
- Negative view of themselves
- Comments on body image $\mathcal{\&}$ emphasis on beauty


## What we will cover

## Session 1: Introduction

Make all members familiar with each other and make them feel comfortable with one another.

## Session 2: Self-Esteem

Explore the definition of self-esteem, bring awareness to it, and have open discussions.

## Session 3: Beauty.

Explore the ever-changing definition of "ideal" beauty and body. Learn how to view the self and others through more than just appearances.

## Session 4: Social \& Digital Media

 Understand how media is presenting women and explore how it is utilized to communicate.
## Session 5: Friendships \& communication

Encourage girls to resolve conflicts in a healthy way and learn effective communication strategies.


## Logistics

The group is from June 26th - July 31st $\uparrow$
Virtual \& In -person Mondays in person at 3:00 pm Thursdays virtually at 2:00 pm 5 sessions total

60-minute sessions $\uparrow$ One-time payment of $\$ 200 \uparrow$

01 Register now or by June 23rd

02 Receive and sign documentation

03 Secure a spot!
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