# Special Education Connections

March 2024

#### What is Special Education Connections?

A newsletter targeted to connect our families with news, resources, and important information for families whose children are accessing an IEP within Del Mar Union School District.

#### **Trimester 2 Progress Reports**

We want to take this opportunity to inform you that your child's case manager will be providing you with a copy of your child's trimester two progress notes during the month of March. These notes are an essential part of our commitment to keeping you informed of your child's progress on their Individualized Education Program (IEP) goals and objectives.

We encourage you to review your child's progress notes carefully and reach out to your child's case manager should you have any questions.

### **2024 Excellence in Special Education Award Nominations**

Have you ever wanted to thank someone special that has made a difference in the life of a child? Now you can! Through CAC you are able to nominate individuals that foster academic and social inclusion.

If you would like to nominate someone for an Excellence Award please do so using the following link:

https://bit.ly/4aYBW9n

Please note, all nominations must be received by **March 15, 2024**. The NCCSE CAC Awards Ceremony will take place on **May 22, 2024**.

#### **Community Advisory Committee Meetings and Agendas - NCCSE**

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# Community Advisory Committee (CAC) - Upcoming Meetings

March 20, 2024

Director/Rep Priority Action Review Meeting

April 17, 2024

Student Led Discussion on Inclusion (subject to change)

#### May 22, 2024

NCCSE CAC Excellence Awards

#### **Meeting Location:**

The CAC meetings are at the North County Regional Education Center, 255 Pico Avenue, San Marcos, from 6 to 8 p.m. (subject to change).

This is an informative meeting and all parents are encouraged to attend.

#### You're Invited!

#### THE NUTS AND BOLTS OF THE IEP PROCESS

This workshop is open to participants in the Solana Beach, Del Mar, Encinitas, and Cardiff school districts. Registration Required

#### A DEEP DIVE INTO YOUR PROCEDURAL SAFEGUARDS

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# **NCCSE Parent Workshops**

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#### **On-Demand NCCSE Trainings:**

<u>Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) - Basic Implementation Strategies</u>

<u>Navigating Through the Day One Step at a Time</u>

#### **Online NCCSE Trainings:**

Parenting the Love and Logic Way - Cohort 2 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

- April 4, 2024
- April 11, 2024
- April 18, 2024
- April 25, 2024
- May 2, 2024
- May 9, 2024

#### A Deep Dive Into Your Procedural Safeguards

April 8, 2024, from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

#### <u>Limited Conservatorship From Start to Finish</u>

May 3, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

In-Person NCCSE Trainings:

<u>De-escalating Challenging Behaviors</u>

April 12, 2024, from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

#### **From our Directors**

As we enter into trimester three, we wanted to take a moment to express our continued gratitude for your collaboration in your child's education.

As we move forward, please remember that our dedicated team of educators are here to assist you as needed. Should you have any inquiries regarding your child's Individualized Education Program (IEP), please don't hesitate to reach out to your child's case manager. They are well-equipped to provide guidance and address any questions that may arise during trimester three.

For matters related to your child's school site, please contact your child's principal. If you encounter any program related questions, the program specialist assigned to your child's school site would be happy to respond to any questions or concerns you might have.

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