



Include NYC Offers ELL/MLLs Parent Workshops for Special Education Supports

A WORKSHOP OR TRAINING FOR YOUR SCHOOL CAN BE SCHEDULED: please contact Rich Overton at 212-677-4650 x11, or roverton@INCLUDEnyc.org for more information

INCLUDEnyc's expert staff teaches free workshops at schools and neighborhood organizations citywide. The workshops cover a wide range of disability topics and are designed to meet the most pressing needs of families of young people with disabilities.



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District 75 and Alternative Settings for Students with Disabilities: Learn how to take advantage of the full range of special education programs and services available to students with disabilities in the least restrictive setting.

Intro to Special Education: Overview of special education: Learn the NYC process, including timelines for referral, evaluation, services, placement, and parent rights and role.

Top 5 Rights in Special Education: Learn your rights and responsibilities under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

Understanding Your Child's IEP: How to read your child's IEP, understand the sections, and learn where to find important information.

Understanding Your Child's Preschool IEP: How to read your child's preschool IEP and learn where to find recommendations and important information, with a focus on understanding services and processes for children ages 3-5.

The Special Education Advocate: Become your student's best advocate and get them the support and services they need at school.

High School Application Process: Navigate the NYC public high school application process and identify appropriate school choices for your child with a disability.

Advocacy Skills for Parents: Become your child's best advocate and get them the support and services they need in any situation, including in school, in the community, and with health care.

Parenting a Child with a Disability: One of INCLUDE NYC's family educators will share their personal and professional experiences parenting and advocating for their child with disabilities.

Transition and Life After High School: Develop an action plan to help your child with a disability transition to a life of learning, earning, and independence.

The Road to Independence: Understand the benefits of and barriers to self-advocacy as you and your child forge a new path to independence.

Busing and Specialized Transportation: Where's the bus? Find solutions with on-the-spot strategies! Know your role, what to expect, who to contact.



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Your Kindergarten Guide (Turning 5):

If your child with disabilities is turning five, it's time to prepare for kindergarten. We will help you come up with a successful transition plan.

Special Education Mediation: Are you having problems with your child's special education? Learn about mediation and how it can solve them.

Exploring the Early Years:

Understanding Children with Different Abilities: Learn about child development milestones and common parent concerns, including autism, speech delays, and sensory processing disorder.

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