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# **Early Learn Environment WG**

7.9.2024

## Welcome

• Ice breaker: Name 5 things that make you happy.

## **KT Activities**

- Event Planning
  - UFT BBQ Collaboration Aug 14 |12pm- 2pm
    - SIA staff will be on location @ 10am
    - SI Alliance Participating Partners
      - NYC Teens Connect-volunteer
      - RUMC Pouch Center volunteer or tabling
      - RUMC Trauma Center– confirmed tabling
      - INCLUDEnyc-tabling
      - QUALITYSTARSny- (unconfirmed)
      - NYC DOHMH tabling
    - Reserved Small School Bus
      - Will be up on the courtyard for families to walk onto
      - Driver will be giving a safety 101 convo with the families
    - Semi-circle table set up creating a path for families to walk
- Parent Survey
  - o ZIP code
  - o School
  - Did your child attend a 3k/4k program? Which program?
  - Is your child receiving special needs services? (EI, CPSE)
  - Does your child have any siblings? Is the sibling attending the school the child is currently enrolled in?
  - What is your experience in accessing information/resources in your preferred language? \*\* What is your preferred language? in spanish
  - Do you want to be added to the SIA mailing list?
  - Filling out the survey as part of parent check in



• Google form created with questions

### **Working Group Collaboration**

- Monthly Educational Campaign Suggestions All information MUST be cited and vetted thoroughly before being sent out
  - Focus for Child (4mths), Caregivers (3mths) and Educators (3mths)
  - Child Campaigns
    - Pediatric dental appointments/hygiene
      - When should you take your child to their first dental appt.?
    - Immunization vaccines
    - The Importance of Attendance (September Campaign)
    - Early Evaluations (Universal mental screenings)
      - Free!
    - 10 foods that boost brain development for children (Child Nutrition)
    - How to raise secure children
    - Transitioning to Sippy Cups
    - Potty Training
      - Pullups
    - Tips on how to increase your child reading
    - Importance of Routine in a child's development
    - The Importance of a good night's sleep
    - Where to look for childcare guidance
  - Caregiver Campaigns
    - Mental Health
    - Annual Appointments
    - Family Planning
    - Date Night (w/ myself)
    - Encouragement
    - Self-Care
    - Knowing when to ask for help and knowing that it is ok to ask for help
      - Support friends, family, community organizations
    - How to be a better consumer (childcare)
    - The Importance of building community



- Educator Campaigns
  - Health Trainings
  - How to establish rapport with families
    - Parent Engagement
  - Positive Communication with parents
  - Utilize language access programs
  - Connecting educators with community organizations resources
- Campaign day collect SIA marketing materials and drop them off at local schools so they can become familiar with the SI Alliance and what we/our partners can provide the schools (Fall - November)
- Book suggestions, YouTube video recommendations that are relevant to the month's campaign
- Campaign Breakdown
  - September Child Attendance
  - October Parent
  - November Educator Campaign Day
  - December Child Giving and Getting
  - o January Parent Childhood Enrollment
  - February Educators Loving Language
  - o March Child
  - o April Parent
  - May-Educators
  - o June Child

#### Closing

• Next Meeting: August 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024

#### NOTES:



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