

**Cincinnati Public Schools
Early Childhood Education
Parent Interest Survey**

Child's Name _____ DOB _____ School _____ Year _____

During the school year, training will be offered to parents. To build capacity for involvement and strengthen the family through acquiring new or enhancing skills, we ask parents/guardians to take a few minutes to complete this questionnaire. Please check the topics that are of interest to you.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

- How to budget for household expenses
- Economical shopping
- Home buying help / Home maintenance
- Banking 101/ Financial Fitness

EMPLOYMENT /EDUCATION and LITERACY

- Developing job-seeking skills
- Career Fairs
- Improving math, literacy and writing skills
- ESOL
- Driver's license
- GED or continuing education
- Obtaining college funding
- Other _____

SCHOOL READINESS/HELPING YOUR CHILD TO LEARN

- Parent role in the child's education
- Child development: language, growth, learning
- Positive discipline
- Other _____
- Preparing for parent-teacher conferences
- Transitioning from preschool to kindergarten
- Individualized education plans
- Cincinnati Public Schools Magnet Programs

HEALTH/SAFETY and NUTRITION

- First Aid safety tips for parents
- Weight control/ diet and exercise
- Vegetarian and/or special diets
- Sanitization and food safety
- Balancing fast food meals/ serving proportions
- Reading food labels
- Your child and chronic illnesses (asthma, etc.)
- AIDS – what you should know
- Substance abuse/family impact/counseling
- Nutrition in pregnancy
- Preparing quick, nutritious meals
- Relationship between diet and disease

FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS/PARENTING

- Resolving conflicts, improving communication
- How to handle domestic violence
- Help for single parents
- Talking with your child about difficult things
- Strategies to reduce stress
- How to conduct a family meeting
- Caring for the caregiver: how disabilities impact families
- Support groups / resources in the community
- Preventing child abuse/neglect
- Other _____

LEISURE ACTIVITIES

- Free and Fun family recreation activities
- Sports
- Other _____
- Cooking classes
- Arts and crafts
- Other _____

The best time to schedule parent activities so that I can participate is:

Weekday: ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday

Time of Day: ___ AM ___ PM ___ Evening

Thank you for taking a few minutes to complete this questionnaire!