

ECAC Presents:

Informed Effective Parents

A FREE one-day Institute for parents and families with children who have disabilities and special needs, educators and other professionals

Join us for a fun and interactive day as we explore "special education":

- IDEA '04: The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
- Parents Rights and Responsibilities
- The Special Education Process
- IEPs: Individualized Education Programs
 - Parts of the IEP
 - How to effectively participate in developing an appropriate IEP for your son or daughter
- Keeping communication between home and school on the right track
- What to do if you disagree

WHEN?

Saturday, September 26th

Registration: 8:45 - 9:30 am

Event: 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

All materials, lunch and a Resource CD will be provided at no cost!

Please register

By Tuesday, September 22nd

WHERE?

Crowne Plaza Resort

One Resort Drive

Asheville, NC 28806

Educators and other professionals are encouraged to join us! Please bring a parent with you! (both must register)

Be informed & get involved!

For more information, directions, to register or if you have special needs, please contact:

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or

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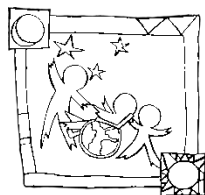
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