



Students Rise. We All Rise.



 **PARENT ACADEMY**

2021 FALL COURSE CATALOG

**FREE VIRTUAL COURSES OPEN TO ALL PUBLIC**

**SUPPORTED BY THE W.K. KELLOGG FOUNDATION**





# OVERVIEW

The mission of Parent Academy is to provide the necessary tools and skills to build capacity and confidence in parents in order to support students academically, socially and emotionally.

All classes are **FREE**, offered virtually, open to **ALL** parents and community members.

Parent Academy focuses on three key pillars:

- **STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT**  
Workshops and activities that provide strategies and tools for parents to support academic achievement at home and in school
- **PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**  
Workshops that build confidence while addressing basic needs, employment, family support, financial literacy and goal setting for the healthy development of families
- **PARENTING/ADVOCACY**  
Workshops for parents and caregivers to build and increase their effectiveness in advocating and leading on behalf of children

**TO REGISTER FOR PARENT ACADEMY CLASSES:  
VISIT <https://forms.office.com/r/HFmxGiGLvr>  
CALL 313-873-7490**







# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

## PARENTS

WANT TO GUARANTEE A SUCCESSFUL  
SCHOOL YEAR 2021?

- 1 Attend School Everyday
- 2 Create a Family Routine
- 3 Participate in Parent Teacher Conferences and workshops

**DID YOU KNOW:** Too many absences—excused or unexcused—can keep students from succeeding in school and in life. How many are too many? 10% of the school year—that's 18 missed days or 2 days a month—can knock students off track.

**!** Children who were chronically absent in kindergarten and 1st grade are far less likely to read proficiently at the end of 3rd grade.

Attendance improves when schools engage students and parents in positive ways and when schools provide mentors for chronically absent students.



# DETROIT PUBLIC SCHOOLS COMMUNITY DISTRICT ENROLL TODAY!

We offer many options to enroll your child safely and quickly:

## SCHOOL:

Visit your school of choice during school hours

## DROP BOX:

Visit an Enrollment Drop Box to pick up and drop off enrollment forms (locations listed below)

## ONLINE:

Go to [detroitk12.org/enrollnow](https://detroitk12.org/enrollnow) to fill out and upload a digital enrollment packet

## WHAT IS REQUIRED FOR ENROLLMENT? PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

- Completed and Signed Enrollment Packet (available at a school, a Drop Box, or online at [detroitk12.org/enrollnow](https://detroitk12.org/enrollnow))
- Parent/guardian ID
- Most recent transcript or report card (if applicable)
- Birth certificate or birth record
- Student's Individualized Education Plan (IEP) and 504 Plan (if applicable)
- Immunization record or waiver
- Proof of address (2 forms)

Schools offer support to families that don't have access to enrollment documents.

## WHERE DO I FIND AN ENROLLMENT DROP BOX?

### Northwest Activity Center (West)

18100 Meyers Rd, Detroit, MI 48235

### Samaritan Center (East)

5555 Conner St, Detroit, MI 48213

Stay up-to-date as new Drop Box locations are added at  
[detroitk12.org/enrollnow](https://detroitk12.org/enrollnow)

Questions about enrollment?

Call 313-240-4377 or email [enrollment.growth@detroitk12.org](mailto:enrollment.growth@detroitk12.org)





# **WEEKLY CALENDARS**

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**14** OCTOBER 1, 2021 - OCTOBER 8, 2021

**16** OCTOBER 11, 2021 - OCTOBER 15, 2021

**20** OCTOBER 18, 2021 - OCTOBER 22, 2021

**22** OCTOBER 25, 2021 - OCTOBER 29, 2021

**26** NOVEMBER 1, 2021 - NOVEMBER 5, 2021

**30** NOVEMBER 8, 2021 - NOVEMBER 12, 2021

**36** NOVEMBER 15, 2021 - NOVEMBER 19, 2021

**38** NOVEMBER 22, 2021 - NOVEMBER 26, 2021

**42** NOVEMBER 29, 2021 - DECEMBER 3, 2021

**44** DECEMBER 6, 2021 - DECEMBER 10, 2021

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**48** DECEMBER 27, 2021 - JANUARY 7, 2021

**50** JANUARY 10, 2021 - JANUARY 14, 2021

**52** JANUARY 17, 2021 - JANUARY 28, 2021

**54** **STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT**

**60** **PERSONAL & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

**66** **PARENTING & ADVOCACY**







## **OUR MISSION STATEMENT:**

**EDUCATE & EMPOWER  
EVERY STUDENT IN EVERY  
COMMUNITY EVERY DAY TO  
BUILD A STRONGER DETROIT**



# OUR CORE VALUES:

## ■ STUDENTS FIRST

Make decisions that are in the best interest of students. Use every resource strategically so that we can meet students' individual needs.

## ■ EXCELLENCE

Be relentless in your pursuit of greatness. Be bold and innovate. Learn from your mistakes. Hold yourself and others to high standards.

## ■ INTEGRITY

Do the right thing, even when no one is looking. Be honest. Be trustworthy. Be accountable.

## ■ EQUITY

Diversity is an asset that makes us stronger. Advocate for the needs of others. Ensure that all members of our community have access to the tools and resources they need to be successful.

## ■ SERVICE

Listen. Empathize. Respond. Own problems and help to solve them.

## ■ TENACITY

Embrace hard work and persevere in the face of challenges. Follow through on your commitments and strive to do your best, no matter what.

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The Board has established a bullying policy to provide a safe and nurturing educational environment for all of its students and an equally safe and mission-driven environment for its employees. The policy is intended to protect individuals from bullying and aggressive behavior regardless of the matter or motivation for the impermissible behavior. Book: Policy Manual.

**To see the full Board policy, please use the link below:**

**Title: po5517.01 BULLYING AND OTHER AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOR**

**URL: <http://go.boarddocs.com/mi/detroit/Board.nsf/goto?open&id=BC8J3R4B357A>**





# ALUMNI SERIES

THE ALUMNI ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETS EVERY 1ST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

5PM-6PM

10/5 • 11/2 • 12/7 • 1/4/22

INTERESTED IN ALUMNI INFORMATION?

DROP YOUR INFO HERE: <http://bit.ly/DPSCDALUMNI>

WANT TO BE FEATURED IN THE DPSCD ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT?

COMPLETE THE NOMINATION FORM HERE:

<http://bit.ly/DPSCDAlumniSpotlight>

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A DPSCD ALUMNI YARD SIGN, PLEASE EMAIL:

[tanea.meniffee@detroitk12.org](mailto:tanea.meniffee@detroitk12.org)



**SAVE THE DATE**  
**DPSCD ALUMNI GALA**  
**SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022**

# Parent Listening Sessions

with Board Member Corletta Vaughn  
& Superintendent Vitti

Share your experience, ideas, and recommendations  
on making online learning better for our students.

**VIRTUAL**

**Tuesday, October 26th**

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Tuesday, November 23rd**

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

**Tuesday, December 14th**

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Tuesday, January 25th**

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM



**MS Teams Link:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**Audio:** +1 313-462-2305

**Conference ID:** 808304147#



**FREE**



# FAMILY LEARN TO SWIM PROGRAM

OCTOBER 9, 2021 - JANUARY 29, 2022  
EVERY SATURDAY  
**11 AM - 1 PM**

Beginners of all ages encouraged to attend!

Mumford High School  
17525 Wyoming Ave  
Detroit, MI 48221

East English Village  
5020 Cadieux Rd  
Detroit, MI 48224



# FREE FAMILY DANCE CLASSES

October 9th- December 4th

SATURDAYS 9:30AM - 10:30AM



**ROOM 212 IN THE LIBERAL ARTS BUILDING AT MARYGROVE COLLEGE.**

JAZZ DANCE, IMPROVISATION AND FUN EXERCISES FOR THE CHILDREN AND PARENTS

Contact Institute of Dance at Marygrove [info@instituteofdancemg.com](mailto:info@instituteofdancemg.com)





Come join the Family and Community Engagement Department Support Groups

for

# Coffee and Conversation



## MOM'S SUPPORT GROUP

Every Wednesday in October from 9-10 AM

Public Square: 19180 Grand River, Detroit MI 48223

## DAD'S SUPPORT GROUP

Every Wednesday in November from 9-10 AM

East English Village Preparatory Academy:  
5020 Cadieux, Detroit, MI 48224

## GRANDPARENTS SUPPORT GROUP

Every Wednesday in January 9-10 AM

Western International High School:  
1500 Scotten Street, Detroit, MI 4820

COME ENJOY OUR

# FREE FAMILY COOKING CLASSES

with Chef Cornish and Chef Pashenee

October 6, 2021 - January 26, 2022

EVERY WEDNESDAY | 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM



## Davis Aerospace/ Golightly Career and Technical Center

900 Dickerson Ave, Detroit, MI 48215

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CONTACT**

[paullette.pashenee@detroitk12.org](mailto:paullette.pashenee@detroitk12.org) or  
[ronald.cornish@detroitk12.org](mailto:ronald.cornish@detroitk12.org)

*LIMITED TO 15 FAMILIES*





# PARENT ACADEMY MENTAL HEALTH GUIDE

## TIPS AND TOOLS FOR SELF-CARE

There is not a one-size fits all answer to self-care. When choosing strategies make sure you utilize practices that are personally relevant and helpful to you and your family. Here are some strategies to consider:

- Recognize and validate emotions
- Stay in the present
- Separate out what you can and cannot control
- Notice and manage your worried thoughts
- Pay attention to joy
- Balance structure and exibility
- Get active
- Stay connected

## TIPS AND TOOLS FOR TALKING TO YOUR CHILD

Talking about mental health –  
Open ended questions:

- How are you feeling? Can you tell me more about what's on your mind?
- How can I help you feel better? Ya know, sometimes you need to talk to an adult about your feelings - I'm here to listen.
- Have you had feelings like this in the past?
- Do you feel like you want to talk to someone else about your problem?
- I'm worried about your safety. Can you tell me if you have thoughts about harming yourself or others?

## TIPS FOR APPROACHING THE CONVERSATION

- Communicate in a straightforward manner
- Speak at a level that is appropriate for your child's age level
- Discuss the topic when you are in a calm environment and your child feels comfortable and safe
- Watch for reactions during the discussion and slow down or back up if your child becomes confused or looks upset
- Listen openly and let your child tell you about their feelings and worries

VISIT [tinyurl.com/DPSCDPartnerMap](https://tinyurl.com/DPSCDPartnerMap)



CLICK "PROGRAM TAGS"

SELECT "MENTAL HEALTH" from the dropdown filter at the top of the screen

PICK a listed Mental Health Partner

## DPSCD MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT LINE

1-833-466-3978

Offered during the academic year  
Monday – Thursday | 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
[detroitk12.org/areyouok](https://detroitk12.org/areyouok)



OFFICE OF FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT (F.A.C.E.)

<https://www.detroitk12.org/face>

16164 Asbury Park, Detroit, MI 48235 (313) 873-7490



## WORK FOR FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

### Join Us & Canvass Our Community

Are you interested in the well-being of our DPSCD students and families?

Are you interested in earning additional income?

Join us as we canvass our community and perform home visits.

### Parent Canvassing \$25 per hour

Sign Up Here: <https://dpscd.galaxydigital.com/>

### Parent Outreach Coordinator

(PART-TIME, YEAR-ROUND)

APPLY HERE:

<https://careers.detroitk12.org/jobs/7280532-parent-outreach-coordinator>

For more information, please contact the  
Office of Family & Community Engagement at (313)873-7490

*"Priority given to parents of DPSCD children"*

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**PARENT ACADEMY**  
**EXAMINATION SCHOOL**  
**APPLICATION**  
**SUPPORT SESSIONS**

October 18, 2021 – November 19, 2021



**Wednesdays**  
**5:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

**Thursdays**  
**8:00 AM - 10:00 AM**

**Fridays**  
**5:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

Applications will be accepted online only.  
Visit [detroitk12.org/examschools](https://detroitk12.org/examschools) to sign up and learn  
about application assistance workshops near you.



JOIN US:  
<https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

**PARENT ACADEMY**

**Parent and Police**  
**PARTNERSHIP DINNER**

**October 13, 2021**  
**4-6 PM**

**8500 Cameron St**  
**Detroit, MI 48211**

DPSCD parents, join us for dinner and  
open dialog with our police department.

DPSCD is committed to ensuring a safe school  
community as we partner with local municipal law  
enforcement agencies, residential and business  
communities, faith-based organizations, and  
various non-profit community service  
organizations.





# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**FRI**

10.1.21

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## THE PURPOSE OF HOME VISITS

PRESENTED BY: ANGEL FOX

Parents will learn about the Parent Teacher Home Visit Project and the benefits of involvement.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>

**LOCATION:** Marquette Elementary School  
6145 Canyon St, Detroit, MI 48224

**SAT**

10.2.21

10:00 AM  
- 2:00 PM

## MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE

PRESENTED BY: SUSAN GARDNER OF DISTRICT 2  
MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE

The Mental Health Task Force is an interactive workshop with families, community members, and mental health professionals. Participants will have the opportunity to discuss and learn about topics concerning mental health like anxiety, stress, and more.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3j229d9>

**MON**

10.4.21

10:00 AM

## UNDERSTANDING FAFSA

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will assist parents with understanding the importance of the Federal student aid application process. Will we focus deadlines and debunk popular myths surrounding FAFSA.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**MON**

10.4.21

3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## STRATEGIES FOR STRENGTHENING LITERACY SKILLS AT HOME

PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN

Having strong reading abilities can enable you to interpret and find meaning in everything you read.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** CMA, 14771 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 48227

**MON**

10.4.21

3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## IDENTIFYING AND SUPPORTING GIFTED STUDENTS

PRESENTED BY: KIMBERLY PHILLIPS SOLOMON

This session will provide families, staff and community members information on how students are identified as academically gifted and focus on ways to support their academic, social and emotional needs.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/giftedsupport>

**TUE**

10.5.21

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## STICKY SITUATIONS

PRESENTED BY: KRYSTAL BANKS

In life we sometimes find ourselves in uncommon situations. Therefore, this workshop will help stakeholders learn how to navigate the justice/legal system.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/stickypa>

**LOCATION:** Garvey, 2301 Van Dyke St, Detroit, MI 48214

**TUE**

10.5.21

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE

PRESENTED BY: REMELE PENICK

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy1>

**LOCATION:** Pulaski Elementary School  
19725 Strasburg St, Detroit, MI 48205

**TUE**

10.5.21

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## COMERICA CARES SERIES

PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

# OCTOBER 1, 2021 - OCTOBER 8, 2021

**TUE**  
10.5.21  
**4:00 PM**  
- **5:00 PM**

## MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

**LOCATION:** Bethune Elementary-Middle School  
8145 Puritan, Detroit 48238

**WED**  
10.6.21  
**10:00 AM**  
- **11:00 AM**

## SUPPLEMENTING STUDENT LEARNING USING ZEARN

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

Want to know how you can support your child's learning outside of school? What's available to you to reinforce past math skills and concepts that you want our students to revisit from the previous grade levels? Want to accelerate your child's learning to future content? Well Zearn is the resource for you. This session is designed to expose you to Zearn, our Eureka Math-aligned digital platform that our K-7 students and families have 24-7 access to supplement their learning needs throughout the school year. **Target Grade Band: K-7**

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>  
**LOCATION:** Fisher Magnet Lower Academy  
15510 E State Fair Ave, Detroit, MI 48205

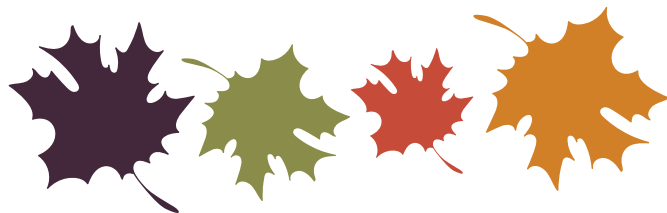
**WED**  
10.6.21  
**3:00 PM**  
- **4:00 PM**

## HIV/AIDS AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: DETROIT RECOVERY PROJECT INC.

This workshop will encourage safe and healthy decision making.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>



**THU**  
10.7.21  
**2:00 PM**  
- **3:00 PM**

## BECOME A TECHNOLOGY SUPERHERO!

PRESENTED BY: IDA BYRD-HILL

This course will explore careers in tech security, and it will highlight how parents and community members can gain profitable knowledge in technology.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2Wr3fHD>  
**LOCATION:** Noble Elementary School  
8646 Fullerton Ave, Detroit, MI 48238

**THU**  
10.7.21  
**3:30 PM**  
- **4:30 PM**

## UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE

PRESENTED BY: REMELE PENICK

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy1>  
**LOCATION:** Denby High School, 12800 Kelly Rd, Detroit, MI 48224

**THU**  
10.7.21  
**6:00 PM**  
- **7:00 PM**

## ALL ABOUT EQUITY: CREATING RESPONSIVE CONDITIONS IN DPSCD

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF EQUITY, ADVOCACY, AND CIVIL RIGHTS

This workshop will include information and resources to help families and community members understand equity, why it matters, and how we can be more socially responsible.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/equitypa>

**THU**  
10.7.21  
**3:00 PM**  
- **4:00 PM**

## SPECIAL OLYMPICS YOUNG ATHLETES

PRESENTED BY: SARAH JARDINE

Parent Overview of Home Based YA Strategies/Resources, Target is parents of students under age 8.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/SOYAthlete>  
**LOCATION:** Early Intervention Diagnostic Center  
4555 John C. Lodge Fwy., Detroit, MI 48201





# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**

**10.11.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## SHARED LEADERSHIP

PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Bates Academy, 19701 Wyoming Ave, Detroit, MI 48221

**MON**

**10.11.21**

**10:00 AM**

## PICKING A COLLEGE

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

Parents will learn effective strategies on how to find the perfect fit for their child's educational goals. Parents will receive industry leading tools that will assist them through their journey of finding the right college.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**MON**

**10.11.21**

**1:00 PM**

**- 2:00 PM**

## 10 WARNING SIGNS OF ALZHEIMER'S

PRESENTED BY: ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION  
GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER

Alzheimer's and other dementias cause changes in memory, thinking and behavior that interfere with daily life. Join us to learn 10 common warning signs and what to watch for in yourself and others.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

**MON**

**10.11.21**

**3:30 PM**

**- 4:30 PM**

## FINDING NEMO (SPANISH)

PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3BwhoT0>

**TUE**

**10.12.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## SHARED LEADERSHIP

PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Clippert Academy, 1981 McKinstry St, Detroit, MI 48209

**TUE**

**10.12.21**

**11:00 AM**

**- 12:00 PM**

## GOAL SETTING

PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>

**LOCATION:** Keidan Special Education Center  
4441 Collingwood St, Detroit, MI 48204

**TUE**

**10.12.21**

**3:00 PM**

**- 4:00 PM**

## HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER

PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Harms Elementary School  
2400 Central Ave, Detroit, MI 48209

**TUE**

**10.12.21**

**3:30 PM**

**- 4:30 PM**

## UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE

PRESENTED BY: REMELE PENICK

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy1>

**LOCATION:** East English Village Preparatory Academy  
5020 Cadieux Rd, Detroit, MI 48224

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**TUE**  
10.12.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **RAISING ENTREPRENEURS** PRESENTED BY: SHAMENIA STEWART-ADAMS

One of DPSCD's parents will discuss how she and her family promotes entrepreneurship and prepares their children for a life in business.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3xbMqwU>  
**LOCATION:** Bagley, 8100 Curtis St, Detroit, MI 48221

**TUE**  
10.12.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **BRICKS 4 KIDZ** PRESENTED BY: BRICKS 4 KIDZ STAFF

Learners enjoy interactive, theme-based building challenges using LEGO® bricks. Our S.T.E.A.M.-based proprietary curriculum complements what your child is already learning at school with fun and educational units like Energy is Everywhere, Life Science and many more. Just make sure you have assorted LEGO pieces to create learn and create in a friendly and fun Virtual Class!

