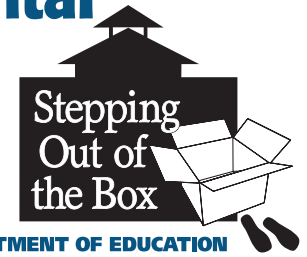


"At-a-Glance" Conference Guide

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Statewide Parental Involvement Conference

September 7-8, 2005
DoubleTree Hotel
Little Rock, Arkansas



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Tuesday, September 6, 2005												
4:00-7:00 pm	Early Registration Robinson Auditorium Gallery III											
Wednesday, September 7, 2005												
7:30-9:00 am	Registration Robinson Auditorium Gallery III Continental Breakfast. . . Robinson Center Exhibition Hall											
9:30-10:30 am	Opening Session Robinson Center Exhibition Hall Dr. Ken James, Commissioner, Arkansas Department of Education Dr. Calvin Johnson, Chairman of UAPB, Department of Education, University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Jim Grant - Keynote Speaker											
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10:45-12:00 am	What Does "No Child Left Behind" Mean for My Child? Dr. Nick Long, Center for Effective Parenting	Ideas that Work! Delores Richardson, Fort Smith Sandie Jordan, Lake Hamilton Vickie Shelby, Paragould	Strategies for Parents of the Elementary Student Jim Grant, Staff Development for Educators	Parental Involvement in the Middle School Janet Shepard, Practical Parenting Partnerships	Math Strategies for K-6 Elementary Parents Beth Neil Dawson, Education Service Cooperative	Literacy Strategies for Elementary Parents Connie Choate, AR Dept. of Education	Parental Involvement in the High School Pearlie Newton, Bearden High School	Making a Difference with ELL Parents Laverne Addington, DeQueen Public Schools	The Most Important Principles for Human Wellness and Relationships Dr. Wally Goddard, University of AR Cooperative Extension Services	No Sessions Planned	New Parental Involvement Facilitators Susan Simmons, Ashdown Lorie Satterwhite, Batesville Susan Stewart, Dumas	Parent's Role in the Child's Education Jeanie Cole, Ft. Smith School Board of Education
12:15-1:15 pm	Lunch Robinson Center Exhibition Hall											
1:30-2:45 pm	If I Build It, Will They Come? Dr. Mark Edwards, Center for Effective Parenting	Families Building Better Readers Dr. Angela Martin, University of West Florida	How to Help Parents of Grade 5-12 Students That Can't Read the Text Jim Grant, Staff Development for Educators	Parents Supporting the ITBS Dr. Michael Ward, Riverside Publishing	Successful Parental Involvement and Program Ideas Leyon Brattan and Jayme Jones, Marshall Elem.	Parental Involvement in the High School Suzann Hernandez, Center for Effective Parenting	Resources and Training Opportunities from AETN Kathleen Stafford, AETN	Teaching Your Children to Make Good Choices Dr. Howard Knoff, AR Dept. of Education / Special Education	Building Character Education for PreK Traci Johnston and Lindsey Underwood, University of AR Cooperative Extension Services	Parent Centers and Parental Involvement Jeannie Grisson, Vilonia Elem. Jackie Smith, Arnold Elem.	Parent Institutes Involving the Community Margie Smith, Russellville Kaye Rainey, Little Rock	Parental Involvement in the Middle School Lee Smith, Mena School District
3:00-4:15 pm	The Importance of Parental Involvement at the Middle School Ronald Laurent, Dollarway School District	Families Building Better Readers Dr. Angela Martin, University of West Florida	Teachers Helping Parents Jim Grant, Staff Development for Educators	Promoting Family Literacy in the School Susan Underwood, AR Dept. of Education Shana McKenzie, Katy Price, Ft. Smith Schools	Parents Make a Difference Story Telling Brian Ratcliff, Vilonia Elementary	Parent Institute Suzann Hernandez, Center for Effective Parenting	Keys to Excellence Rebecca Jones, Bonnie Young, Phyllis Cook, Sloan Hendrix School	Statewide Positive School Discipline and Behavior Management: How Parents Can Help Dr. Howard Knoff, AR. Dept. of Education / Special Education	Parenting Journey Dr. Wally Goddard, Traci Johnston, Lindsey Underwood, University of AR Cooperative Extension Services	PreK/K Transition Activities Christine Hickman, Redwood Early Childhood Center Kelly Moore, Benton School District	Parent Institutes Involving the Community Margie Smith, Russellville Kaye Rainey, Little Rock	Volunteers in Your School Brazier Watts, AR Dept. of Education
4:15-5:30 pm	AETN Presentation of Statewide Parental Involvement • Video ClipsNetworking . . . Robinson Center Exhibition Hall Vendors • Snacks • Door Prizes											

