

SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT RESOURCE CENTER MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

PULSE POINTS: NEWS & UPDATES

2023-2024 SPED PARENT INVOLVEMENT SURVEY



We are thrilled to announce the commencement of the School Year 2023-2024 Parent Involvement Survey collection period! We are encouraging all families to complete the survey online through the links provided for the [English Parent Involvement Survey](#) and the [Spanish Parent Involvement Survey](#). You can also scan the QR code to the right to access the survey. For families preferring a tangible touch, printable versions of the survey in both English and Spanish are readily available at each SPS elementary, middle, and high school. If your family has more than one child receiving these services, we kindly ask that you complete a survey for each child to help us capture the full spectrum of your experiences and needs. Your engagement is crucial to us. Please note, the [deadline](#) for submitting your responses is [December 13, 2024](#).



PARENT RESOURCE CENTER CONTACT INFORMATION

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or scan QR Code



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PARENT RESOURCE CENTER

- **Vision:** Creating a future where every child's unique abilities are recognized and nurtured, facilitated by informed parents and a supportive educational community.
- **Mission:** To equip and guide parents through the special education journey by providing essential resources, expert advice, and a supportive community, ensuring each student's academic and personal success.
- **Values:**
Empowerment * Collaboration * Inclusivity

PULSE POINTS: RESOURCES & TOOLS



SPED @ NITE:

PARENT RESOURCE NIGHT

Welcome to SPED @ Nite: Parent Resource Night. This event is dedicated to providing a platform for parents and guardians of students with special educational needs to connect, learn, and acquire valuable resources. This event will be held on Thursday, May 2, 2024 at Kings Fork Middle School from 6-8 pm. If you would like to attend this event, please register [here](#). You can also scan the QR Code to the right.



PULSE POINTS: EQUIP & ENGAGE



UPCOMING CONNECTIONS

EMPOWER WEDNESDAYS

April 17th: Spring into Success: Preparing for Standardized Tests and SOLs: "Tune in to 'Spring into Success' for expert tips on test preparation and confidence-building techniques for standardized assessments and SOLs.

Register at [Empower Wednesdays](#) or scan the QR code:



LITTLE FEET MEET

Friday, April 19, 2024 10am-1pm at Kings Fork HS: Come join us as our students with disabilities work with partners from their PE classes to participate in Little Feet Meet events. Let's cheer on our students as they show off their athletic abilities.

IEP UNIVERSITY (IEPU)

April 1st- April 22nd: Join us for IEP University (IEPU), a FREE self-paced online course designed to help provide families and professionals with accurate and useful information around IEP development and meetings. IEPU provides easy-to-understand guidance on the special education process, the IEP document, and ways to develop collaborative relationships among schools and families. IEPU targets practical strategies aimed at helping future IEP meetings be more positive, productive, and collaborative for everyone involved. [Register here](#) or scan the QR code.



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