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/bricksforkidz>  
**LOCATION:** Barton, 8530 Joy Road, Detroit, MI 48204

**TUE**  
10.12.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **TRAUMA-INFORMED PARENTING** PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

The objective of this workshop is to enhance parent/guardians' awareness on the impacts and extent of trauma on their children.

**LOCATION:** Bethune Elementary-Middle School, 8145 Puritan, Detroit 48238

**WED**  
10.13.21  
9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## **UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE** PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Sampson Webber Leadership Academy  
4700 Tireman Ave, Detroit, MI 48204

**WED**  
10.13.21  
9:30 AM  
- 10:30 AM

## **NUTRITION AND ORAL HEALTH** PRESENTED BY DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN

Is oral health and nutrition related? Come learn how the foods we eat can improve our entire body especially oral health at any age.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**WED**  
10.13.21  
11:00 AM  
- 12:00 PM

## **MINDFULNESS AND MEDITATION** PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA

Practice the basics of mindfulness and meditation to help relieve stress and tension.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/mindmedpa>  
**LOCATION:** Bethune, 8145 Puritan Ave, Detroit, MI 48238

**WED**  
10.13.21  
12:00 PM  
- 1:00 PM

## **CREDIT RESTORATION EDUCATION** PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS

Learn how to establish/re-establish and protect your credit score and credit history.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3iDi8xK>  
**LOCATION:** Southeastern High School  
3030 Fairview St, Detroit, MI 48214

**WED**  
10.13.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **REPRESENTING YOUR STAKEHOLDERS** PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>  
**LOCATION:** Bethune, 8145 Puritan Street, Detroit, MI 48227



# OCTOBER 11, 2021 - OCTOBER 15, 2021

**WED**

**10.13.21**

**5:30 PM  
- 7:00 PM**

## **FAMILY AND COMMUNITY GUN SAFETY**

**PRESENTED BY: BLACK BOTTOM GUN CLUB**

This course will teach and demonstrate gun safety as well as discuss the legal considerations of gun ownership for families and community members.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/bbgcsafe>

**THU**

**10.14.21**

**8:45 AM  
- 9:45 AM**

## **UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE**

**PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN**

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** A.L. Holmes, 8950 Crane St, Detroit, MI 48213

**THU**

**10.14.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **SUPPLEMENTING STUDENT LEARNING USING ZEARN**

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM**

Want to know how you can support your child's learning outside of school? What's available to you to reinforce past math skills and concepts that you want our students to revisit from the previous grade levels? Want to accelerate your child's learning to future content? Well Zearn is the resource for you. This session is designed to expose you to Zearn, our Eureka Math-aligned digital platform that our K-7 students and families have 24-7 access to supplement their learning needs throughout the school year.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Garvey Academy, 2301 Van Dyke St, Detroit, MI 48214

**THU**

**10.14.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **SUPPLEMENTING STUDENT LEARNING USING KHAN ACADEMY**

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM**

Want to know how you can support your child's learning outside of school? What's available to you to reinforce past math skills and concepts that you want our students to revisit from the previous grade levels and math courses? Want to accelerate your child's learning to future content? Well Khan Academy is the resource for you. This session is designed to expose you to Khan Academy, a digital platform that our grade 8-12 students and families have 24-7 access to supplement their learning needs throughout the school year.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Cass, 2501 Second Avenue, Detroit, MI 48201

**THU**

**10.14.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **FINANCIAL AND CREDIT EDUCATION**

**PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS**

Learn lifelong strategies for you and your family.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

**THU**

**10.14.21**

**5:00 PM -  
6:00 PM**

## **HOW TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL MEETING**

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** DCP @ Northwestern High School  
2200 W Grand Blvd, Detroit, MI 48208

# COOKING

with

## FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SERIES

**VIRTUAL**

<https://bit.ly/3e2enAZ>

**1PM – 2PM**

**Taste of Puerto Rico**  
Wednesday, October 20, 2021

**Taste of Mexico**  
Wednesday, November 10, 2021

**Taste of a Southern Kitchen**  
Wednesday, December 15, 2021

**Taste of a Mediterranean Kitchen**  
Wednesday, January 19, 2022

# ULTIMATE VEGAN CHILI RECIPE

**SERVINGS: 6 SERVINGS**  
**PREP TIME: 10 MINUTES**

**COOK TIME: 30 MINUTES**  
**TOTAL TIME: 40 MINUTES**

### INGREDIENTS

#### MEATY TOFU CRUMBLES

- 2 tablespoons soy sauce, \*tamari for gluten free
- 2 tablespoons nutritional yeast
- 2 teaspoons chili powder
- 1 teaspoon smoked paprika
- (1) 14-ounce firm tofu

#### CHILI

- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 medium sweet onion, diced
- 3-4 cloves garlic, minced
- (2) 28-oz cans crushed tomatoes
- (2) 15-oz cans black beans, drained and rinsed
- (1) 15-oz can kidney beans, drained and rinsed
- 1 cup water
- 3 tablespoons chili powder
- 2 teaspoons ground cumin
- 1 tablespoon pure maple syrup
- 1 tablespoon cocoa powder
- 1 teaspoon smoked paprika
- 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 1 teaspoon salt, or to taste

#### FOR THE TOFU CRUMBLES:

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F and line a baking sheet with parchment paper or a silicone mat.

In a large bowl, mix together the soy sauce, nutritional yeast, chili powder and smoked paprika. It will be pasty. Now crumble the tofu into the bowl with your hands, and mix together using a large spoon until well combined with the paste.

Spread the tofu mixture evenly in the pan. Place in the oven and bake for 30 minutes, stirring the tofu halfway through. Once the tofu is in the oven, start the chili.

#### FOR THE CHILI:

In a large pot over medium heat, add the olive oil. Add the chopped onion and sauté 3-4 minutes until translucent. Add in the garlic and cook 1 more minute, stirring constantly.

Now add all the rest of the chili ingredients, except the tofu, and stir to combine. Bring to a boil, then lower the heat and simmer for about 20 minutes, until the tofu crumbles are done baking.

If a thicker consistency is desired, use an immersion blender and blend just a few times. Do this before you add the tofu.

*Once the tofu crumbles are done, stir them into the pot. All done! Serve with vegan sour cream, cornbread, tortilla chips, cilantro, tomatoes, hot sauce, vegan cheese shreds and chives, if desired.*

Recipe courtesy of NoraCooks.com:  
<https://www.noracooks.com/ultimate-vegan-chili/>

# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**

**10.18.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## **REPRESENTING YOUR STAKEHOLDERS**

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Bennett Elementary School  
2111 Mullane St, Detroit, MI 48209

**MON**

**10.18.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING**

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Ben Carson, 571 Mack Ave, Detroit, MI 48201

**MON**

**10.18.21**

**10:00 AM**

## **BIG BROTHER AS ROLE MODEL**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This workshop will focus on the educational influence that older siblings have on their family and give parents tools and strategies on how to foster the leadership from their influence.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**MON**

**10.18.21**

**3:00 PM**

**- 4:00 PM**

## **SHARED LEADERSHIP**

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Burns, 14350 Terry St, Detroit, MI 48227

**MON**

**10.18.21**

**3:30 PM**

**- 4:30 PM**

## **FINDING NEMO (ARABIC)**

**PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2Yfgs7q>

**MON**

**10.18.21**

**6:00 PM**

**- 7:30 PM**

## **EXAM HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE APPLICATION WEBINAR**

**PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT**

Detroit Public Schools Community District has six rigorous examination high schools. In this webinar, you'll learn what makes each school unique as well as how to apply for admission. This session is designed to meet the needs of current 8th grade students who are applying for admission to 9th grade for Fall 2022.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EHS-webinar-Oct-18>

**TUE**

**10.19.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## **BUILDING YOUR TEAM**

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Munger Elementary-Middle School  
5525 Martin St, Detroit, MI 48210

**TUE**

**10.19.21**

**10:00 AM**

**- 11:00 AM**

## **DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS**

**PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDPpta>



# OCTOBER 18, 2021 - OCTOBER 22, 2021

**TUE**  
10.19.21  
3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## **POSITIVE REINFORCEMENTS AT HOME** PRESENTED BY: RENEE KRAUS, ROSE PATERSON, RENA KINDRED

Parents will be given tools to implement in their homes to enforce positive reinforcements for their children.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/reinhome>

**TUE**  
10.19.21  
3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## **PARENTAL ADVISORY TRAINING** PRESENTED BY: YUNION

This program will develop parent leadership skills, and supporting a program's success.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3o1NLC6>

**LOCATION:** John R. King Academy, 15850 Strathmoor St, Detroit, MI 48227

**TUE**  
10.19.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS** PRESENTED BY: YUNION

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

**LOCATION:** Bow Elementary-Middle School, 19801 Prevost, Detroit 48235

**TUE**  
10.19.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **COMERICA CARES SERIES** PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>



**TUE**  
10.19.21  
5:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM

## **DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS** PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school. *(This session will be in person, with dinner, limited to 35 participants, 1st come)*

**LOCATION:** 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

**WED**  
10.20.21  
8:30 AM  
- 9:30 AM

## **RUNNING EFFECTIVE MEETINGS** PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Mark Twain School for Scholars  
12800 Visger St, Detroit, MI 48217

**WED**  
10.20.21  
3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## **PROJECT EMPLOYMENT** PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES - MARK BRYANT

This presentation includes resume and interviewing tips as well as job opportunities within Detroit Public Schools Community District.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**WED**  
10.20.21  
3:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## **HUMAN TRAFFICKING CONSULTANT TRAINING** PRESENTED BY: STACEY JOHNSON

During this training, people will learn how to appropriately identify and respond to suspected cases of human trafficking and get certified by the state of Michigan in Human Trafficking.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3f7wFky>

# OCTOBER 18, 2021 - OCTOBER 22, 2021

**WED**

**10.20.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **A PARENT'S GUIDE TO UNIVERSAL DESIGN FOR LEARNING (UDL)** **PRESENTED BY: DR. ADRIMA CAESAR AND ROSLYN HESTER**

This session will provide families, staff and community members with an overview of Universal Design for Learning (UDL) and how to use best instructional strategies to change the school experiences and success of students by making broad changes to how information is presented to all students and the ways in which all students are able to show what they know.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/esecourse>

**THU**

**10.21.21**

**2:45 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **BUILDING YOUR TEAM** **PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN**

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>  
**LOCATION:** Bunche, 2715 Macomb Street, Detroit, MI 48207

**THU**

**10.21.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **GOAL SETTING** **PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** Carstens Academy of Aquatic Science  
13000 Essex Ave, Detroit, MI 48215

**FRI**

**10.22.21**

**9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING** **PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Earhart Elementary-Middle School  
1000 Scotten Ave, Detroit, MI 48209

**FRI**

**10.22.21**

**11:00 AM  
- 12:00 PM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION** **PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

How to speak and be heard, active listening, developing an effective voice within the school community.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Roberto Clemente Learning Academy  
1551 Beard St, Detroit, MI 28209

**FRI**

**10.22.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **PEDIATRIC HEALTH** **PRESENTED BY: DARLENE DORSETT AND SARAH HEINS, MICHIGAN DEAF NURSES ASSOCIATION**

This presentation will provide our Deaf and hard of hearing families with information on vaccines, safety with school sports and mental health.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/pedhealth>





**PARENT ACADEMY**

**10.29.21**  
4PM - 6PM



**WEST**

**EAST**

**SOUTHWEST**

**Adult Education West,**  
16164 Asbury Park,  
Detroit, MI 48235

**Ronald Brown,**  
11530 Outer Dr E,  
Detroit, MI 48223

**Clippert Magnet School,**  
1981 McKinstry,  
Detroit, MI 48209

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# **MOBILE CONFERENCE AND DEVELOPMENT**

## **ESSA (Every Student Succeeds Act)**

**October 12th**  
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Brenda Scott**  
18440 Hoover  
(Library)

**October 14th**  
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Detroit Collegiate Preparatory High At Northwestern**  
2200 W. Grand Blvd.  
(Mc Murtry room)

**October 16th**  
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Munger**  
5525 Martin  
(Lunch room)

# **TITLE I DISTRICTWIDE COUNCIL**

## **POLICY INPUT AND ALLOWABLE USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS**

### **VIRTUAL DATES**

**VIRTUAL LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDTitle1>

**October 26th | 10:00 AM - 11:30 PM**  
**November 2nd | 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM**  
**December 7th | 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM**  
**January 3rd | 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM**

### **IN-PERSON DATES**

**LOCATION:** 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

**October 28th | 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM**  
**December 7th | 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

*(Dinner will be served at the in-person meeting)*

*Note: evening meetings max occupancy is 35 people - first come*





## PARENT ACADEMY



# Free 2 Bee Series

S.R. Taylor that uses the art of storytelling, through the children's book "ROUND" to teach parent/child and/or student/participants to create their own stories reconnecting with imagination and creativity encouraging the uniqueness of every participant to emerge from their cocoon and find their own wings. Join us as we go on journey to write our own powerful stories.

### Fridays at 2:00 PM

**10/8/21 | Burns Elementary-Middle School**  
14350 Terry St, Detroit, MI 48227

**10/15/21 | Ann Arbor Trail Magnet School**  
7635 Chatham, Detroit, MI 48239

**11/12/21 | A.L. Holmes Academy of Blended Learning**  
8950 Crane St, Detroit, MI 48213

**11/19/21 | Edison Elementary School**  
17045 Grand River Avenue, Detroit, MI 48227

**12/10/21 | Noble Elementary-Middle School**  
8646 Fullerton Street, Detroit, MI 48238

**12/17/21 | Carstens Academy Of Aquatic Science**  
13000 Essex Avenue, Detroit, MI 48215

**1/14/22 | Ronald Brown Academy**  
11530 E. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48224

**1/28/22 | Gompers Elementary-Middle School**  
14450 Burt Road, Detroit, MI 48223

### Tuesdays at 2:00 PM

**10/5/21 | Palmer Park Academy**  
3901 Margareta, Detroit, MI 48221

**10/12/21 | Neinas Dual Language Learning Academy**  
6021 McMillan Street, Detroit, MI 48209

**11/9/21 | Bagley Elementary School**  
8100 Curtis Street, Detroit, MI 48221

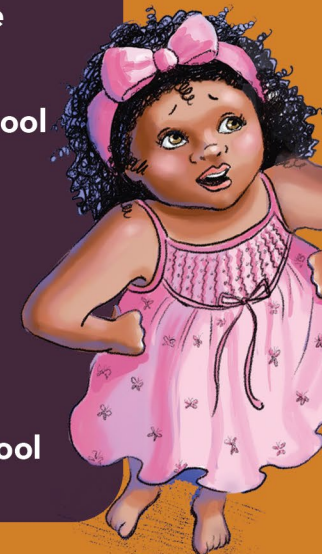
**11/16/21 | Catherine C. Blackwell Institute**  
9330 Shoemaker, Detroit, MI 48213

**12/7/21 | Coleman A. Young Elementary School**  
15771 Hubbell Street, Detroit, MI 48227

**12/14/21 | Carleton Elementary School**  
11724 Casino Street, Detroit, MI 48224

**1/11/22 | Chrysler Elementary School**  
1445 E. Lafayette Street, Detroit, MI 48207

**1/25/22 | Marquette Elementary-Middle School**  
6145 Canyon Street, Detroit, MI 48236



# After School Cafe



DRUM FIT  
ALL AGES



Family Fun Includes music and dance. Join the After School Café while we combine drumsticks with combinations of dance steps and exercise moves to include your favorite music.

