

The Center for the Improvement of Student Learning, Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction
and The Office of the Education Ombudsman, Office of the Governor

Present

A Conference for Parents/Guardians PARTNERING FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

January 11, 2007 3:00-9:00PM
Seattle Sheraton 1400 6th Avenue · Seattle, WA 98101



LEARN! how to support your student's success in school.

MEET! parents and educators from across Washington State.

SHARE! your thoughts, ideas and stories.

Schedule:

3:00-4:00	Registration
4:00-4:30	Opening Session
4:45-6:00	Workshops
6:15-7:30	Dinner and Keynote Address
7:45-9:00	Workshops

Workshops:

- Supporting School Mathematics: What Parents Need to Know
- What it Takes to Graduate
- Families Achieving Math Standards
- What is Parent Involvement?

Registration Fee: \$20 (includes dinner) Checks, purchase orders, and credit cards* (*online only) accepted. Title I funds from schools can be used to pay for registration, travel, and hotel.

Mini grants: Limited travel mini-grants available (Non-Title I schools).

Interpreters: Simultaneous translation services in the following languages available upon request: Spanish, Vietnamese, Chinese, Russian, Somali. Please request language when you register!

Childcare: Limited free childcare for children ages 3 and up. Please request childcare when you register!

Parking: Carpool or public transit encouraged; limited free parking only.

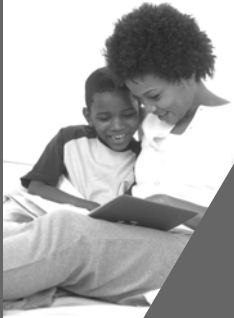
TO REGISTER

Online: <http://www.k12.wa.us/> By Phone: 360-725-6165 (English or Español)

For more information (English/Español) contact: Alyssa.Westall@k12.wa.us or (360)725-6165
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Workshop Descriptions:

- **Supporting School Mathematics: What Parents Need to Know**
Learn how to develop mathematical thinking *with* your student. Find out about things you can do at home to practice math facts and computational skills that are engaging and fun! (K-8 focus)
- **What it Takes to Graduate**
Every student needs to graduate high school ready for the demands of today's - and tomorrow's - world. Find out what students are expected to know and be able to do in each grade. Get information about the WASL, the test used to measure student learning. And hear the latest on the WA's *new* graduation requirements.
- **Families Achieving Math Standards**
Get a "hands-on" experience with math, learn about WA's math standards - what and how it's being taught, and why it's important for students to get a solid background in math *now* to be college and career ready.
- **What is Parent Involvement?**
Research shows that family involvement in education is an important contributor to student academic achievement. Find out how different types and levels of parental involvement can support education and how to become an advocate for your children. Learn how to better understand and navigate the public school system and tips to become a parent leader in your school.

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