

What PEP Has to Offer

- Parent-educator partnership in all it does and offers.
- A staff of four: 2 parents and 2 educators.
- A library of books, videos, tapes and written materials on a wide variety of topics; an annotated bibliography divided by topic areas and updated yearly.
- Two Partnership Newsletters - theme focused.
- A network of families who are contacts for new families.
- A listing of local support groups, local and national workshops and inservices on a variety of topics of interest to parents and educators.
- Parents to provide the parent perspective on school committees and panels, or as co-trainers for staff development.
- One-on-one assistance for families and educators:
 - Locating resources
 - Networking with other people, programs & services
 - Exploring possible solutions to challenging situations
 - Matching specific resources and services with specific needs
 - Supplying contacts for one-on-one support
 - Assisting with school change efforts
 - Serving as liaison between families and school staff
 - Informing parents of rights and responsibilities related to getting services for children and young adults
 - Helping support groups locate speakers and plan activities
 - Assisting schools in setting up Family Resource Centers
 - Training individuals to become empowered to make choices and speak up for themselves
 - Access to mini scholarships to assist parents in attending workshops & conferences

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