## Mondays | 4-5PM

- OCT. 11** **Academy of the Americas**  
5680 Konkel St., Detroit, MI 48210
- OCT. 25** **Barton Elementary School**  
8530 Joy Road, Detroit, MI 48204-3263
- NOV 8** **Bethune Elementary-Middle School**  
8145 Puritan Street, Detroit, MI 48227
- NOV 15** **Bow Elementary-Middle School**  
19801 Prevost Street, Detroit, MI 48235
- DEC 6** **Cooke STEM Academy**  
18800 Puritan Street, Detroit, MI 48223
- DEC 13** **Davison Elementary-Middle School**  
2800 E. Davison Street, Detroit, MI 48212
- JAN 10** **Hutchinson Elementary-Middle School**  
600 Garland, Detroit, MI 48214
- JAN 24** **John R. King**  
15850 Strathmoor Street, Detroit, MI 48227

## Wednesdays | 4-5PM

- OCT. 13** **Ronald Brown Academy**  
11530 E. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48224
  - OCT. 27** **Sampson - Webber Leadership Academy**  
4700 Tireman Street, Detroit, MI 48204
  - NOV 10** **Spain Elementary-Middle School**  
3700 Beaubien Street Detroit, MI 48201
  - NOV 17** **Thurgood Marshall Elementary School**  
15531 Linwood Street, Detroit, MI 48238
  - DEC 8** **Bagley Elementary School**  
8100 Curtis Street, Detroit, MI 48221
  - DEC 15** **Bates Academy**  
19701 Wyoming, Detroit, MI 48221
  - JAN 12** **Mackenzie Elementary-Middle School**  
10147 West Chicago, Detroit, MI 48204
  - JAN 26** **FLICS**  
6501 West Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48235
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# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**  
10.25.21  
10:00 AM

## SOCIAL MEDIA CHECKUP

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will give tips to parents/students about how to manage their digital presence on social media. It is critical that students understand their digital footprint as many colleges and universities observe prospective students' social media pages.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**MON**  
10.25.21  
9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER

PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

LOCATION: Edmondson, 1300 W Canfield St, Detroit, MI 48201

**MON**  
10.25.21  
3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## SUPPLEMENTING STUDENT LEARNING USING KHAN ACADEMY

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

Want to know how you can support your child's learning outside of school? What's available to you to reinforce past math skills and concepts that you want our students to revisit from the previous grade levels and math courses? Want to accelerate your child's learning to future content? Well Khan Academy is the resource for you. This session is designed to expose you to Khan Academy, a digital platform that our grade 8-12 students and families have 24-7 access to supplement their learning needs throughout the school year.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

LOCATION: Mumford High School  
17525 Wyoming Ave, Detroit, MI 48221

**MON**  
10.25.21  
3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## FINDING NEMO (HMONG)

PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/3Dw90Vz>

**MON**  
10.25.21  
7:00 PM  
- 8:00 PM

## CLASSROOM TIPS

PRESENTED BY: UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

This workshop will discuss creating safe and inclusive schools and classrooms using the TIPPS (Trauma Informed Practices) framework.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/376xUMm>

**TUE**  
10.26.21  
11:00 AM  
- 1:00 PM

## PARENT LISTENING SESSION

PRESENTED BY: BOARD MEMBER CORLETTA VAUGHN AND SUPERINTENDENT DR. NIKOLAI VITTI

Join Board Member Corletta Vaughn and Superintendent Dr. Nikolai Vitti as they share district updates and listen to the experiences and recommendations of improve the DPSCD educational experience.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**TUE**  
10.26.21  
4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## TRAUMA-INFORMED PARENTING

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

The objective of this workshop is to enhance parents/guardians' awareness of the impacts and extent of trauma on their children.

LOCATION: Bow Elementary-Middle School, 19801 Prevost, Detroit 48235



# OCTOBER 25, 2021 - OCTOBER 29, 2021

**TUE**

**10.26.21**

**4:00 PM**

**- 5:00 PM**

## **RAISING ENTREPRENEURS**

**PRESENTED BY: SHAMENIA STEWART-ADAMS**

One of DPSCD's parents will discuss how she and her family promotes entrepreneurship and prepares their children for a life in business.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3xbMqwU>

**LOCATION:** Bagley Elementary School, 8100 Curtis St, Detroit, MI 48221

**WED**

**10.27.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## **GOAL SETTING**

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Maybury Elementary School, 4410 Porter St, Detroit, MI 48209

**WED**

**10.27.21**

**11:00 AM**

**- 12:00 PM**

## **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Neinas Dual Language Learning Academy  
6021 McMillan St, Detroit, MI 48209

**WED**

**10.27.21**

**3:40 PM**

**- 4:40 PM**

## **HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER**

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Dossin Elementary-Middle School  
16650 Glendale St, Detroit, MI 48227

**WED**

**10.27.21**

**4:00 PM**

**- 5:00 PM**

## **FAMILY AFFIRMATIONS**

**PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA**

Words have power. In this workshop, the instructor will help parents and community members identify how to speak positively over themselves and their loved ones.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/affirmthefam>

**LOCATION:** Marygrove  
8425 W McNichols Rd, Detroit, MI 48221

**THU**

**10.28.21**

**3:00 PM**

**- 4:00 PM**

## **PREPARING FOR LOCAL ELECTIONS**

**PRESENTED BY: SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to be an informed voter for the upcoming primary election.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** Golightly, 5536 St. Antoine Street, Detroit, MI 48202

**THU**

**10.28.21**

**4:00 PM**

**- 5:00 PM**

## **NUTRITION AND ORAL HEALTH**

**PRESENTED BY: DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN**

Is oral health and nutrition related? Come learn how the foods we eat can improve our entire body especially our oral health at any age.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**THU**

**10.28.21**

**6:00 PM**

**- 7:30 PM**

## **MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE**

**PRESENTED BY: SUSAN GARDNER OF DISTRICT 2 MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE**

The Mental Health Task Force is an interactive workshop with families, community members, and mental health professionals. Participants will have the opportunity to discuss and learn about topics concerning mental health like anxiety, stress, and more.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3j229d9>

# WHAT WOULD \$250 (OR MORE) A MONTH MEAN FOR YOUR FAMILY?



Starting July 15, the new Child Tax Credit offers monthly cash payments to families with children — up to \$300 per child! If you have children under 18, you may be eligible even if you do not usually file taxes or have low/no earnings.

Already filed your taxes or filled out the non-filer portal form? Payments will be deposited into your bank account or be mailed to you automatically.

**You can't get your payments if you don't file your taxes. It's not too late. File now.**

## HOW MUCH WILL MY FAMILY GET FROM THE CHILD TAX CREDIT?

**Children under age 6:** Up to \$3,600 per child

**Children ages 6 to 17:** Up to \$3,000 per child

Get the first half in monthly payments, July-December 2021.

Get the second half — a one-time payment — after filing 2021 taxes.

### DON'T HAVE KIDS?

You may still be eligible for other tax credits and COVID-19 relief payments! File your taxes so you don't miss out.

## Questions? Need help filing your taxes?

Call **2-1-1** | Text **313-450-9168** | Visit **GetTheTaxFacts.org**

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# PARENT ACADEMY

The goal of Parent Academy is to provide parents the tools and skills to build capacity and confidence to support students academically, socially, and emotionally. All classes are free and offered in convenient locations to meet parents where they are.

Parent Academy focuses on three key pillars:

- Student Achievement
- Personal and Professional Development
- Parenting Advocacy

## FALL CATALOG COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

- How to increase literacy at home and build a family book club
- Computer and Microsoft Training
- Money Management
- Stress Management and Self Care
- Math Learning Tools
- Eureka Math
- Family Fitness and Health

**REGISTER AND SIGN-UP:**

<https://forms.office.com/r/HFmxGiGLvr>



## Parent Academy Family Incentives

**Join our Parent Academy Sessions and win big!!  
We have raffles for every parent workshop, just  
login and you will be counted!!**

**EVERY SESSION HAS A WINNER.**



Find out more information and register online at  
[detroitk12.org/parentacademy](https://detroitk12.org/parentacademy)





# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**  
11.1.21

3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## PREPARING FOR LOCAL ELECTIONS

PRESENTED BY: SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Learn how to be an informed voter for the upcoming primary election.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/electionprepmi>

**MON**  
11.1.21

3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## STRATEGIES FOR STRENGTHENING LITERACY SKILLS AT HOME

PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE

Having strong reading abilities can enable you to interpret and find meaning in everything you read.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>  
**LOCATION:** Southeastern, 3030 Fairview St, Detroit, MI 48214

**MON**  
11.1.21

3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM

## FINDING NEMO (BENGALI)

PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38qEjmf>

**MON**  
11.1.21

5:30 PM  
- 6:30 PM

## GETTING READY TO LEVEL UP TO HIGH SCHOOL AT DPSCD

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

This workshop outlines the academic life of a high schooler and provides a family conversational guide to help students successfully navigate through the transition from middle school to high school. Learn how to support your student's understanding of high school expectations and norms and how to help your student prepare for his or her future high school experience.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

**TUE**  
11.2.21

9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## 9-12 SCIENCE, STEM, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS) OPPORTUNITIES

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

Come learn about the amazing 9-12 STEM opportunities that your student(s) can be a part of both during school and after school. We will learn about programs such as Chess, Robotics, Academic Games, Invention Convention, Science Fair, Destination Imagination, and multiple Computer Science opportunities.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy7>  
**LOCATION:** Western, 1500 Scotten Street, Detroit, MI 48209

**TUE**  
11.2.21

10:00 AM

## PICKING A COLLEGE

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

Parents will learn effective strategies on how to find the perfect fit for their child's educational goals. Parents will receive industry leading tools that will assist them through their journey of finding the right college.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**WED**  
11.3.21

10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## BUILDING YOUR TEAM

PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>  
**LOCATION:** Pershing High School, 18875 Ryan Rd, Detroit, MI 48234

**WED**  
11.3.21

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## RUNNING EFFECTIVE SCHOOL MEETINGS

PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>  
**LOCATION:** Edison Elementary School  
17045 Grand River Ave, Detroit, MI 48227

# NOVEMBER 1, 2021 - NOVEMBER 5, 2021

**WED**

**11.3.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## UNDERSTANDING THE LAW

PRESENTED BY: KRYSTAL BANKS

We follow the laws, but do we really understand how the laws work for or against us? This course is designed to help families and community understand the ins and outs of various laws.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2VjCVP2>

**LOCATION:** Brenda Scott, 18440 Hoover St, Detroit, MI 48205

**WED**

**11.3.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

**LOCATION:** Bunche Preparatory Academy  
2715 Macomb Street, Detroit 48207

**THU**

**11.4.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## GROWING YOUR LOVE OF LITERACY THROUGH READING

PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN

Having strong reading abilities can enable you to interpret and find meaning in everything you read.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** Greenfield Union, 420 W. 7 Mile Road, Detroit, MI 48203

**THU**

**11.4.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## BUILDING YOUR TEAM

PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Durfee, 2425 Tuxedo Street, Detroit, MI 48206-1222

**THU**

**11.4.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## UNDERSTANDING ADD, ADHD, ODD, FASD, CONDUCT DISORDERS

PRESENTED BY: RENEE KRAUS, JUSTINE TRAVICK AND KATHRYN WALL

This session will provide families with a better understanding of their child's diagnosis. Parents will be able to better support their child at home and at school.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/addunderstand>

**THU**

**11.4.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## REPRESENTING THE STAKEHOLDER

PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Chrysler Elementary School  
1445 E Lafayette St, Detroit, MI 48207

**THU**

**11.4.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## SPEAK OUT AND CHANGE THE WORLD

PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN

Oratorical Opportunities for Your Students (5-12)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** FLICS, 6501 Outer Dr W, Detroit, MI 48235

**THU**

**11.4.21**

**6:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM**

## ALL ABOUT EQUITY: CREATING RESPONSIVE CONDITIONS IN DPSCD

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF EQUITY, ADVOCACY, AND CIVIL RIGHTS

This workshop will include information and resources to help families and community members understand equity, why it matters, and how we can be more socially responsible.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/equitypa>

# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR



**MON**  
11.8.21  
9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## GOAL SETTING

PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

LOCATION: JL White, 14804 W McNichols Rd, Detroit, MI 48235

**MON**  
11.8.21  
10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## BUILDING YOUR TEAM

PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

LOCATION: Thirkell, 7724 14th St, Detroit, MI 48206

**MON**  
11.8.21  
11:30 AM  
- 12:30 PM

## BRUSHING IS NOT ALL

PRESENTED BY: DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN

Let's continue the conversation about Nutrition and Oral Health. How many teeth do you want to keep? Did you know that brushing and flossing are not the only things to maintain a healthy mouth? It all starts when a woman becomes pregnant and we are in the womb. Let's continue this journey.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**MON**  
11.8.21  
1:00 PM  
- 2:00 PM

## HEALTHY LIVING FOR YOUR BRAIN & BODY

PRESENTED BY: ALZHIEMER'S ASSOCIATION  
GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER

Learn what research has shown about lifestyle choices that may help keep your brain and body healthy as you age. Hear practical ways you can incorporate changes into a plan for healthy aging.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

**TUE**  
11.9.21  
10:00 AM

## DORM ROOM ESSENTIALS

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

The internet is filled with countless lists of dorm essentials you should make sure that your child has, but what do they need to ensure that they have a successful first semester in college. This workshop will explore the various items your scholar needs as they embark their journey of university life.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**WED**  
11.10.21  
9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## HOW TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL MEETING

PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

LOCATION: Mann Elementary School  
19625 Elmira St, Detroit, MI 48228



# NOVEMBER 8, 2021 - NOVEMBER 12, 2021

**WED**

**11.10.21**

**10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM**

## **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT** PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>

**LOCATION:** Vernor Elementary School  
13726 Pembroke Ave, Detroit, MI 48235

**WED**

**11.10.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **GOAL SETTING** PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Emerson School  
18240 Huntington Rd, Detroit, MI 48219

**WED**

**11.10.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **HIV/AIDS AWARENESS** PRESENTED BY: DETROIT RECOVERY PROJECT INC.

Detroit Recovery Project Inc.  
This workshop will encourage safe and healthy decision making

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>

**WED**

**11.10.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **HUMAN TRAFFICKING CONSULTANT TRAINING** PRESENTED BY: STACEY JOHNSON

During this training, people will learn how to appropriately identify and respond to suspected cases of human trafficking and get certified by the state of Michigan in Human Trafficking.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3f7wFky>

**WED**

**11.10.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **TRAUMA-INFORMED PARENTING** PRESENTED BY: THE UNION

The objective of this workshop is to enhance parents/guardians' awareness of the impacts and extent of trauma on their children.