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Thursday, September 8, 2005												
7:00-8:00 am	Registration Robinson Auditorium Gallery III Continental Breakfast . . . Robinson Center Exhibition Hall Vendors Salon C											
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8:00-9:15 am	How Administrators Support Parental Involvement in the Schools Panel	Effective African American Parenting Dr. Kerby Alvy, Center for the Improvement of Child Caring	Promising Partnership Practices Increasing K-4 Academic Achievement Brenda Thomas, Johns Hopkins University	<i>Room Not Available</i>	Home Visiting and Preparing Parents for Kindergarten Barbara Gilkey, Trish Anderson, Jackie Richardson, HIPPY	Parent Institute Ida Collier, Center for Effective Parenting	<i>Room Not Available</i>	Involve the Arts – Involve the Parents Janice Wilson, Woodruff Elementary	Bullying (1 hour required PD) Don House	Parents as Literacy Learners and Leaders Dr. Diana Curry, ETA Cuisenaire	Watch Dog Dads Jim Moore	Working with the ELL Parent Laura Baber, Langston Elementary
9:30-10:45 am	Parents Learning English: Our New PTA Driving Force Dr. Diana Gonzales-Worthen, Springdale Schools	Effective African American Parenting Dr. Kerby Alvy, Center for the Improvement of Child Caring	Promising Partnership Practices Increasing 5-8 Academic Achievement Brenda Thomas, Johns Hopkins University	<i>Room Not Available</i>	Parental Curriculum Dee Austin, Center for Effective Parenting	Transitioning into Kindergarten Janet Shepard, Practical Parenting Partnerships	<i>Room Not Available</i>	Parenting Strategies Patty Mathis, Beebe Sandy Collins, Carlisle	New Facilitator/ Act 603 Susan Stewart, Dumas Laura Baber, Hot Springs Sandi Jordan, Lake Hamilton	STEP/Mentor Program Carolyn Martin, North Little Rock	Statewide Parental Involvement Training Modules Panel	Improve Parent – Teen Conversations About Finance Issues Myra Allen
11:00 am-12:15 pm	Parents Learning English: Our New PTA Driving Force Dr. Diana Gonzales-Worthen, Springdale Schools	Parental Involvement in the Arkansas Consolidated School Improvement Planning Process Trisha Hayes, Gary Parish, Arkansas Department of Education	Promising Partnership Practices Increasing 9-12 Academic Achievement Brenda Thomas, Johns Hopkins University	<i>Room Not Available</i>	Supporting and Involving Parents of Students with Special Needs in Literacy Activities at Home Lisa Haley, Lisa Johnson, AR Dept. of Education Melissa Jenkins, AR School for the Deaf	<i>No Sessions Planned</i>	<i>Room Not Available</i>	Schools of the 21st Century Marilyn Chambers, Hamburg Vicki Shelby, Paragould Susan Underwood, AR Dept. of Education	Watch Dog Dads Jim Moore	Parent to Parent Arkansas PTA	Statewide Parental Involvement Training Modules Panel	<i>No Sessions Planned</i>
12:30-2:00 pm	Lunch Robinson Center Exhibition Hall Presentations by: Representative Joyce Elliot Colleen Nick – Morgan Nick Foundation Stacy Pittman – “Just for the Kids” GRAND DOOR PRIZE											

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