



"Black hair does not require special care. It simply requires care, like anyone else's hair."

~ Tami,
What Tami Said blog

African and African-American Hair Care Workshop

(3 Part Series: Aug. 31, Sept. 14 & 28, 6-8pm)

Adoption Mosaic would like to extend a special thank you to the wonderful owners and stylists at The Jayah Rose Salon, a full service salon and spa, for the use of their space and their commitment to helping us make this workshop a success!

Being a parent has its own set of challenges, without having to worry about how to properly "do hair." Many transracial adoptive parents have little resources or experience to know how to appropriately care for their African or African-American child's hair. Like any hair that's different from our own (no two heads of hair are alike!), we simply need to learn how best to care for hair based on its type (curly, wavy, kinky), just the same as we do for ourselves. It's a lot easier than you may think!

Join Adoption Mosaic and The Jayah Rose Salon for a hands-on, fun, informative workshop about caring for our black children's hair.

In this three part series, we'll cover:

August 31:

- Intro to hair
 - History of cultural attitudes (there is no such thing as bad hair)
 - Hair care basics: determining your child's hair type
 - Washing, drying, and basic styling
 - Products and where to purchase them
 - Resources and Q&As

September 14:

- Quick Styles for Busy Parents
- Basic Braiding
- Q&As

September 28:

- Skin Care Basics
- More Advanced Hair Styles
- Q&As

Workshop cost- \$70 for the series. Pre-Registration is required. Download application and additional information from the Adoption Mosaic website www.adoptionmosaic.org or email us at info@adoptionmosaic.org

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Why Mosaic? Like adoption, a mosaic is a picture created of bits and pieces. The spaces between remind us that each piece has a history of its own.