**LOCATION:** Bunche Preparatory Academy  
2715 Macomb Street, Detroit 48207

**WED**

**11.10.21**

**6:00 PM  
- 7:30 PM**

## **EXAM HIGH SCHOOL TRANSFER APPLICATION WEBINAR** PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

Detroit Public Schools Community District has six rigorous examination high schools. In this webinar, you'll learn what makes each school unique as well how to apply for admission, including January 2022 admission. This session is designed to meet the needs of current high school students, including those who are new and those who are returning to an exam high school they previously attended.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/ExamHS-webinar-Nov-10>

**THU**

**11.12.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **BECOME A TECHNOLOGY SUPERHERO** PRESENTED BY: IDA BYRD-HILL

This course will explore careers in tech security and it will highlight how parents and community members can gain profitable knowledge in technology.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3i9SS3i>

**THU**

**11.12.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION** PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR

Attend this training to learn how to actively listen, articulate questions, paraphrasing, and summarizing.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** Catherine C. Blackwell Institute, 9330 Shoemaker St, Detroit, MI 48213

# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**THU**

**11.12.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

**PRESENTED BY: ANGEL FOX**

How to speak and be heard, active listening, developing an effective voice within the school community.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>

**LOCATION:** Fisher Magnet Upper Academy, 15491 Maddelein St, Detroit, MI 48205

**THU**

**11.12.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **GOAL SETTING**

**PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN**

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** Paul Robeson Malcolm X Academy, 2585 Grove, Detroit, MI 48221

**THU**

**11.12.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **FINANCIAL AND CREDIT EDUCATION**

### **GOAL SETTING**

**PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS**

Learn lifelong strategies for you and your family.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

**FRI**

**11.13.21**

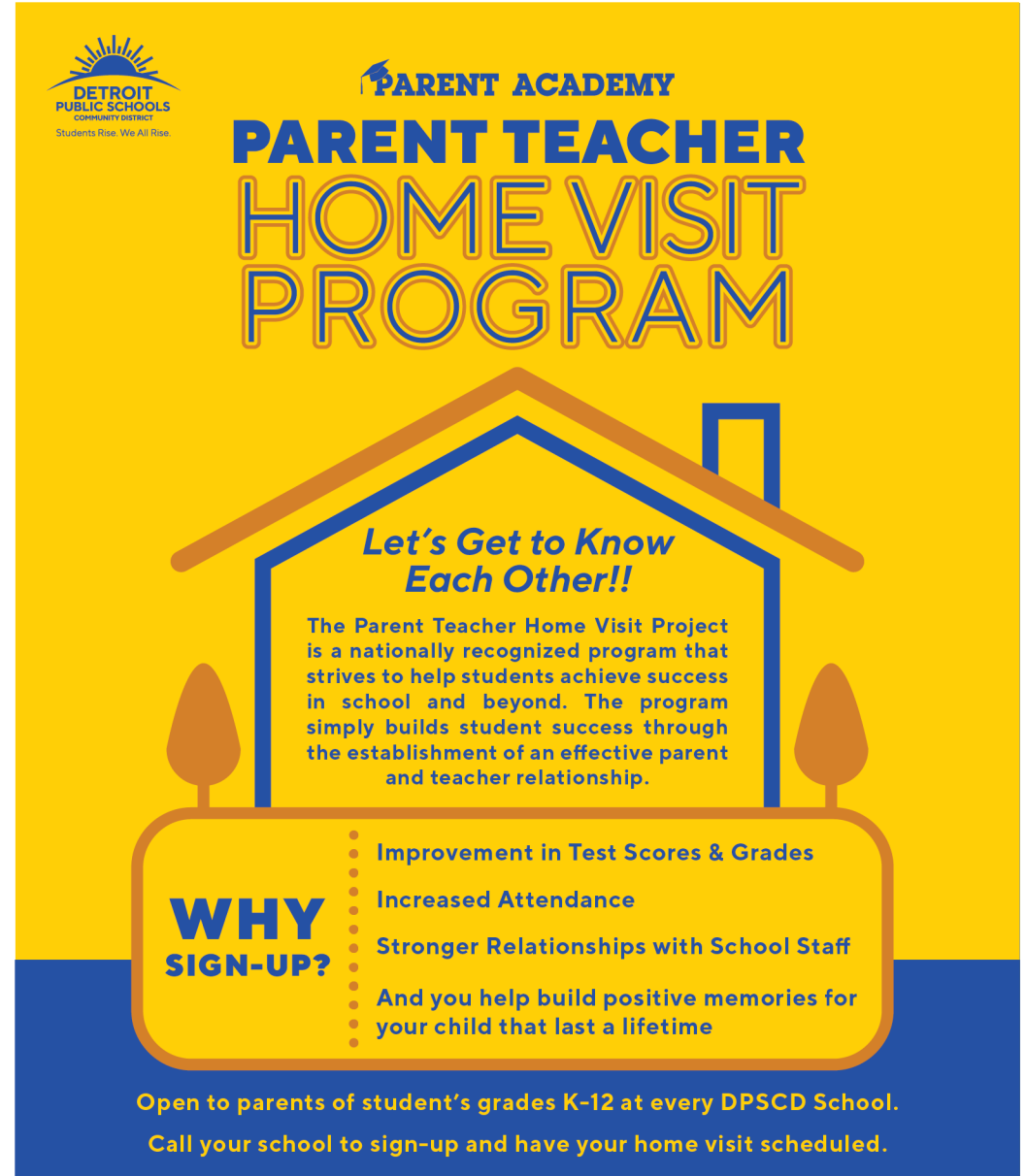
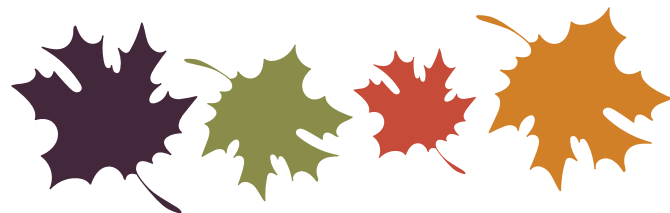
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## **PEDIATRIC HEALTH**

**PRESENTED BY: DARLENE DORSETT AND SARAH HEINS,  
MICHIGAN DEAF NURSES ASSOCIATION**

This presentation will provide our Deaf and hard of hearing families with information on vaccines, safety with school sports and mental health.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/pedhealth>



 **PARENT ACADEMY**

# **PARENT TEACHER HOME VISIT PROGRAM**

*Let's Get to Know Each Other!!*

The Parent Teacher Home Visit Project is a nationally recognized program that strives to help students achieve success in school and beyond. The program simply builds student success through the establishment of an effective parent and teacher relationship.

## **WHY SIGN-UP?**

- Improvement in Test Scores & Grades
- Increased Attendance
- Stronger Relationships with School Staff
- And you help build positive memories for your child that last a lifetime

Open to parents of student's grades K-12 at every DPSCD School.  
Call your school to sign-up and have your home visit scheduled.



# HARVEST CELEBRATION

ADULT EDUCATION WEST,  
16164 ASBURY PARK, DETROIT, MI 48235

11.23.21  
5 - 7 PM



## PARENT ACADEMY FINDING NEMO

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.



SPANISH  
Monday, October 11, 2021  
TIME: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
LINK: <https://bit.ly/3BwhoTO>

ARABIC  
Monday, October 18, 2021  
TIME: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
LINK: <https://bit.ly/2Yfgs7q>

HMONG  
Monday, October 25, 2021  
TIME: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
LINK: <https://bit.ly/3Dw90Vz>

BENGALI  
Monday, November 1, 2021  
TIME: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
LINK: <https://bit.ly/38qEjmf>



# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**

**11.15.21**

**9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM**

## **BUILDING YOUR TEAM**

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** JR King, 15850 Strathmoor St, Detroit, MI 48227

**MON**

**11.15.21**

**10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM**

## **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Turning Point/Fleming  
18501 Waltham St, Detroit, MI 48205

**MON**

**11.15.21**

**2:00 PM  
- 3:00 PM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING**

**PRESENTED BY: SHAREA AYERS**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy2>

**LOCATION:** Bagley, 8100 Curtis St, Detroit, MI 48221

**MON**

**11.15.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **ENROLLMENT 101**

**PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT**

Interested in enrolling in DPSCD? Join us to learn about the enrollment process – what documents and forms you’ll need, where you can submit everything, and how to find your “right fit” school.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

**MON**

**11.15.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

**PRESENTED BY: KHARY FRAZIER**

This workshop discusses how to take passion projects and make them a business reality! Khary will provide tips and tools to help participants understand the process of social entrepreneurship.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3yf9b4q>

**LOCATION:** Bethune, 8145 Puritan Ave, Detroit, MI 48238

**TUE**

**11.16.21**

**10:00 AM**

## **HBCU LIFE**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This workshop will explore the rich history of various HBCU’s. We will explore the admission process, cost and campus life of a HBCU student.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**TUE**

**11.16.21**

**10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM**

## **DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS**

**PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child’s school.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

**TUE**

**11.16.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **REPRESENTING THE STAKEHOLDER**

**PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** Davis Aerospace  
900 Dickerson Ave, Detroit, MI 48215

# NOVEMBER 15, 2021 - NOVEMBER 19, 2021

**TUE**  
11.16.21

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER

PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** DIA, 5161 Charles St., Detroit, MI 48212

**TUE**  
11.16.21

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

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**TUE**  
11.16.21

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## COMERICA CARES SERIES

PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**TUE**  
11.16.21

5:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM

## DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS

PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school. *(This session will be in person, with dinner, limited to 35 participants, 1st come)*

**LOCATION:** 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI. 48211

**TUE**  
11.16.21

6:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM

## MONTESSORI DEMYSTIFIED

PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

This workshop will be useful to you if you are new to the Montessori method of teaching and learning. You will learn about the key principles of the hallmarks of Dr. Maria Montessori's philosophy of education and discover why many parents select this form.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3iucGx5>

**WED**  
11.17.21

10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY

How to speak and be heard, active listening, developing an effective voice within the school community.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>

**LOCATION:** Young Elementary School  
15771 Hubbell Ave, Detroit, MI 48227

**WED**  
11.17.21

10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES

PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** Cody High School  
18445 Cathedral Street, Detroit, MI 48228

**WED**  
11.17.21

11:00 AM  
- 12:00 PM

## MINDFULNESS AND MEDITATION

PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA

Practice the basics of mindfulness and meditation to help relieve stress and tension.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/mindmedpa>

# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**WED**

**11.17.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **BUILDING YOUR TEAM**

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

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**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Gompers School, 14450 Burt Rd, Detroit, MI 48223

**WED**

**11.17.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others

**LOCATION:** Davison, 2800 E. Davison Street, Detroit, MI 48212

**WED**

**11.17.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **PROJECT EMPLOYMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES - MARK BRYANT**

This presentation includes resume and interviewing tips as well as job opportunities within Detroit Public Schools Community District.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**WED**

**11.17.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS**

**PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION**

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

**LOCATION:** Central High School, 2425 Tuxedo Detroit, 48206

**WED**

**11.17.21**

**5:30 PM  
- 7:00 PM**

## **FAMILY AND COMMUNITY GUN SAFETY**

**PRESENTED BY: BLACK BOTTOM GUN CLUB**

This course will teach and demonstrate gun safety as well as discuss the legal considerations of gun ownership for families and community members.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/bbgcsafe>

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**9:30 AM  
- 10:30 AM**

## **SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES**

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** Gardner Elementary School  
6528 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 48228

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**12:00 PM  
- 1:00 PM**

## **SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES**

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** Henderson Upper School  
16101 W Chicago, Detroit, MI 48228

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **HOW TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL MEETING**

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** DSA, 123 Selden, Detroit, MI 48201



# NOVEMBER 15, 2021 - NOVEMBER 19, 2021

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**4:00 PM**

**- 5:00 PM**

## **FOSTERING SELF-ESTEEM IN CHILDREN**

**PRESENTED BY: PAULA RISER**

This session will provide families with a reflective look at their own self-esteem and how that translates to ways they can foster positive self-esteem in their children.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/fosteresteem>

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**5:00 PM**

**- 6:00 PM**

## **BRUSHING IS NOT ALL**

**PRESENTED BY: THE DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN**

Let's continue the conversation about Nutrition and Oral Health. How many teeth do you want to keep? Did you know that brushing and flossing are not the only things to maintain a healthy mouth? It all starts when a woman becomes pregnant and we are in the womb. Let's continue this journey.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**5:30 PM**

**- 6:30 PM**

## **UNDERSTANDING THE LAW**

**PRESENTED BY: ANGEL FOX**

We follow the laws, but do we really understand how the laws work for or against us? This course is designed to help families and community understand the ins and outs of various laws.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>

**LOCATION:** CMA High School, 14771 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 48227

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**6:00 PM**

**- 7:00 PM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING**

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** Marygrove, 8425 W McNichols Rd, Detroit, MI 48221

**THU**

**11.18.21**

**6:00 PM**

**- 7:30 PM**

## **EXAM HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE**

### **APPLICATION WEBINAR**

**PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT**

Detroit Public Schools Community District has six rigorous examination high schools. In this webinar, you'll learn what makes each school unique as well as how to apply for admission. This session is designed to meet the needs of current 8th grade students who are applying for admission to 9th grade for Fall 2022.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EHS-webinar-Nov-18>

**THU**

**8.12.21**

**2:30 PM**

**- 3:30 PM**

## **FOR PARENTS ONLY SERIES - (MODULE 1) WHAT EVERY PARENT SHOULD KNOW ABOUT SECONDARY TRANSITION**

**PRESENTED BY: LEKISHA FRANKLIN SHORTER, DANITA HOLIMON  
AND STEVE EGLAND**

This introductory module is designed to deliver an easy to understand overview of the basics of secondary transition including: planning, services and postsecondary outcomes. It is the first in a series of three modules "For Parents Only"

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2ndtransition>

**INTERACTIVE  
VIRTUAL  
STUDENTS  
PARENT  
SESSION**

**TUESDAY  
OCTOBER 5, 2021  
5:30 PM**  
**TUESDAY  
OCTOBER 12, 2021  
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

**Join meetings here:  
<https://bit.ly/VirtualEnvironment>**



**MON**

**11.22.21**

**9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM**

**PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>  
**LOCATION:** Pasteur, 19811 Stoepel St, Detroit, MI 48221

**MON**

**11.22.21**

**2:00 PM  
- 3:00 PM**

**HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER**

**PRESENTED BY: SHAREA AYERS**

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy2>  
**LOCATION:** Bow, 19801 Prevost St, Detroit, MI 48235

**TUE**

**11.23.21**

**10:00 AM**

**SHOW ME THE MONEY!**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This topic will explore various scholarships in Southeast Michigan that are designated for students from this region. We will also focus on merit-based scholarships at various colleges and universities in Michigan.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**TUE**

**11.23.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

**RUNNING AN EFFECTIVE MEETING**

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Dixon, 8401 Trinity Street, Detroit, MI 48228

**TUE**

**11.23.21**

**5:30 PM  
- 7:00 PM**

**PARENT LISTENING SESSION**

**PRESENTED BY: BOARD MEMBER CORLETTA VAUGHN AND SUPERINTENDENT DR. NIKOLAI VITTI**

Join Board Member Corletta Vaughn and Superintendent Dr. Nikolai Vitti as they share district updates and listen to the experiences and recommendations of improve the DPSCD educational experience.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**HOMEWORK HOTLINE AND MENTAL HEALTH HOTLINE SUPPORT**

Available during the hours of 5:00 – 8:00 PM  
Monday through Thursday.  
Call 1-833-466-3978 for assistance.



# HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

WEDNESDAY  
**DECEMBER 15, 2021**

**5:30 PM**

**ADULT EDUCATION  
WEST**

16164 ASBURY PARK  
DETROIT, MI 48235

## CHRISTMAS COOKIES SEASONAL RECIPE

**PREP TIME: 25 MINS**  
**COOK TIME: 10 MINS**

**TOTAL TIME: 8 HOURS 10 MINS**  
**YIELD: 40 COOKIES**

### INGREDIENTS

225g / 1 cup unsalted butter, softened (or use salted, skip salt)	3 cups (450g) flour, plain/all purpose
1 cup (220g) white sugar	3/4 tsp baking powder
1 1/2 tsp vanilla extract	3/4 tsp salt
1 large egg (55-60g / 1.9-2oz)	Icing for Sugar Cookies

### DIRECTIONS:

Preheat Oven to 180°C / 350°F (160°C fan). Line 2 baking sheets with parchment paper.

Beat butter and sugar in a large bowl until creamy (1 minute on speed 5)

Add egg and vanilla, beat until completely combined.

Add flour, baking powder, and salt.

Start mixing slowly, then beat until the flour is incorporated - it will be clumpy.

Dust work surface with flour, scrape dough out of bowl. Pat together then cut in half, then shape into 2 discs.

Roll out to 0.3cm / 1/8" (for thinner, crispier cookies) or 0.6cm / 1/4" (for thicker, softer cookies), sprinkling with flour under and over the dough so it doesn't stick.

Use cookie cutters to press out shapes and use a knife or spatula to transfer shapes to prepared baking sheets. (Keep dough that doesn't fit in the oven in the fridge).

Bake for 10 minutes, swapping trays halfway (Note 2), until the surface is pale golden and the edges are just beginning to turn light golden.

Allow cookies to cool completely on trays (they will finish cooking on the trays).

### DECORATING OPTIONS:

Icing - see Icing for Christmas Cookies recipe.

Melt chocolate then dip the surface into chocolate.

Dot with icing sugar and decorated with silver balls

Dust with icing sugar

Serve plain! They are sweet vanilla biscuits so they are wonderful eaten just as they are!

