

WEBINAR SERIES

Achieving Excellence and Innovation in Family, School, and Community Engagement

The U.S. Department of Education and its partners United Way Worldwide, National PTA, SEDL, and Harvard Family Research Project are proud to bring you a free webinar series on family, school, and community engagement.

Webinar Series

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Research over the past 30 years has shown that engaging families in their children's education increases student achievement and decreases dropout rates. Effective family engagement is not a one-time program or the choice of a good school, but rather a set of day-to-day practices, attitudes, beliefs and interactions that support learning at home, at school, afterschool, and during the summer. To ensure that the students of today are ready for the careers of tomorrow, families, schools, and community groups need to work together to promote engagement that is systemic, sustained, and integrated into school improvement efforts.

The ***Achieving Excellence and Innovation in Family, School, and Community Engagement Webinar Series*** is an opportunity for stakeholders representing national, regional, and local organizations to learn about family, school, and community engagement research, best practices from the field, and new innovations that are making a difference in school improvement and student learning.

Leading practitioners, researchers, and policymakers will share real-life examples from the field about what it takes to effectively engage family and community with schools.

2010 Sessions

Webinar 1

Transforming Schools Through Family, School, and Community Engagement

Webinar 2

A New Day: Family, School, and Community Engagement in Education Reform

Webinar 3

Data Driven: Making Student and School Data Accessible and Meaningful to Families

Webinar 4

The Teacher-Parent Relationship: Using Professional Development to Improve Family and Community Engagement

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These webinars will occur every other month.

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Don't miss this important opportunity to learn first hand about ways to engage family and community in supporting student learning.



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