



Dear Parent/Guardian:

Research shows that children take learning more seriously when parents show an interest in their education. Please take a few minutes to fill out the questionnaire below. This information will help us figure out how we can best meet your needs and areas in which you might want to be involved with our programs. Please return the form with your son or daughter.

Thank you for your time. I look forward to working with you and getting to know you better throughout this school year.

Anissa Hodo, Family Engagement Specialist

Parent Name _____ Phone # _____

Email address _____ Student(s) Names _____

1. There are several types of parent involvement. Please check the ones that interest you & circle your choice of involvement in that area.

Communication

Circle areas of interest: helping contact/welcome other families via meetings/phone/email/text, speaking on a topic at a meeting, or writing an article or sharing traditions/recipes/knowledge for newsletters, Other _____

Parent engagement events

Circle areas of interest: short seminars of interest for parents, parent/student activity evenings, morning parent gatherings, Fitness classes, Conference time with ACE staff, Other _____

Volunteering

Circle areas of interest: Helping at the ACE program, helping at a Family Engagement event, being a member of the Advisory board, helping with event set up & tear down, Other _____

Parent/student afternoon at program

Circle areas of interest: Parent/Child reading time, meal together, science experiments, family outdoor activities/sports, community garden, teaching a parent lead special topic session, Other _____

2. Please check any possible seminar topics that would be of interest to you and add any others that come to mind.

Homework hassles

Discipline

Spending/saving money -financial issues

Bully control

Family changes

Dealing with teens/pre-teens

- Health issues
- Home/school communication
- Fun and educational games and things to do with children
- How to help your children with homework
- Making sure your kids understand the importance of education
- Violence prevention
- Peer pressure
- Helping a dyslexic child or children with other learning difficulties
- How to better work with children who have difficult behavior
- Other: _____

3. So we know what works for you, please fill in below:

A. About how long should seminars last?

- 45 minutes
- 1 hour
- 2 hours

B. How many activities per month would you attend?

- 1
- 2
- 3
- More

C. What day of the week would be best?

- Sunday
- Monday
- Tuesday
- Wednesday
- Thursday
- Friday
- Saturday

D. What starting time?

- 6:30am
- 7:00am
- 8:00am
- 10:00am
- 11:00am
- 12 noon
- 1:00pm
- 2:00pm
- 3:30pm
- 4:30 pm
- 5:00pm
- 5:30 pm
- 6:00 pm

Thanks again for your completion and prompt return of this form.