Recipe courtesy of Recipetineats.com:  
[https://www.recipetineats.com/wprm\\_print/41684](https://www.recipetineats.com/wprm_print/41684)



# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**

**11.29.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:00 AM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

How to speak and be heard, active listening, developing an effective voice within the school community.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Renaissance, 6565 Outer Dr W, Detroit, MI 48235

**MON**

**11.29.21**

**10:00 AM**

**- 11:00 AM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

How to speak and be heard, active listening, developing an effective voice within the school community.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** West Side Academy, 4701 McKinley St, Detroit, MI 48208

**MON**

**11.29.21**

**2:00 PM**

**- 3:00 PM**

## **HOW TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL MEETING**

**PRESENTED BY: SHAREA AYERS**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy2>

**LOCATION:** DSA, 123 Selden, Detroit, MI 48201

**TUE**

**11.30.21**

**4:00 PM**

**- 5:00 PM**

## **COMERICA CARES SERIES**

**PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK**

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**WED**

**12.1.21**

**9:00 AM**

**- 10:30 AM**

## **DRINK BREAKFAST SAVE A TOOTH**

**PRESENTED BY: THE DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN**

Let's start our day with a nutritious smoothie. Need a recipe? Put the donut down and come and learn how to make a healthy smoothie. The amount of sugar impacts your entire body. So let's reduce the sugar and save a tooth. Did you attend all three webinars? Your name will go into a raffle. The prize is a blender. The first ten that sign up for each webinar will win a prize. In addition, all attendees will receive an oral health kit.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**WED**

**12.1.21**

**10:00 AM**

**- 11:00 AM**

## **UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE**

**PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY**

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>

**LOCATION:** Hamiton Elementary School  
14223 Southampton St, Detroit, MI 48213

**WED**

**12.1.21**

**10:00 AM**

## **CREATING A COLLEGE TEAM FOR YOUR CHILD**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This will focus on examining various ways for parents to help the child create a support system of family and friends for the duration of the students' academic career.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**WED**

**12.1.21**

**11:00 AM**

**- 12:00 PM**

## **SOUND THE ALARM**

**PRESENTED BY: STACEY JOHNSON**

This workshop is designed to raise awareness about human trafficking and how it affects our community.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3yesTgX>

**LOCATION:** Adult Education West, 16164 Asbury Park, Detroit, MI 48235

# NOVEMBER 29, 2021 - DECEMBER 3, 2021

**WED**

**12.1.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Henry Ford, 20000 Evergreen Rd, Detroit, MI 48219

**WED**

**12.1.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **FAMILY AFFIRMATIONS PART 2**

**PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA**

Words have power. In this workshop, the instructor will help parents and community members speak positively over their new year and provide tips on how to stick to their spoken resolutions.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/affirmthefam>

**LOCATION:** Fisher Lower, 15510 E State Fair Ave, Detroit, MI 48205

**THU**

**12.2.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

**PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

Attend this training to learn how to actively listen, articulate questions, paraphrasing, and summarizing.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Nichols Elementary-Middle School  
3000 Burns Ave, Detroit, MI 48214

**THU**

**12.2.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **GOAL SETTING**

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Douglass, 2001 W. Warren, Detroit, MI 48208

**THU**

**12.2.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **WHAT NOW? MY CHILD WITH SPECIAL NEEDS HAS GRADUATED**

**PRESENTED BY: PAULA RISER**

This session will look at ways for parents to keep their child engaged, within the community, and the many resources available to support them.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/gradsneeds>

**THU**

**12.2.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **FINANCIAL AND CREDIT EDUCATION**

**PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS**

Learn lifelong strategies for you and your family.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>





# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**  
12.6.21

9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE

PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

LOCATION: Schulze Elementary School  
10700 Santa Maria St, Detroit, MI 48221

**MON**  
12.6.21

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## K-8 SCIENCE, STEM, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS) OPPORTUNITIES

PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN

Come learn about the amazing K-8 STEM opportunities that your student(s) can be a part of both during school and after school. We will learn about programs such as Chess, Robotics, Academic Games, Invention Convention, Science Fair, Destination Imagination, and multiple Computer Science opportunities.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

LOCATION: Spain, 3700 Beaubien Street, Detroit, MI 48201

**MON**  
12.6.21

7:00 PM  
- 8:00 PM

## CLASSROOM TIPPS

PRESENTED BY: UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK

This workshop will discuss creating safe and inclusive schools and classrooms using the TIPPS (Trauma Informed Practices) framework.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/376xUMm>

**TUE**  
12.7.21

10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS

PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

**TUE**  
12.7.21

5:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM

## DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS

PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school (*This session will be in person, with dinner, limited to 35 participants, 1st come*)

LOCATION: 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

**WED**  
12.8.21

10:00 AM

## UNDERSTANDING FASFA

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will assist parents with understanding the importance of the Federal student aid application process. Will we focus deadlines and debunk popular myths surrounding FAFSA.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**WED**  
12.8.21

12:00 PM  
- 1:00 PM

## PARENTAL ECONOMICS

PRESENTED BY: BANKS SERVICES

Parents and stakeholders will learn basic financial literacy skills and practical economics that they can use to understand topics like credit, budgeting, purchasing power, and more.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/2V0X8cO>

LOCATION: Southeastern High School  
3030 Fairview St, Detroit, MI 48214

**WED**  
12.8.21

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## HIV/AIDS AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: DETROIT RECOVERY PROJECT INC.

This workshop will encourage safe and healthy decision making.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>



# DECEMBER 6, 2021 - DECEMBER 10, 2021

**WED**

**12.8.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **SPEAK OUT AND CHANGE THE WORLD**

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

Oratorical Opportunities for Your Students (5-12)

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Ann Arbor Trail, 7635 Chatham, Detroit, MI 48239

**WED**

**12.8.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING**

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Drew, 9600 Wyoming Ave, Detroit, MI 48204

**WED**

**12.8.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS**

**PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION**

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

**LOCATION:** Davis Aerospace Technical High School At Golightly  
900 Dickerson, Detroit 48215

**THU**

**12.9.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **PARENTAL ECONOMICS**

**PRESENTED BY: KRYSTAL BANKS**

Parents will learn basic financial literacy skills to help them take care of their family and themselves.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2V0X8cO>

**LOCATION:** Brewer, 18025 Brock Ave, Detroit, MI 48205

**THU**

**12.9.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **REPRESENTING THE STAKEHOLDER**

**PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Hutchinson Elementary-Middle  
2600 Garland St, Detroit, MI 48214

**THU**

**12.9.21**

**5:30 PM  
- 7:30 PM**

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**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**THU**

**12.9.21**

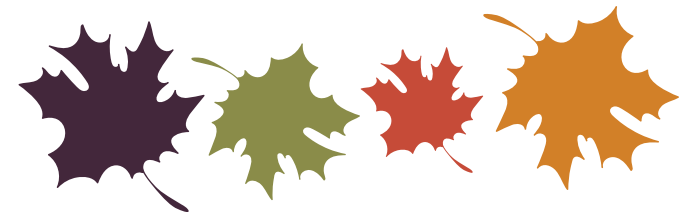
**6:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM**

## **ALL ABOUT EQUITY: CREATING RESPONSIVE CONDITIONS IN DPSCD**

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF EQUITY, ADVOCACY, AND CIVIL RIGHTS**

This workshop will include information and resources to help families and community members understand equity, why it matters, and how we can be more socially responsible.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/equitypa>



# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**MON**

**12.13.21**

**9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM**

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**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

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**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Palmer Park Academy  
3901 Margareta Ave, Detroit, MI 48221

**MON**

**12.13.21**

**1:00 PM  
- 2:00 PM**

## **UNDERSTANDING ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA**

**PRESENTED BY: ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION  
GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

Learn the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, Alzheimer's stages and risk factors, current research and available treatments, and ways the Alzheimer's Association can help.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

**TUE**

**12.14.21**

**11:00 AM  
- 1:00 PM**

## **PARENT LISTENING SESSION**

**PRESENTED BY: BOARD MEMBER CORLETTA VAUGHN AND SUPERINTENDENT DR. NIKOLAI VITTI**

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**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**TUE**

**12.14.21**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

**PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

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**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** J. E. Clark Preparatory Academy  
15755 Bremen St, Detroit, MI 48224

**TUE**

**12.14.21**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

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**PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK**

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**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**WED**

**12.15.21**

**10:00 AM**

## **MAJOR PAYNE: EXPLORING COLLEGE MAJORS**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

After a challenging 2020, many students have struggled to adjust with the new norm in education in a post pandemic society. Some of those challenges included their current academic status and their post-secondary education options beyond high school. This workshop will give parents the tools on how to assist their child on how to select the right major/minor as they embark on their journey through career interest.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**WED**

**12.15.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **HOW TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL MEETING**

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>

**LOCATION:** Dixon Educational Learning Academy  
8401 Trinity St, Detroit, MI 48228

**WED**

**12.15.21**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **SHARED LEADERSHIP**

**PRESENTED BY: TENEA MENIFEE**

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Carver, 18701 Paul Street, Detroit, MI 48228

# DECEMBER 13, 2021 - DECEMBER 17, 2021

**WED**

12.15.21

3:00 PM

- 4:00 PM

## PROJECT EMPLOYMENT

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES - MARK BRYANT

This presentation includes resume and interviewing tips as well as job opportunities within Detroit Public Schools Community District.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**WED**

12.15.21

4:00 PM

- 5:00 PM

## TRAUMA-INFORMED PARENTING

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

The objective of this workshop is to enhance parents/guardians' awareness of the impacts and extent of trauma on their children.

LOCATION: Davis Aerospace Technical High School At Golightly  
900 Dickerson, Detroit 48215

**THU**

12.16.21

4:00 PM

- 5:00 PM

## ENCOURAGING EMOTIONAL GROWTH

PRESENTED BY: PAULA RISER

This session will help parents understand that children feel a range of emotions. Parents will learn to teach their children some appropriate and acceptable ways to express their feelings.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/EmoGro>

**WED**

12.22.21

10:00 AM

## HOW TO SEARCH FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This topic will explore various scholarships in Southeast Michigan that are designated for students from this region. We will also focus on merit-based scholarships at various colleges and universities in Michigan.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>



**PARENT ACADEMY**

# Painting

WITH PURPOSE

Parents bring your children and let's paint with a purpose.  
Join us for some family fun!

<b>Wednesday, October 6, 2021</b> <b>Marion Law Academy</b> 19411 Cliff St, Detroit, MI 48234 4:00 PM	<b>Wednesday, November 3, 2021</b> <b>Ronald Brown Academy</b> 11530 Outer Dr E, Detroit, MI 48223 4:00 PM
<b>Wednesday, October 13, 2021</b> <b>Nolan Elementary-Middle School</b> 1150 E Lantz St, Detroit, MI 48203 3:00 PM	<b>Tuesday, November 23, 2021</b> <b>Brenda Scott Academy</b> 18440 Hoover St, Detroit, MI 48205 4:00 PM
<b>Tuesday, October 19, 2021</b> <b>Brewer Academy</b> 18025 Brock Ave, Detroit, MI 48205 3:00 PM	<b>Wednesday, December 8, 2021</b> <b>Mason Academy</b> 19955 Fenelon St, Detroit, MI 48234 4:00 PM
<b>Wednesday, October 20, 2021</b> <b>Duke Ellington</b> 8030 Outer Dr E, Detroit, MI 48213 4:00 PM	<b>Friday, December 10, 2021</b> <b>Osborn High School</b> 11600 Seven Mile E, Detroit, MI 48205 4:00 PM
<b>Thursday, October 28, 2021</b> <b>Wayne Elementary School</b> 10633 Courville St, Detroit, MI 48224 4:00 PM	<b>Wednesday, January 13, 2021</b> <b>Carlton Elementary School</b> 11724 Casino Ave, Detroit, MI 48224 4:00 PM

PLEASE CALL (313) 873-7490 TO REGISTER





# DECEMBER 27, 2021 - JANUARY 7, 2022

**WED**

**12.29.21**

**10:00 AM**

## **HELP!!! MY CHILD HAS GIVEN UP ON COLLEGE SINCE THE PANDEMIC**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

After a challenging 2020, many students have struggled to adjust with the new norm in education in a post pandemic society. Some of those challenges included their current academic status and their post-secondary education options beyond high school. This workshop will give parents tactics to encourage their child during these challenging times in education.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**TUE**

**1.4.22**

**9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING**

**PRESENTED BY: LACI BOSQUEZ**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy16>  
**LOCATION:** Academy of the Americas  
5680 Konkel St, Detroit, MI 48210

**TUE**

**1.4.22**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>  
**LOCATION:** Mackenzie, 10147 West Chicago, Detroit, MI 48204

**TUE**

**1.4.22**

**3:30 PM  
- 4:30 PM**

## **PREPARING FOR LOCAL ELECTIONS**

**PRESENTED BY: SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to be an informed voter for the upcoming primary election.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/electionprepmi>

**WED**

**1.5.22**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **CONSENSUS BUILDING**

**PRESENTED BY: TENEA MENIFEE**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>  
**LOCATION:** Cooke, 18800 Puritan Street, Detroit, MI 48223

**THU**

**1.6.22**

**10:00 AM**

## **UNDERSTANDING FASFA**

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This workshop will assist parents with understanding the importance of the Federal student aid application process. Will we focus deadlines and debunk popular myths surrounding FAFSA.

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**THU**

**1.6.22**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## **HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER**

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>  
**LOCATION:** King, 3200 E Lafayette St, Detroit, MI 48207

**THU**

**1.6.22**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## **FINANCIAL AND CREDIT EDUCATION**

**PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS**

Learn lifelong strategies for you and your family.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

# DTE

# Keep Your Power On

## If you can't pay your bills, we can help!



Call DTE Today: 800.477.4747



### Get Your Balance Reduced

You may be able to get money to help pay down your balance. Call and we can help you get this aid.



### Get Your Power Back On

Is your power off? We can help you get it back. We will find you the best form of help, but you have to call us.



### Lower Your Bills

We can put you on a payment plan so your bills are affordable. Call us to find the best plan for you.



### Save Money

Using less energy is easy, and it will save you money. Call and we can show you how.

## Do You Qualify for Help in Paying Your Balance?

If you have this many people in your household...

... and your income is below these amounts, you qualify for:

- **HHC: Home Heating Credit**
- **SER: State Emergency Relief**
- **SPP: Shutoff Protection Program**

Number of Household Members and/or Exemptions	Maximum Income 110% (HHC) Annual	Maximum Income 150% (SER, THAW, Salvation Army, MCAAA) Monthly	Maximum Income 200% (SPP) Monthly
1	\$14,036	\$1,595	\$2,126
2	\$18,964	\$2,155	\$2,873
3	\$23,892	\$2,715	\$3,620
4	\$28,820	\$3,275	\$4,346
5	\$33,748	\$3,835	\$5,113
6	\$38,676	\$4,395	\$5,860
7	\$43,064	\$4,955	\$6,607
8	\$48,532	\$5,515	\$7,353
Each Additional Add	\$4,928	\$560	\$747

\*Some non-profit agencies might provide assistance to households with a higher income level. Please contact the agency for details.

# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR



**MON**

1.10.22

1:00 PM  
- 2:00 PM

## **DEMENTIA CONVERSATIONS: DRIVING, DOCTOR VISITS, LEGAL & FINANCIAL PLANNING**

**PRESENTED BY: ALZHIEMER'S ASSOCIATION  
GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

Learn to have honest and caring conversations about common concerns when someone begins to show signs of dementia.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

**TUE**

1.11.22

10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## **DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS**

**PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

**TUE**

1.11.22

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

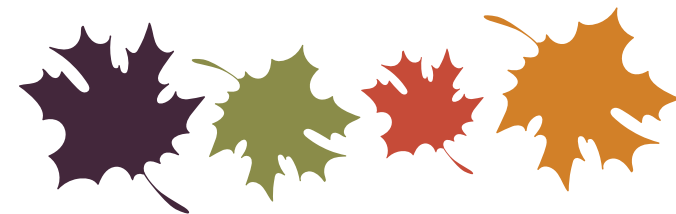
## **K-8 SCIENCE, STEM, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS) OPPORTUNITIES**

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

Come learn about the amazing K-8 STEM opportunities that your student(s) can be a part of both during school and after school. We will learn about programs such as Chess, Robotics, Academic Games, Invention Convention, Science Fair, Destination Imagination, and multiple Computer Science opportunities.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Carver, 18701 Paul Street, Detroit, MI 48228



**MON**

1.10.22

9:00 AM  
- 10:00 AM

## **SHARED LEADERSHIP**

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Ludington, 19501 Berg Rd, Detroit, MI 48219

**MON**

1.10.22

10:00 AM  
- 11:00 AM

## **UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE**

**PRESENTED BY: LACI BOSQUEZ**

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy16>

**LOCATION:** Logan, 3811 Cicotte St, Detroit, MI 48210



# JANUARY 10, 2022 - JANUARY 14, 2022

**TUE**

1.11.22

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN

Attend this training to learn how to actively listen, articulate questions, paraphrasing, and summarizing

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

LOCATION: Thurgood, 15531 Linwood Street, Detroit, MI 48238

**TUE**

1.11.22

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## COMERICA CARES SERIES

PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**TUE**

1.11.22

5:00 PM  
- 7:00 PM

## DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS

PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school. *(This session will be in person, with dinner, limited to 35 participants, 1st come)*

LOCATION: 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

**WED**

1.12.22

2:30 PM  
- 3:30 PM

## FOR PARENTS ONLY SERIES (MODULE 2): MAKE THE CONNECTION, UNDERSTANDING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN COMMUNITY AGENCIES AND SECONDARY TRANSITION

PRESENTED BY: TRANSITION TEAM: LEKISHA FRANKLIN SHORTER,  
DANITA HOLIMON AND STEVE EGLAND

This For Parents Only Series (Module 2) explores the role and importance of community agencies and business partnerships in secondary transition.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/ParMod2>

**WED**

1.12.22

3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM

## HIV/AIDS AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: DETROIT RECOVERY PROJECT INC.

This workshop will encourage safe and healthy decision making.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>

**WED**

1.12.22

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

LOCATION: Durfee Elementary-Middle School  
2425 Tuxedo Street, Detroit 48206

**THU**

1.13.22

10:00 AM

## SUPPORTING MY CHILD'S COLLEGE ASPIRATIONS DURING THE PANDEMIC

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

Create opportunities for parents to prepare their students for the college experience.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>





# PARENT ACADEMY | WEEKLY CALENDAR

**WED**

**1.19.22**

**3:00 PM  
- 4:00 PM**

## PROJECT EMPLOYMENT

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES - MARK BRYANT

This presentation includes resume and interviewing tips as well as job opportunities within Detroit Public Schools Community District.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**WED**

**1.19.22**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## TRAUMA-INFORMED PARENTING

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

The objective of this workshop is to enhance parents/guardians' awareness of the impacts and extent of trauma on their children.

