

# Parent Professional Learning Opportunities

## Parent Leadership Opportunities

Parents can participate in **only one** opportunity per session, as Peer Educator trainings are held simultaneously:

**Training dates: Session 1:** January 10, 17, 24, 31, February 14, 21, 28, and March 7

### Session #1:

#### Peer Literacy Educator

- Learn how easy it is to increase a child's success in school with fun activities and songs
- Learn information designed to help parents understand the importance of language and reading for academic achievement

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#### Peer Health Educator

- Learn how to recognize and cope with more than 200 of the most common health concerns
- Learn how to assist your child in being healthy and successful at school

**Referrals Due By: December 19, 2018**

**Training dates: Session 2:** March 28, April 4, 11, 18, 25, May 2, 8, and 16

### Session #2:

#### Peer Math Educator

- Learn fun activities to make math more accessible and enjoyable
- Learn information designed to help parents understand the importance of increasing a child's competence and confidence in math

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#### Peer Money Educator

- Learn engaging activities to promote financial stability and wellness
- Learn knowledge to empower yourself and your family

**Referrals Due By: March 6, 2019**

**Place:** Training will be held at Puget Sound ESD  
800 Oakesdale Ave SW, Renton 98057

**Time:** All trainings will be from 5:00 – 8:30 pm, dinner included

**Graduation/Reunion for Sessions 1 & 2: June 20**

## Bus Driver Training

Training includes 48 hours of classroom time, up to 40 hours of driving time, and testing for a CDL Class B license

A **School Bus Driver Abstract** **MUST** be submitted with referral application. Parent must be able to read, write and speak fluent English.

**Place:** Training will be held at PSESD Transportation  
1282 Valentine Ave SE, Pacific 98047

Parents will need to obtain an **Abstract of Driving Record Used by School Districts for Bus Driver Certification** from the DOL, and a **new CDL manual**. Study Sections 1 through 5 and Section 10, and take the corresponding written tests at the DOL **PRIOR** to Orientation dates. Save all **original receipts** from the abstract, manual, and tests for reimbursement.

### Bus Driver Training #1

**Referrals due: September 3, 2018**

**Training Dates:** Sept. 24, Orientation  
Oct. 8 – Oct. 12, Classroom  
Oct. 15, Begin on the Road

### Bus Driver Training #2

**Referrals due: January 2, 2019**

**Training Dates:** Jan. 22, Orientation  
Feb. 4 – 8, Classroom  
Feb. 11, Begin on the Road

### Bus Driver Training #3

**Referrals due: March 4, 2019**

**Training Dates:** Mar. 25, Orientation  
Apr. 8 – 12, Classroom  
April 15, Begin on the Road

## Interpreter Training

Are you bilingual? We offer a six-hour course that provides basic interpreter skills training.

Participants must be fluent in at least one language other than English, and be able to read, write, and speak fluent English. **Referrals due: April 17, 2019**

**Training date:** May 8, 2019, 9:00 am – 3:30 pm at Puget Sound ESD, 800 Oakesdale Ave SW, Renton