

What is the San Joaquin SELPA CAC?

The Community Advisory Committee (CAC) is primarily composed of parents of special needs children and representatives from public and private agencies.

Presentations on topics of interest to families of special needs children are provided free of charge. Business meetings are held monthly in conjunction with the presentations. You will find a relaxed atmosphere that is warm and welcoming. There is always an opportunity to network with other parents, the presenters, agency representatives and educators.

Who should attend?

All parents, family members, educators, agency representatives, and others who are interested in children with special needs are invited to attend the presentations as well as the business meetings. Please see the insert for the exact dates, times, locations, and topics, or call 468-4928. Meeting information is also available at www.sjcoe.org/selpa.

The function of the CAC is to:

- Provide parent education through topical presentations and informational meetings.
- Provide an opportunity to learn and share with other parents who have similar experiences.
- Enrich advocacy skills.
- Build communication between schools, parents and related agencies.
- Promote community awareness.
- Advise San Joaquin SELPA districts regarding the development, amendment and review of the local plan for special education.



Come mingle, share and learn.

FOR INFORMATION, MAIL TO
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION - Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA)
P.O. Box 213030 - Stockton, CA 95213-9030

I would like to be added to the Community Advisory Committee (CAC) mailing list.

Name: _____

Address: _____

District: _____

Parent/Guardian Educator

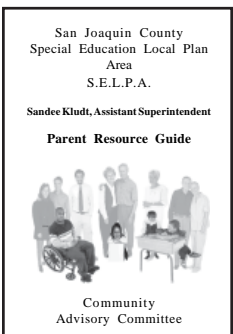
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to share information
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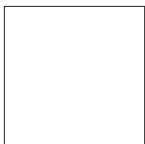


The San Joaquin SELPA Community Advisory Committee (CAC) develops and provides the Parent Resource Guide on child-parent rights and special education resources to parents, educators and agencies. This comprehensive, user-friendly handbook is available at no charge through each San Joaquin SELPA district's special education office.

The CAC is a legally mandated group formed to advise local governing bodies about issues which affect children in special education.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Call the San Joaquin SELPA office at 468-4928 or contact your local school district's Special Education Director. You can also visit the San Joaquin SELPA website at www.sjcoe.org/selpa.



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Special Ed Office (209) 838-8910 (209) 473-6930
Aimee Coelho (209) 838-0236 Dena Hernandez

Jefferson Elementary **DRAIL**
School District (209) 477-8143
District Office (209) 839-1842 Eileen Preciado
Doris Fewer .5 (209) 835-1646
Sangita Patel .5 (209) 835-8523

Lammersville Elementary **Family Resource**
School District **Network**
District Office (209) 836-7418 (209) 472-3674
(1 parent rep needed) Sandi Sanborn

Lincoln Unified School District **First Student**
Special Ed Office (209) 953-8726 (209) 466-4706
Jody Graham (209) 952-0406 Brigden Summers
Wendy Lee (209)473-1021

Linden Unified School District **Valley Mountain**
Special Ed Office (209) 931-2192 **Regional Center**
(1 parent rep needed) (209) 955-3234
Jirii Sakata

Manteca Unified School District **NonVoting Agencies:**
District Office (209) 825-3200
Lilli Kizlin (209) 823-5977
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Ripon Unified School District **California Teacher**
District Office (209) 599-2131 **Association**
Janet Valdez (209) 599-8475 TBA

San Joaquin County **Children's Mental**
Programs **Health**
Special Ed Office (209) 468-9281 (209) 468-8593
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New Jerusalem/Banta **Headstart**
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Tracy School District **Regional Adolescent**
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