LOCATION: Durfee Elementary-Middle School  
2425 Tuxedo Street, Detroit 48206

**WED**

**1.19.22**

**5:30 PM  
- 6:30 PM**

## GETTING READY TO LEVEL UP TO HIGH SCHOOL AT DPSCD

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

This workshop outlines the academic life of a high schooler and provides a family conversational guide to help students successfully navigate through the transition from middle school to high school. Learn how to support your student's understanding of high school expectations and norms and how to help your student prepare for his or her future high school experience.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

**THU**

**1.20.22**

**5:00 PM  
- 6:00 PM**

## 9-12 SCIENCE, STEM, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS) OPPORTUNITIES

PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

Come learn about the amazing 9-12 STEM opportunities that your student(s) can be a part of both during school and after school. We will learn about programs such as Chess, Robotics, Academic Games, Invention Convention, Science Fair, Destination Imagination, and multiple Computer Science opportunities.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

LOCATION: Renaissance, 6565 W. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48235

**THU**

**1.20.22**

**10:00 AM**

## MAJOR PAYNE: EXPLORING COLLEGE MAJORS

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

After a challenging 2020, many students have struggled to adjust with the new norm in education in a post pandemic society. Some of those challenges included their current academic status and their post-secondary education options beyond high school. This workshop will give parents the tools on how to assist their child on how to select the right major/minor as they embark on their journey through career interest.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**MON**

**1.24.22**

**5:00 PM  
- 6:00 PM**

## ENROLLMENT 101

PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

Interested in enrolling in DPSCD? Join us to learn about the enrollment process – what documents and forms you'll need, where you can submit everything, and how to find your "right fit" school.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

**TUE**

**1.25.22**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## COMERICA CARES SERIES

PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**TUE**

**1.25.22**

**4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM**

## KINDERRISE - MAKING THE BEST DECISION FOR YOUR CHILD'S FUTURE KINDERGARTEN

PRESENTED BY: THE OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

Join us and learn about the benefits of being a Kindergartener at DPSCD, school options available for your family, and ways to support your child as they transition to a Kindergarten classroom, whether that's virtually or in-person.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

# JANUARY 17, 2022 - JANUARY 28, 2022

**TUE**  
1.25.22

5:30 PM  
- 7:00 PM

## PARENT LISTENING SESSION

PRESENTED BY: BOARD MEMBER CORLETTA VAUGHN AND SUPERINTENDENT DR. NIKOLAI VITTI

Join Board Member Corletta Vaughn and Superintendent Dr. Nikolai Vitti as they share district updates and listen to the experiences and recommendations of improve the DPSCD educational experience.

LINK: <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**WED**  
1.26.22

4:00 PM  
- 5:00 PM

## MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

LOCATION: East English Village Preparatory Academy  
5020 Cadieux, Detroit 48224

**THU**  
1.27.22

10:00 AM

## UNDERSTANDING A COLLEGE COMPARISON WORKSHEET

PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This topic will provide parents with the necessary tools and best practices to do a comparative analysis of various colleges and universities.

LINK: <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

## HOMEWORK HOTLINE AND MENTAL HEALTH HOTLINE SUPPORT

Available during the hours of 5:00 – 8:00 PM  
Monday through Thursday.  
Call 1-833-466-3978 for assistance.



## VIRTUAL PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

PAC's mission is to empower parents, guardians, and grandparents of students with an active IEP.

Monthly 4:30 – 5:30  
Join meetings here:  
<https://bit.ly/2XbU4v>

- ▶ October 19, 2021
- ▶ November 16, 2021
- ▶ December 7, 2021
- ▶ January 4, 2022

### Meal distribution

Will occur each Monday and Thursday from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. once school starts at four regional Grab and Go meal sites will operate this year. Virtual School students can pick up meals at: Fisher Upper, Mumford, Earhart and Central High School

### Homework Hotline & Mental Health Hotline

Homework Hotline and Mental Health Hotline support will be available during the hours of 5:00 – 8:00 PM, Monday through Thursday. Call 1-833-466-3978 for assistance.

An IT Hub will be available at the DPSCD Virtual School location at the former CMA High School at 14771 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 48227





# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT





## STRATEGIES FOR STRENGTHENING LITERACY SKILLS AT HOME

Having strong reading abilities can enable you to interpret and find meaning in everything you read.

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, October 4, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** CMA

14771 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 48227

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Monday, November 1, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Southeastern

3030 Fairview St., Detroit, MI 48214

## HOMEWORK HOTLINE AND MENTAL HEALTH HOTLINE SUPPORT

Available during the hours of  
5:00 – 8:00 PM

Monday through Thursday.

Call 1-833-466-3978 for assistance.



## SUPPLEMENTING STUDENT LEARNING USING ZEARN

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM**

Want to know how you can support your child's learning outside of school? What's available to you to reinforce past math skills and concepts that you want our students to revisit from the previous grade levels? Want to accelerate your child's learning to future content? Well Zearn is the resource for you. This session is designed to expose you to Zearn, our Eureka Math-aligned digital platform that our K-7 students and families have 24-7 access to supplement their learning needs throughout the school year. Target Grade Band: K-7

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 6, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>

**LOCATION:** Fisher Magnet Lower Academy  
15510 E State Fair Ave, Detroit, MI 48205

**DATE:** Thursday, October 14, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Garvey Academy  
2301 Van Dyke St, Detroit, MI 48214

## FINDING NEMO (SPANISH)

**PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**DATE:** Monday, October 11, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3BwhoT0>

## FINDING NEMO (ARABIC)

**PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**DATE:** Monday, October 18, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2Yfqs7q>

## FINDING NEMO (HMONG)

**PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**DATE:** Monday, October 25, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3Dw90Vz>

## FINDING NEMO (BENGALI)

**PRESENTED BY: BILINGUAL DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to navigate the District website, request interpretation and translation services, and become aware of language access resources for multilingual families.

**DATE:** Monday, November 1, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38qEjmf>



## BRICKS4KIDZ

**PRESENTED BY: BRICKS4KIDZ STAFF**

Learners enjoy interactive, theme-based building challenges using LEGO® bricks. Our S.T.E.A.M.-based proprietary curriculum complements what your child is already learning at school with fun and educational units like Energy is Everywhere, Life Science and many more. Just make sure you have assorted LEGO pieces to create learn and create in a friendly and fun Virtual Class!

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/bricksforkidz>

**LOCATION:** Barton  
8530 Joy Road, Detroit, MI 48204

## SUPPLEMENTING STUDENT LEARNING USING KHAN ACADEMY

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM**

Want to know how you can support your child's learning outside of school? What's available to you to reinforce past math skills and concepts that you want our students to revisit from the previous grade levels and math courses? Want to accelerate your child's learning to future content? Well Khan Academy is the resource for you. This session is designed to expose you to Khan Academy, a digital platform that our grade 8-12 students and families have 24-7 access to supplement their learning needs throughout the school year.

**DATE:** Thursday, October 14, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Cass  
2501 Second Avenue, Detroit, MI 48201

## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Monday, October 25, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Mumford High School

17525 Wyoming Ave, Detroit, MI

### EXAM HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE APPLICATION WEBINAR

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT**

Detroit Public Schools Community District has six rigorous examination high schools. In this webinar, you'll learn what makes each school unique as well as how to apply for admission. This session is designed to meet the needs of current 8th grade students who are applying for admission to 9th grade for Fall 2022.

**DATE:** Monday, October 18, 2021

**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EHS-webinar-Oct-18>

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021

**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/ExamHS-webinar-Nov-10>

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021

**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EHS-webinar-Nov-18>

### HOMEWORK HOTLINE AND MENTAL HEALTH HOTLINE SUPPORT

Available during the hours of  
5:00 – 8:00 PM

Monday through Thursday.

Call 1-833-466-3978 for assistance.

### PREPARING FOR LOCAL ELECTIONS

**PRESENTED BY: SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT**

Learn how to be an informed voter for the upcoming primary election.

**DATE:** Thursday, October 28, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** Golightly

5536 St. Antoine Street, Detroit, MI 48202

**DATE:** Monday, November 1, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/electionprepmi>

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 4, 2022

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/electionprepmi>

### SPEAK OUT AND CHANGE THE WORLD

Oratorical Opportunities for Your Students (5-12)

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Thursday, November 4, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** FLICS

6501 Outer Dr W, Detroit, MI 48235

**PRESENTED BY: Tanea Meniffee**

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 8, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Ann Arbor Trail

7635 Chatham, Detroit, MI 48239

### GETTING READY TO LEVEL UP TO HIGH SCHOOL AT DPSCD

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT**

This workshop outlines the academic life of a high schooler and provides a family conversational guide to help students successfully navigate through the transition from middle school to high school. Learn how to support your student's understanding of high school expectations and norms and how to help your student prepare for his or her future high school experience.

**DATE:** Monday, November 1, 2021

**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 19, 2022

**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

### K-8 SCIENCE, STEM, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS) OPPORTUNITIES

Come learn about the amazing K-8 STEM opportunities that your student(s) can be a part of both during school and after school. We will learn about programs such as Chess, Robotics, Academic Games, Invention Convention, Science Fair, Destination Imagination, and multiple Computer Science opportunities.

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Monday, December 6, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Spain

3700 Beaubien Street, Detroit, MI 48201

**PRESENTED BY: Tanea Meniffee**

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Carver

18701 Paul Street, Detroit, MI 48228

### 9-12 SCIENCE, STEM, AND COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS) OPPORTUNITIES

**PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM**

Come learn about the amazing 9-12 STEM opportunities that your student(s) can be a part of both during school and after school. We will learn about programs such as Chess, Robotics, Academic Games, Invention Convention, Science Fair, Destination Imagination, and multiple Computer Science opportunities.

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy7>

**LOCATION:** Western

1500 Scotten Street, Detroit, MI 48209

**DATE:** Thursday, January 20, 2022

**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Renaissance

6565 W. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48235



### GROWING YOUR LOVE OF LITERACY THROUGH READING PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN

Having strong reading abilities can enable you to interpret and find meaning in everything you read.

**DATE:** Thursday, November 4, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** Greenfield Union

420 W. 7 Mile Road Detroit, MI 48203

### MONTESSORI DEMYSTIFIED PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF CURRICULUM

This workshop will be useful to you if you are new to the Montessori method of teaching and learning. You will learn about the key principles of the hallmarks of Dr. Maria Montessori's philosophy of education and discover why many parents select this form.

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021

**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3iucGx5>

### ENROLLMENT 101 PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

Interested in enrolling in DPSCD? Join us to learn about the enrollment process – what documents and forms you'll need, where you can submit everything, and how to find your "right fit" school.

**DATE:** Monday, January 24, 2022

**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

### KINDERRISE - MAKING THE BEST DECISION FOR YOUR CHILD'S FUTURE KINDERGARTEN PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT

Join us and learn about the benefits of being a Kindergartener at DPSCD, school options available for your family, and ways to support your child as they transition to a Kindergarten classroom, whether that's virtually or in-person.

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EnrollmentDPSCD>

### UNDERSTANDING FAFSA PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will assist parents with understanding the importance of the Federal student aid application process. Will we focus deadlines and debunk popular myths surrounding FAFSA.

**DATE:** Monday, October 4, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 8, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**DATE:** Thursday, January 6, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>



### PICKING A COLLEGE PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

Parents will learn effective strategies on how to find the perfect fit for their child's educational goals. Parents will receive industry leading tools that will assist them through their journey of finding the right college.

**DATE:** Monday, October 11, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 2, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### BIG BROTHER AS ROLE MODEL PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will focus on the educational influence that older siblings have on their family and give parents tools and strategies on how to foster the leadership from their influence.

**DATE:** Monday, October 18, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### SOCIAL MEDIA CHECKUP PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will give tips to parents/students about how to manage their digital presence on social media. It is critical that students understand their digital footprint as many colleges and universities observe prospective students' social media pages.

**DATE:** Monday, October 25, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### DORM ROOM ESSENTIALS PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

The internet is filled with countless lists of dorm essentials you should make sure that your child has, but what do they need to ensure that they have a successful first semester in college. This workshop will explore the various items your scholar needs as they embark their journey of university life.

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 9, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### TOPIC: HBCU LIFE PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This workshop will explore the rich history of various HBCU's. We will explore the admission process, cost and campus life of a HBCU student.

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### SHOW ME THE MONEY! PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR

This topic will explore various scholarships in Southeast Michigan that are designated for students from this region. We will also focus on merit-based scholarships at various colleges and universities in Michigan.

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>



## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

### CREATING A COLLEGE TEAM FOR YOUR CHILD

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This will focus on examining various ways for parents to help the child create a support system of family and friends for the duration of the students' academic career.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 1, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### MAJOR PAYNE: EXPLORING COLLEGE MAJORS

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

After a challenging 2020, many students have struggled to adjust with the new norm in education in a post pandemic society. Some of those challenges included their current academic status and their post-secondary education options beyond high school. This workshop will give parents the tools on how to assist their child on how to select the right major/minor as they embark on their journey through career interest.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

**DATE:** Thursday, January 20, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### SUPPORTING MY CHILD'S COLLEGE ASPIRATIONS DURING THE PANDEMIC

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

**DATE:** Thursday, January 13, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### HOW TO SEARCH FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This topic will explore various scholarships in Southeast Michigan that are designated for students from this region. We will also focus on merit-based scholarships at various colleges and universities in Michigan.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 22, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### TOPIC: HELP!!! MY CHILD HAS GIVEN UP ON COLLEGE SINCE THE PANDEMIC

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

After a challenging 2020, many students have struggled to adjust with the new norm in education in a post pandemic society. Some of those challenges included their current academic status and their post-secondary education options beyond high school. This workshop will give parents tactics to encourage their child during these challenging times in education.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>

### UNDERSTANDING A COLLEGE COMPARISON WORKSHEET

**PRESENTED BY: BLUCAR**

This topic will provide parents with the necessary tools and best practices to do a comparative analysis of various colleges and universities.

**DATE:** Thursday, January 27, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3i99VB5>



The poster features a red background with a central orange rectangle. At the top left is an apple icon, and at the top right is a Frito-Lay logo. At the bottom left is a drink icon, and at the bottom right is a burger icon. Horizontal and vertical lines in yellow and black are scattered across the design.

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**(313) 876-4000**

**Detroit Health Department COVID-19**  
**dhdoutbreak@detroitmi.gov**

**COVID-19 Vaccination Scheduling Line**  
**(313) 230-0505**



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PERSONAL & PROFESSIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT





**MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE  
PRESENTED BY: SUSAN GARDNER OF  
DISTRICT 2 MENTAL HEALTH TASK FORCE**

The Mental Health Task Force is an interactive workshop with families, community members, and mental health professionals. Participants will have the opportunity to discuss and learn about topics concerning mental health like anxiety, stress, and more.

**DATE:** Saturday, October 2, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3j229d9>  
**LOCATION:** 8200 West Outer Drive  
Detroit, MI 48219

**DATE:** Thursday, October 28, 2021  
**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3j229d9>

**STICKY SITUATIONS  
PRESENTED BY: KRYSTAL BANKS**

In life we sometimes find ourselves in uncommon situations. Therefore, this workshop will help stakeholders learn how to navigate the justice/legal system.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/stickypa>  
**LOCATION:** Garvey  
2301 Van Dyke St., Detroit, MI 48214



**COMERICA CARES SERIES  
PRESENTED BY: COMERICA BANK**

This workshop will provide support dealing with a wide array of subjects to improve and enhance individuals banking needs.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 19, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 30, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**DATE:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/33HgNPR>



**HIV/AIDS AWARENESS  
PRESENTED BY: DETROIT RECOVERY  
PROJECT INC.**

This workshop will encourage safe and healthy decision making.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 6, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 12, 2022  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3eJQEWG>

**ALL ABOUT EQUITY: CREATING  
RESPONSIVE CONDITIONS IN  
DPSCD  
PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF EQUITY,  
ADVOCACY, AND CIVIL RIGHTS**

This workshop will include information and resources to help families and community members understand equity, why it matters, and how we can be more socially responsible.

**DATE:** Thursday, October 7, 2021  
**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/equitypa>

**DATE:** Thursday, November 4, 2021  
**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/equitypa>

**DATE:** Thursday, December 9, 2021  
**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/equitypa>

**BECOME A TECHNOLOGY  
SUPERHERO!  
PRESENTED BY: IDA BYRD-HILL**

This course will explore careers in tech security, and it will highlight how parents and community members can gain profitable knowledge in technology.

