

Thank you for inquiring about CA State PIRC -1 Workshops!

Given the high volume of request across the state for the CA State PIRC -1 to provide Level 1 workshops to parents/families, the program is transitioning to a new system to maximize services to communities statewide. Through established and new collaborations with school districts, the CA State PIRC-1 will now provide trainings at a district wide level. This means that we are asking individual schools and school districts interested in our services for the following:

- Bring together various parents from different schools in the district to attend trainings, with a minimum attendance of 50-60 parents. This will maximize the outreach of our services and create strong networks of parents in that school district and community.
- Establish a centralized location where workshop(s) can be provided to accommodate the number of parents present. This location can vary to best meet the needs of the attendees and school/district resources available.
- Organize "parent training institutes" where program staff conducts at least two workshop sessions in one day. This will ensure parents receive a wider wealth of information. Times can vary to accommodate the needs of the attendees.
- Provide interpreters/translation when necessary. Program staff is skilled in providing workshops in English and/or Spanish.
- Pick workshops from the workshop request form.

PIRC Staff will provide:

- Trainers to conduct workshops
- Materials (agenda/PowerPoint/supplemental material/etc)
- Summaries of workshops for schools/district for outreach flyer to parents

*Example of "parent training institute" with Pomona Unified School District*

CA State PIRC-1 worked with PUSD to conduct 6 workshops in a course of three consecutive days, with 2 workshops per day (8:30-11:45am). The district provided: outreach to parents over 100 parents, venue, and AV needs. Program staff provided: trainers and training materials. This is just a sample, but we are willing and available to accommodate to your needs.

We can better serve communities throughout California with the help of our partners and school representative like you. Please feel free to call with any questions or comments, or fill out the workshop request form and we'll contact you to set up a parent training institute in your district.

Thank you for your consideration.

CA State PIRC – 1 Staff

Please fax this form to (626) 814-4640, attn: CA State PIRC 1. Our staff will contact you shortly to discuss logistics and planning. Thank you for your request.

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California State PIRC 1  
Workshop Request Form



School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Request: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
street city zip code

District Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact phone number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are interested in having CA State PIRC-1 present any of the curriculum module(s), please select from the following category [*Check all that apply*]:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Basic Components of "No Child Left Behind"   | <input type="checkbox"/> System of School Accountability            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> California Academic Content and Performance Standards and Standardized Assessments | <input type="checkbox"/> Role of Parent Committees                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent Involvement: Helping Your Child Achieve Academic Success                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Academic Programs                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Bridges: Family and School Connections                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Understanding the U.S. System of Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parents as First Teachers  | <input type="checkbox"/> Beyond High School                         |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Using Technology and On-Line Resources     |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Setting Personal and Academic Goals        |

**Please answer the following questions:**

What language(s) would you like workshop(s) to be presented in? *Check all that apply.*

English  Spanish  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Projected date(s) of presentations: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about California State PIRC 1?

Colleague  Presentation  Internet  US Dept of Education  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Is your District/School Title 1?

- District Yes No
- School Yes No

Is your District/School in Program Improvement?

- District Yes PI Year?\_\_\_\_ No
- School Yes PI Year?\_\_\_\_ No

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