**DATE:** Thursday, October 7, 2021  
**TIME:** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2Wr3fHD>  
**LOCATION:** Noble Elementary School  
8646 Fullerton Ave, Detroit, MI 48238  
**DATE:** Thursday November 11, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3i9SS3i>

**RAISING ENTREPRENEURS  
PRESENTED BY: SHAMENIA STEWART-  
ADAMS**

One of DPSCD's parents will discuss how she and her family promotes entrepreneurship and prepares their children for a life in business.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3xbMqwU>  
**LOCATION:** Bagley  
8100 Curtis St, Detroit, MI 48221

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3xbMqwU>  
**LOCATION:** Bagley  
8100 Curtis St, Detroit, MI 48221



## MINDFULNESS AND MEDITATION

**PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA**

Practice the basics of mindfulness and meditation to help relieve stress and tension.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 13, 2021

**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/mindmedpa>

**LOCATION:** Bethune

8145 Puritan Ave, Detroit, MI 48238

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021

**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/mindmedpa>

## FAMILY AND COMMUNITY GUN SAFETY

**PRESENTED BY: BLACK BOTTOM GUN CLUB**

This course will teach and demonstrate gun safety as well as discuss the legal considerations of gun ownership for families and community members.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 13, 2021

**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/bbgcsafe>

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021

**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/bbgcsafe>



## SHARED LEADERSHIP

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, October 11, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Bates Academy

19701 Wyoming Ave, Detroit, MI 48221

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Clippert Academy

1981 McKinstry St, Detroit, MI 48209

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Monday, October 18, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Burns

14350 Terry St., Detroit, MI 48227

**PRESENTED BY: TENEA MENIFEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Carver

18701 Paul Street, Detroit, MI 48228

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Ludington

19501 Berg Rd, Detroit, MI 48219

## GOAL SETTING

Participants will engage in a process to set SMART Goals. (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time-Bound)

**PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY**

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021

**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>

**LOCATION:** Keidan Special Education Center

4441 Collingwood St, Detroit, MI 48204

**PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 21, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>

**LOCATION:** Carstens Academy of

Aquatic Science

13000 Essex Ave, Detroit, MI 48215

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Maybury Elementary School

4410 Porter St, Detroit, MI 48209

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, November 8, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** JL White

14804 W McNichols Rd, Detroit, MI 48235

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Emerson School

18240 Huntington Rd, Detroit, MI 48219

**PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN**

**DATE:** Thursday, November 11, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>

**LOCATION:** Paul Robeson Malcolm X Academy

2585 Grove, Detroit, MI 48221

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Thursday, December 2, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Douglass

2001 W. Warren, Detroit, MI 48208

## CREDIT RESTORATION EDUCATION

**PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS**

Learn how to establish/re-establish and protect your credit score and credit history.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 13, 2021

**TIME:** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3iDi8xK>

**LOCATION:** Southeastern High School

3030 Fairview St, Detroit, MI 48214

## REPRESENTING YOUR STAKEHOLDERS

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 13, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Bethune

8145 Puritan Street, Detroit, MI 48227

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Monday, October 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Bennett Elementary School  
 2111 Mullane St, Detroit, MI 48209

**HOW TO CONDUCT A SUCCESSFUL MEETING**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

**DATE:** Thursday, October 14, 2021  
**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** DCP @ Northwestern High School  
 2200 W Grand Blvd, Detroit, MI 48208

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Mann Elementary School  
 19625 Elmira St, Detroit, MI 48228

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>  
**LOCATION:** DSA  
 123 Selden, Detroit, MI 48201

**PRESENTED BY: SHAREA AYERS**

**DATE:** Monday, November 29, 2021  
**TIME:** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy2>  
**LOCATION:** DSA, 123 Selden, Detroit, MI 48201

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Dixon Educational Learning Academy  
 8401 Trinity St, Detroit, MI 48228

**FINANCIAL AND CREDIT EDUCATION**

**PRESENTED BY: KEVIN BUTTS**

Learn lifelong strategies for you and your family.

**DATE:** Thursday, October 14, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

**DATE:** Thursday, November 11, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

**DATE:** Thursday, December 2, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

**DATE:** Thursday, January 6, 2022  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/38u96ia>

**CONSENSUS BUILDING**

Participants will learn to engage in a decision-making process in which group members develop and agree to support a decision in the best interest of the whole group.

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, October 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>  
**LOCATION:** Ben Carson  
 571 Mack Ave, Detroit, MI 48201

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Friday, October 22, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Earhart Elementary-Middle School  
 1000 Scotten Ave, Detroit, MI 48209

**PRESENTED BY: SHAREA AYERS**

**DATE:** Monday, November 15, 2021  
**TIME:** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy2>  
**LOCATION:** Bagley  
 8100 Curtis St, Detroit, MI 48221

**PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS**

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Marygrove, 8425 W McNichols Rd  
 Detroit, MI 48221

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 8, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>  
**LOCATION:** Drew  
 9600 Wyoming Ave, Detroit, MI 48204

**PRESENTED BY: LACI BOSQUEZ**

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 4, 2022  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy16>  
**LOCATION:** Academy of the Americas  
 5680 Konkel St, Detroit, MI 48210

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>  
**LOCATION:** Cooke  
 18800 Puritan Street, Detroit, MI 48223

**BUILDING YOUR TEAM**

Whether you are running a group of parents, or an Advisory Board, participants will learn to identify the core skills, knowledge, and attitude required, and how to engage those individuals on your team.

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 19, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Munger Elementary-Middle School  
 5525 Martin St, Detroit, MI 48210

**PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 3, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>  
**LOCATION:** Pershing High School  
 18875 Ryan Rd, Detroit, MI 48234

**PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN**

**DATE:** Thursday, October 21, 2021  
**TIME:** 2:45 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>  
**LOCATION:** Bunche  
 2715 Macomb Street, Detroit, MI 48207

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Thursday, November 4, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>  
**LOCATION:** Durfee  
 2425 Tuxedo Street, Detroit, MI 48206-1222

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Monday, November 8, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>  
**LOCATION:** Thirkell, 7724 14th St, Detroit, MI 48206



## PERSONAL & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### **PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, November 15, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** JR King

15850 Strathmoor St, Detroit, MI 48227

### **PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Gompers School

14450 Burt Rd, Detroit, MI 48223

### **HUMAN TRAFFICKING CONSULTANT TRAINING**

#### **PRESENTED BY: STACEY JOHNSON**

During this training, people will learn how to appropriately identify and respond to suspected cases of human trafficking and get certified by the state of Michigan in Human Trafficking.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3f7wFky>

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3f7wFky>

### **RUNNING EFFECTIVE MEETINGS**

#### **PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

Participants will learn strategies to have highly productive meeting where members leave feeling as though their time was well spent.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021

**TIME:** 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Mark Twain School for Scholars

12800 Visger St, Detroit, MI 48217

### **PROJECT EMPLOYMENT**

#### **PRESENTED BY: OFFICE OF HUMAN**

#### **RESOURCES - MARK BRYANT**

This presentation includes resume and interviewing tips as well as job opportunities within Detroit Public Schools Community District.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 15, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 19, 2022

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/projectemploymentpa>

### **FAMILY AFFIRMATIONS**

#### **PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA**

Words have power. In this workshop, the instructor will help parents and community members identify how to speak positively over themselves and their loved ones.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/affirmthefam>

**LOCATION:** Marygrove

8425 W McNichols Rd, Detroit, MI 48221

### **FAMILY AFFIRMATIONS PART 2**

#### **PRESENTED BY: ERIN JULIANNA**

Words have power. In this workshop, the instructor will help parents and community members speak positively over their new year and provide tips on how to stick to their spoken resolutions.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 1, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/affirmthefam>

**LOCATION:** Fisher Lower

15510 E State Fair Ave, Detroit, MI 48205

### **PERSONALIZED LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

Understanding how to utilize your personal leadership style and to work effectively with others.

#### **PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021

**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** Neinas Dual Language

Learning Academy

6021 McMillan St, Detroit, MI 48209

#### **PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 10, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>

**LOCATION:** Vernor Elementary School

13726 Pembroke Ave, Detroit, MI 48235

#### **PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Monday, November 15, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** Turning Point/Fleming

18501 Waltham St, Detroit, MI 48205

#### **PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Davison

2800 E. Davison Street, Detroit, MI 48212

#### **PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, November 22, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Pasteur

19811 Stoepele St, Detroit, MI 48221

#### **PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 1, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Henry Ford

20000 Evergreen Rd, Detroit, MI 48219

#### **PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 4, 2022

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** Mackenzie

10147 West Chicago, Detroit, MI 48204

### **UNDERSTANDING THE LAW**

We follow the laws, but do we really understand how the laws work for or against us? This course is designed to help families and community understand the ins and outs of various laws.

#### **PRESENTED BY: KRISTAL BANKS**

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 3, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2VjCVP2>

**LOCATION:** Brenda Scott

18440 Hoover St, Detroit, MI 48205

**PRESENTED BY: ANGEL FOX**

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021

**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>

**LOCATION:** CMA High School  
14771 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 48227

**RUNNING EFFECTIVE SCHOOL MEETINGS**

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 3, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Edison Elementary School  
17045 Grand River Ave, Detroit, MI 48227

**SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

**PRESENTED BY: KHARY FRAZIER**

This workshop discusses how to take passion projects and make them a business reality! Khary will provide tips and tools to help participants understand the process of social entrepreneurship.

**DATE:** Monday, November 15, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3yf9b4q>

**LOCATION:** Bethune  
8145 Puritan Ave, Detroit, MI 48238

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3yf9b4q>

**SOUND THE ALARM**

**PRESENTED BY: STACEY JOHNSON**

This workshop is designed to raise awareness about human trafficking and how it affects our community.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 1, 2021

**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/3yesTgX>

**LOCATION:** Adult Education West  
16164 Asbury Park, Detroit, MI 48235

**PARENTAL ECONOMICS**

**PRESENTED BY: BANKS SERVICES**

Parents and stakeholders will learn basic financial literacy skills and practical economics that they can use to understand topics like credit, budgeting, purchasing power, and more.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 8, 2021

**TIME:** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2V0X8cO>

**LOCATION:** Southeastern High School  
3030 Fairview St, Detroit, MI 48214

**DATE:** Thursday, December 9, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2V0X8cO>

**LOCATION:** Brewer  
18025 Brock Ave, Detroit, MI 48205



PARENTING & ADVOCACY





## THE PURPOSE OF HOME VISITS

**PRESENTED BY: ANGEL FOX**

Parents will learn about the Parent Teacher Home Visit Project and the benefits of involvement.

**DATE:** Friday, October 1, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>

**LOCATION:** Marquette Elementary School  
6145 Canyon St, Detroit, MI 48224

## IDENTIFYING AND SUPPORTING GIFTED STUDENTS

**PRESENTED BY: KIMBERLY PHILLIPS SOLOMON**

This session will provide families, staff and community members information on how students are identified as academically gifted and focus on ways to support their academic, social and emotional needs.

**DATE:** Monday, October 4, 2021

**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/giftedsupport>

## MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS

**PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION**

In these sessions parents will gain the skills to identify symptoms that indicate Severe Emotionally Disturbed or Serious Mental Illness in children, and provide resources to address children's mental health challenges.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Bethune Elementary-Middle School, 8145 Puritan, Detroit 48238

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 19, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Bow Elementary-Middle School  
19801 Prevost, Detroit 48235

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 3, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Bunche Preparatory Academy  
2715 Macomb Street, Detroit 48207

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Central High School  
2425 Tuxedo, Detroit, 48206

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 8, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Davis Aerospace Technical High School At Golightly  
900 Dickerson, Detroit 48215

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 12, 2022

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Durfee Elementary-Middle School  
2425 Tuxedo Street, Detroit 48206

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 26, 2022

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LOCATION:** East English Village Preparatory Academy  
5020 Cadieux, Detroit 48224



## SPECIAL OLYMPICS YOUNG ATHLETES

**PRESENTED BY: SARAH JARDINE**

Parent Overview of Home Based YA Strategies/ Resources, Target is parents of students under age 8.

**DATE:** Friday, October 8, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/SOYAthlete>

**LOCATION:** Early Intervention Diagnostic Center  
4555 John C. Lodge Fwy., Detroit, MI 48201

## 10 WARNING SIGNS OF ALZHEIMER'S

**PRESENTED BY: ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION - GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

Alzheimer's and other dementias cause changes in memory, thinking and behavior that interfere with daily life. Join us to learn 10 common warning signs and what to watch for in yourself and others.

**DATE:** Monday, October 11, 2021

**TIME:** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

## HOW TO WORK EFFECTIVELY WITH YOUR SCHOOL PARTNER

Participants will discuss the daily functioning of schools and learn strategies that help them work effectively in that process.

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>

**LOCATION:** 2400 Central Ave, Detroit, MI 48209

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**

**DATE:** Monday, October 25, 2021

**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>

**LOCATION:** Edmondson  
1300 W Canfield St., Detroit, MI 48201

**PRESENTED BY: TANEA MENIFEE**

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 27, 2021

**TIME:** 3:40 PM - 4:40 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy14>

**LOCATION:** Dossin Elementary-Middle School  
16650 Glendale St, Detroit, MI 48227

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 16, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>

**LOCATION:** DIA  
5161 Charles St., Detroit, MI 48212

**PRESENTED BY: SHAREA AYERS**

**DATE:** Monday, November 22, 2021

**TIME:** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy2>

**LOCATION:** Bow  
19801 Prevost St, Detroit, MI 48235

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**

**DATE:** Thursday, January 6, 2022

**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>

**LOCATION:** King  
3200 E Lafayette St, Detroit, MI 48207



## UNDERSTANDING AND NAVIGATING SCHOOL CULTURE

Understanding school norms, expectations, roles and responsibilities. Problem solving within schools.

### PRESENTED BY: REMELE PENICK

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy1>  
**LOCATION:** Pulaski Elementary School  
 19725 Strasburg St, Detroit, MI 48205

### PRESENTED BY: REMELE PENICK

**DATE:** Thursday, October 7, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy1>  
**LOCATION:** Denby High School  
 12800 Kelly Rd, Detroit, MI 48224

### PRESENTED BY: REMELE PENICK

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 12, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy1>  
**LOCATION:** East English Village Preparatory Academy  
 5020 Cadieux Rd, Detroit, MI 48224

### PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 13, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Sampson Webber Leadership Academy  
 4700 Tireman Ave, Detroit, MI 48204

### PRESENTED BY: KEN CHAPMAN

**DATE:** Thursday, October 14, 2021  
**TIME:** 8:45 AM - 9:45 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy3>  
**LOCATION:** A.L. Holmes  
 8950 Crane St, Detroit, MI 48213

### PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 1, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>  
**LOCATION:** Hamiton Elementary School  
 14223 Southampton St, Detroit, MI 48213

### PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN

**DATE:** Monday, December 6, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>  
**LOCATION:** Schulze Elementary School  
 10700 Santa Maria St., Detroit, MI 48221

### PRESENTED BY: LACI BOSQUEZ

**DATE:** Monday, January 10, 2022  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy16>  
**LOCATION:** Logan  
 3811 Cicotte St, Detroit, MI 48210



## TRAUMA-INFORMED PARENTING

### PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION

The objective of this workshop is to enhance parent/guardians' awareness on the impacts and extent of trauma on their children.

### DATE: Tuesday, October 12, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Bethune Elementary-Middle School  
 8145 Puritan, Detroit 48238

### DATE: Tuesday, October 26, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Bow Elementary-Middle School  
 19801 Prevost, Detroit 48235

### DATE: Wednesday, November 10, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Bunche Preparatory Academy  
 2715 Macomb Street, Detroit 48207

### DATE: Wednesday, December 15, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Davis Aerospace Technical High School At Golightly  
 900 Dickerson, Detroit 48215

### DATE: Wednesday, January 19, 2022

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** Durfee Elementary-Middle School  
 2425 Tuxedo Street, Detroit 48206

## NUTRITION AND ORAL HEALTH

### PRESENTED BY: DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN

Is oral health and nutrition related? Come learn how the foods we eat can improve our entire body especially or oral health at any age.

### DATE: Wednesday, October 13, 2021

**TIME:** 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

### DATE: Thursday, October 28, 2021

**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

## DISTRICTWIDE PARENT LEADERS

### PRESENTED BY: FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

In this session participants will develop strategies for navigating their child's school. *(5:00 PM - 7:00 PM sessions will be in person, with dinner, limited to 35 participants, 1st come)*

### DATE: Tuesday, October 19, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

### DATE: Tuesday, October 19, 2021

**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

### DATE: Tuesday, November 16, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

### DATE: Tuesday, December 7, 2021

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

### DATE: Tuesday, December 7, 2021

**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

### DATE: Tuesday, January 11, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDpta>

### DATE: Tuesday, January 11, 2022

**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LOCATION:** 8500 Cameron Detroit, MI 48211

**PARENTAL ADVISORY TRAINING  
PRESENTED BY: THE YUNION**

This program will develop parent leadership skills, and supporting a program's success.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 19, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/3o1NLC6>  
**LOCATION:** John R. King Academy  
15850 Strathmoor St, Detroit, MI 48227

**POSITIVE REINFORCEMENTS  
AT HOME**

**PRESENTED BY: RENEE KRAUS,  
ROSE PATERSON, RENA KINDRED**

Parents will be given tools to implement in their homes to enforce positive reinforcements for their children.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 19, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/reinhome>

**A PARENT'S GUIDE TO  
UNIVERSAL DESIGN FOR  
LEARNING (UDL)**

**PRESENTED BY: DR. ADRIMA CAESAR  
AND ROSLYN HESTER**

This session will provide families, staff and community members with an overview of Universal Design for Learning (UDL) and how to use best instructional strategies to change the school experiences and success of students by making broad changes to how information is presented to all students and the ways in which all students are able to show what they know.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 20, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <http://bit.ly/esecourse>

**PEDIATRIC HEALTH  
PRESENTED BY: DARLENE DORSETT AND  
SARAH HEINS, MICHIGAN DEAF NURSES  
ASSOCIATION**

This presentation will provide our Deaf and hard of hearing families with information on vaccines, safety with school sports and mental health.

**DATE:** Friday, October 22, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/pedhealth>

**DATE:** Friday, November 12, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/pedhealth>

**CLASSROOM TIPS  
PRESENTED BY: UNIVERSITY OF  
MICHIGAN SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK**

This workshop will discuss creating safe and inclusive schools and classrooms using the TIPPS (Trauma Informed Practices) framework.

**DATE:** Monday, October 25, 2021  
**TIME:** 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/376xUMm>

**PARENT LISTENING SESSION  
PRESENTED BY: BOARD MEMBER COR-  
LETTA VAUGHN AND SUPERINTENDENT  
DR. NIKOLAI VITTI**

Join Board Member Corletta Vaughn and Superintendent Dr. Nikolai Vitti as they share district updates and listen to the experiences and recommendations of improve the DPSCD educational experience.

**DATE:** Tuesday, October 26, 2021  
**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021  
**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**DATE:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021  
**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022  
**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/313ZKGc>

**REPRESENTING THE  
STAKEHOLDER  
PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

As an appointed or elected leader, participants would use core tools to gather data and communicate the interests, concerns, and voice of their respective stakeholder group.

**DATE:** Thursday, November 4, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** Chrysler Elementary School  
1445 E Lafayette St, Detroit, MI 48207

**DATE:** Thursday, November 16, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Davis Aerospace  
900 Dickerson Ave, Detroit, MI 48215

**DATE:** Thursday, December 9, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** Hutchinson Elementary-Middle  
2600 Garland St, Detroit, MI 48214

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN  
DATE:** Monday, December 13, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>  
**LOCATION:** Palmer Park Academy  
3901 Margareta Ave, Detroit, MI 48221

**UNDERSTANDING ADD, ADHD,  
ODD, FASD, CONDUCT  
DISORDERS**

**PRESENTED BY: RENEE KRAUS, JUSTINE  
TRAVICK AND KATHRYN WALL**

This session will provide families with a better understanding of their child's diagnosis. Parents will be able to be able to better support their child at home and at school.

**DATE:** Thursday, November 4, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/addunderstand>

**EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION  
PRESENTED BY: OMAR PROCTOR**

Attend this training to learn how to actively listen, articulate questions, paraphrasing, and summarizing.

**DATE:** Thursday, November 11, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** Catherine C. Blackwell Institute  
9330 Shoemaker St, Detroit, MI 48213

**DATE:** Thursday, December 2, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** Nichols Elementary-Middle School  
3000 Burns Ave, Detroit, MI 48214



**DATE:** Tuesday, December 14, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy5>  
**LOCATION:** J. E. Clark Preparatory Academy  
 15755 Bremen St, Detroit, MI 48224

## EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

How to speak and be heard, active listening, developing an effective voice within the school community.

**PRESENTED BY: ROSANNA RAMOS**  
**DATE:** Friday, October 22, 2021  
**TIME:** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy17>  
**LOCATION:** Roberto Clemente Learning Academy  
 1551 Beard St, Detroit, MI 28209

**PRESENTED BY: ANGEL FOX**  
**DATE:** Thursday, November 11, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy15>  
**LOCATION:** Fisher Magnet Upper Academy  
 15491 Maddelein St, Detroit, MI 48205

**PRESENTED BY: MYESHA RILEY**  
**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy6>  
**LOCATION:** Young Elementary School  
 15771 Hubbell Ave, Detroit, MI 48227

**PRESENTED BY: SHARENE NATHAN**  
**DATE:** Monday, November 29, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy9>  
**LOCATION:** Renaissance High School  
 6565 Outer Dr W, Detroit, MI 48235

**PRESENTED BY: AULGA CAUDLE**  
**DATE:** Monday, November 29, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy11>  
**LOCATION:** West Side Academy  
 4701 McKinley St, Detroit, MI 48208

**PRESENTED BY: TIA ERVIN**  
**DATE:** Tuesday, January 11, 2022  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy4>  
**LOCATION:** Thurgood  
 15531 Linwood Street, Detroit, MI 48238

## BRUSHING IS NOT ALL PRESENTED BY: THE DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN

Let's continue the conversation about Nutrition and Oral Health. How many teeth do you want to keep? Did you know that brushing and flossing are not the only things to maintain a healthy mouth? It all starts when a woman becomes pregnant and we are in the womb. Let's continue this journey.

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

## FOSTERING SELF-ESTEEM IN CHILDREN PRESENTED BY: PAULA RISER

This session will provide families with a reflective look at their own self-esteem and how that translates to ways they can foster positive self-esteem in their children.

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/fosteresteem>

## SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS

Participants will learn Shared Leadership Theory and how to practice shared leadership as a leader of a group.

**DATE:** Wednesday, November 17, 2021  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Cody High School  
 18445 Cathedral Street, Detroit, MI 48228

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Gardner Elementary School  
 6528 Mansfield St, Detroit, MI 4822

**DATE:** Thursday, November 18, 2021  
**TIME:** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Henderson Upper School  
 16101 W Chicago, Detroit, MI 48228

## RUNNING AN EFFECTIVE MEETING PRESENTED BY: CHARLDINE BOWENS

**DATE:** Tuesday, November 23, 2021  
**TIME:** 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DPSCDParentAcademy8>  
**LOCATION:** Dixon  
 8401 Trinity Street, Detroit, MI 48228



## FOR PARENTS ONLY SERIES (MODULE 1) WHAT EVERY PARENT SHOULD KNOW ABOUT SECONDARY TRANSITION PRESENTED BY: LEKISHA FRANKLIN SHORTER, DANITA HOLIMON AND STEVE EGLAND

This introductory module is designed to deliver an easy to understand overview of the basics of secondary transition including: planning, services and postsecondary outcomes. It is the first in a series of three modules "For Parents Only"

**DATE:** Friday, November 19, 2021  
**TIME:** 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/2ndtransition>

## DRINK BREAKFAST SAVE A TOOTH PRESENTED BY: THE DAIRY COUNCIL OF MICHIGAN

Let's start our day with a nutritious smoothie. Need a recipe? Put the donut down and come and learn how to make a healthy smoothie. The amount of sugar impacts your entire body. So let's reduce the sugar and save a tooth. Did you attend all three webinars? Your name will go into a raffle. The prize is a blender. The first ten that sign up for each webinar will win a prize. In addition, all attendees will receive an oral health kit.

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 1, 2021  
**TIME:** 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**DATE:** Thursday, December 9, 2021  
**TIME:** 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/DairyCouncilofMichigan>

**WHAT NOW? MY CHILD WITH SPECIAL NEEDS HAS GRADUATED**  
**PRESENTED BY: PAULA RISER**

This session will look at ways for parents to keep their child engaged, within the community, and the many resources available to support them.

**DATE:** Thursday, December 2, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/gradsneeds>

**UNDERSTANDING ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA**  
**PRESENTED BY: ALZHIEMER'S ASSOCIATION - GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

Learn the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, Alzheimer's stages and risk factors, current research and available treatments, and ways the Alzheimer's Association can help.

**DATE:** Monday, December 13, 2021  
**TIME:** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

**ENCOURAGING EMOTIONAL GROWTH**  
**PRESENTED BY: PAULA RISER**

This session will help parents understand that children feel a range of emotions. Parents will learn to teach their children some appropriate and acceptable ways to express their feelings.

**DATE:** Thursday, December 16, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/EmoGro>

**DEMENTIA CONVERSATIONS: DRIVING, DOCTOR VISITS, LEGAL & FINANCIAL PLANNING**  
**PRESENTED BY: ALZHIEMER'S ASSOCIATION - GREATER MICHIGAN CHAPTER**

Learn to have honest and caring conversations about common concerns when someone begins to show signs of dementia.

**DATE:** Monday, January 10, 2022  
**TIME:** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/330gP4N>

**FOR PARENTS ONLY SERIES (MODULE 2): MAKE THE CONNECTION, UNDERSTANDING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN COMMUNITY AGENCIES AND SECONDARY TRANSITION**  
**PRESENTED BY: TRANSITION TEAM: LEKISHA FRANKLIN SHORTER, DANITA HOLIMON AND STEVE EGLAND**

This For Parents Only Series (Module 2) explores the role and importance of community agencies and business partnerships in secondary transition.

**DATE:** Wednesday, January 12, 2022  
**TIME:** 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
**LINK:** <https://bit.ly/ParMod2>

# CONNECT TODAY!

**\*Check the DPSCD website for additional classes\***

If you are interested in attending Parent Academy workshops, please connect via Microsoft Teams or by phone.

Refer to the workshop description for specific information.

- Dates, times and locations are accurate at time of publication; courses listed in this guide are subject to change.
- All Parent Academy courses are free of charge and designed for parents, caregivers and community members. Participants are not required to have a child in DPSCD. Students are welcome to attend along with their families if appropriate.

For questions or assistance, contact us at 313.873.7490 or email: [parent.academy@detroitk12.org](mailto:parent.academy@detroitk12.org)

Website: [detroitk12.org/parentacademy](https://detroitk12.org/parentacademy)

## CURRICULUM NIGHTS

Want to understand this "new math" or dig deeper into what your student is learning in ELA or to get a jump on all their subjects? Join your school's curriculum night. see the dates and times here: Call your school to find out the dates and times!



# BE A PART OF OUR RISE!

## Detroit Public Schools Community District | 2021-2022 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

### FIRST SEMESTER

#### AUGUST 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
23	PDz	PDz	PDz	27	0	2
PD	PD					

#### SEPTEMBER 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
H	S/Q1	8	9	10	18	19
13	14	15	16	17		
20	21	22	23	24		
27	28	29	30			

#### OCTOBER 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
4	5	CD	7	8	22	22
11	12	PTC-h	14	15		
18	19	PTC-ER	21	22		
25	26	27	28	29		

#### NOVEMBER 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
1	PD	3	4	5	18	19
S/Q1	S/Q2	10	11	12		
RC	16	17	18	19		
22	23	24	H	26		
29	30					

#### DECEMBER 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
6	7	8	9	10	13	13
13	14	15	16	17		
20	21	22	23	24		
27	28	29	30	31		

EL-MS students present on 181 days | HS students present on 181 days | Staff present for 186 days | **THIS SCHOOL YEAR HAS 181 DAYS**

### KEY

- TW** Teacher Workday
- PDz** Partnership Schools - Professional Development Day
- PD** All Schools - Professional Development Day
- FE** Final Examinations
- CD** Membership Count Days
- TD** High School Testing Days
- PTC-ER** Parent/Teacher Conferences Early Release Day
- PTC-h** Parent/Teacher Conferences - High School
- RC** Report Card Day
- S/Q** Semester/Quarter Boundary
- Schools Closed-No Students**
- H** District Recognized Holiday

### PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

- K-8th Grade:**  
October 20 and March 23
- 9th-12th Grade:**  
October 13 and March 16
- August 30 is the reporting day for teachers
- September 7 is the reporting day for students
- June 27 last day for students
- June 28 last day for teachers

### SECOND SEMESTER

#### JANUARY 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
3	4	5	6	7	20	20
10	11	12	13	14		
H	18	19	20	21		
24	25	26	27	S/Q2		
S/Q3						

#### FEBRUARY 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
1	2	3	RC		15	15
7	8	CD	10	11		
14	15	16	17	18		
H	22	23	24	25		
28						

#### APRIL 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
4	5	6	7	8	19	19
11	TD	TD	S/Q3	H		
18	19	20	21	RC		
25	26	RC	28	29		

#### MAY 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
H	H	H	5	6	18	18
9	10	11	12	13		
16	17	18	19	20		
23	24	25	26	27		
H	31					

#### MARCH 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
1	2	3	4		19	19
7	8	9	10	11		
14	15	PTC-h	17	18		
21	22	PTC-ER	24	25		
28	29	30	31			

#### JUNE 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	STUDENTS PRESENT	STAFF PRESENT
6	7	8	9	10	19	20
13	14	15	16	17		
20	FE	FE	FE	24		
S/Q4	RC	29	30			

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# COVID-19 SCREENING TOOL FOR FAMILIES

Parents and guardians, use this checklist every day before sending your children to school.

If you answer "YES" to one or more questions, you must keep your child home from school today.

## Does your child have any unusual symptoms from the list below?

YES NO

- A fever? (Temperature greater than 100.4 ° F)
- A new or worsening cough?
- Shortness of breath/difficulty breathing?
- Runny nose and/or congestion?
- Body aches and/or tiredness?
- Vomiting and/or diarrhea?
- New loss of smell or taste?

If the answer to any of the questions above is "yes" keep your child home and consult your primary care physician. If a doctor determines that the symptoms are due to another diagnosis, or COVID-19 is ruled out, your child may return to school after being fever-free for 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications.

- Have you or your child had close contact with anyone who had a positive COVID-19 diagnostic test in the past 14 days?
- Have you or your child your traveled out of the US in the last 14 days?

If the answer is "yes" to either of these questions, you and your child must stay home to quarantine for 14 days since last contact or return to US.



## Report any confirmed or suspected cases:

### In the City of Detroit:

Detroit Health Department  
Main Communicable  
Disease Line: (313)  
876-4000  
After Hours Call Center:  
(313) 876-4000

Dr. Kenetra Young:  
younqke@detroitmi.gov  
(313) 590-7603

Sarrned Rezzo:  
rezzos@detroitmi.gov  
(313) 720-1335

### Outside the City of Detroit:

Wayne County Public Health Division  
Main Communicable Disease Line:  
(734) 727-7078  
After Hours Call Center:  
(734) 727-7284

Mary Roman:  
mroman@waynecounty.com  
(734) 727-7150

Nnenna Wachuku:  
nwachuku@waynecounty.com  
(734) 727-7253

Lukas Ayers:  
layers@waynecounty.com  
(734) 727-7076

# RESOURCES

## DPSCD FAMILY ACCESS RESOURCE TOOL

[https://dpscd.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_eIMdoJJaTQ37Ml8](https://dpscd.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_eIMdoJJaTQ37Ml8)

The Family Resource Gateway is designed to connect DPSCD families with direct service resources provided by trusted District partners. It is NOT an emergency resource. If you are experiencing a life-threatening emergency, please call 911 immediately for help.

### What resources can the Family Resource Gateway Tool connect me with?

- **Utility Assistance:** help with utility bills
- **Housing Resources:** wrap-around services that include rental and mortgage assistance
- **Food:** help finding food distribution and nutrition education
- **Vision:** access to vision screening services and glasses
- **COVID-19 Testing & Vaccination Information:** access to COVID-19 info and resources
- **Mental Health:** access to mental health info, hotline, and resources

### How is my information stored and shared?

- All information that you provide is confidential. It will only be shared with the DPSCD Partnerships Office and trusted community partner contacts.
- You can choose to share your information more broadly at the end of the form.
- Each community partner organization has been vetted by the Partnerships Office and has a current legal agreement with DPSCD to serve our families.

## Food Pantry

**Pantry of Plenty** | 62 West Seven Mile | Thursdays | **248-559-1990**

**FOCUS HOPE** | [www.focushope.edu](http://www.focushope.edu) | **(313) 494-4600**

**Westside Food Center** | 1300 Oakman Blvd., Detroit

**Inkster Food Center** | 759 Inkster Road, Inkster

**Eastside Food Center** | 9151 Chalmers, Detroit

## Housing/Utility Assistance

**CAM Intake Hotline** | [www.camdetroit.org](http://www.camdetroit.org) | **313-305-0311**

**Journey to Housing Program** [journeytohousing.org](http://journeytohousing.org) | **313-393-2930**

**United Community Housing Coalition** | [www.uchcdetroit.org](http://www.uchcdetroit.org) | **313-963-3310**

**Wayne Metro Community Action Agency** | **313-388-9799**

## Job Training

**Goodwill Industries** | [www.goodwill.org](http://www.goodwill.org) | Disability, Job Training | **(313) 964-3900**

**Jewish Vocational Services** | [www.jvsdet.org](http://www.jvsdet.org) | Job Training | **(313) 833-8100**

## Health & Well-Being Services

**Adult Well Being Services** | [www.awbs.org](http://www.awbs.org) | HIV/Hepatitis services | **(313) 924-7860**

**Black Family Development** | [www.blackfamilydevelopment.org](http://www.blackfamilydevelopment.org) | Counseling | **313-758-0150**

**Cass Community Social Services** | [www.casscommunity.org](http://www.casscommunity.org) | **(313) 883-2277**  
*(daily community lunch, health clinic)*

**The Children's Center** | [www.thechildrenscenter.com](http://www.thechildrenscenter.com) | Children's Counseling

**Detroit Free Legal Aid** | [www.detroitflac.com](http://www.detroitflac.com) | Senior and Family Law | **(313) 833-0058**

**Detroit Rescue Missions** | [www.drmm.org](http://www.drmm.org) | Health and Housing | **313.993.4700**

**Development Centers** | [www.develctrs.org](http://www.develctrs.org) | Family Assistance | **(313) 531-2500**

**The United Way** | [www.liveunitedsem.org/get-help](http://www.liveunitedsem.org/get-help) or **Dial 211** | Resource Hotline

**Corner Shower and Laundry** | [www.cornershowerandlaundry.com](http://www.cornershowerandlaundry.com)  
*(free shower and laundry available for homeless located in the basement of St. Peter's Episcopal Church 7-10 AM)*

**Suicide Hotline** | **800-273-8255**

**Smoking Cessation** | [www.michigan.gov/tobacco](http://www.michigan.gov/tobacco)

Please check out our Interactive DPSCD Community Partner Map for additional resources: [www.tinyurl.com/DPSCDPartnerMap](http://www.tinyurl.com/DPSCDPartnerMap)

# NOTES & CONTACTS

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**English**

Parents of English Language Learners interested in participating please contact Tina Villarreal-Hernandez at 313.212.4312 in order to initiate Language Interpreters.

**Arabic**

على الرقم (313) 212-4312 من أجل بدء المترجمين الفوريين للغة Tina Villarreal-Hernandez أولياء أمور متعلمي اللغة الإنجليزية المهتمين بالمشاركة ، يرجى الاتصال بـ

**Bangla**

অংশগ্রহণকারীদের আগ্রহী ইংরেজি ভাষা শিক্ষার্থীদের অভিভাবকরা ভাষা অনুবাদকদের সূচনা করার জন্য টিনা ভিলারিয়াল-হানরান্দেজকে 313.212.4312 এ যোগাযোগ করুন।

**Hmong**

Cov niam txiv ntawm Cov Neeg Kawm Lus Askiv uas xav tuaj koom nrog Tina Villarreal-Hernandez ntawm 313.212.4312 xwv kom pib qhov kev pab txhais lus

**French**

Les parents d'apprenants en anglais intéressés à participer doivent contacter Tina Villarreal-Hernandez au 313.212.4312 afin d'initier des interprètes de langue.



PHONE: 313.873.7490

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