



# EAST ORANGE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CORP.



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Dear Parents:

There will be a Corrina, Corrina Annex, Aprea and Pearly Hayes, Parent meeting via Zoom on **Tuesday, March 11, 2025 at 4:00pm.** The Zoom link is as follow:

**Please make every effort to attend.**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87963338584?pwd=pnxUXIvhPv1UOKpanpYh8EdqBJcb3J.1>

**Meeting ID: 879 6333 8584**

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2. Letters of supports to congress link/Happy 60 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Head Start link.
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4. Brother To Brother (March 13 and March 27, 2025 @4:30pm
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7. Summer Program 2025 Survey/updates
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**PARENT MEETING REPORT VIA ZOOM**

**PARENT FACILITATOR: Tasha Whitehead/ Alie F-Jean/Mercedes Fermin/Lynette Webb/ Janice Murray**

**CENTER: Corrina 1, 2,4,5,6,7,8 Annex, Pearly Hayes, Aprea**

**DATE: 03/11/2025**

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**RESULTS:**

The meeting begun with Ms. Lynette Webb/FCE) Welcome the Parent as she shared with them the results of he Pyramid Model Expectation Survey that had been taken by the Parents. The results were as follows: we are safe, we are kind, we are responsible were the outcomes chosen by the Parents.

We spoke with the group about the Letter of Support to Congress link/happy 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Head Start link, and they were advised to please use the link and share the information with others family member and friends for the Support.

Ms. Janice introduced Ms. Lisa Gray Smith of the East community Charter School who did a brief presentation and encouraged the Parents that has children transitioning to kindergarten and would like to enroll their child at the Charter School, she informed them of what must be done in their efforts to have that process complete. She answered any questions they had and she assured them that applications will be left at the 50 Washington Site for their use in completing the process.

Ms. Lynette reminded the parents of the Policy Makes Groups, they were asked to consider the possibility of participating and they were informed that the election for Policy Council and Board of Directors will take place in June 2025.

**Ms. Alie spoke with the group about the Brother to Brother Zoom meeting that will be conducted on March 18, and March 27, 2025 by Mr. Reggie Miller, they were encouraged to participate.**

**The Parents we informed that the Mend Farmers Market will be at 50 Washington Street on March 18, 2025, all parents were encouraged to take part in that event.**

**Ms. Lynette shared information about the upcoming Positive Solution Parenting Support group that will take place in May 2025.**

**The Parents were advised to respond to the survey in concern to the Summer program and return it to the Family Advocate as soon as possible.**

**Ms. Mercedes spoke in concern of attendance/Program Recruitment and Enrollment/Late Pick-ups/ Arrivals. The Parents were asked to update their Emergency Contact information.**

**Service Area updates done by Mr. Rob he updated the Parents on what is new with the office of Head Start an importance of the support letter to congress. He advised them to use the Head Start Link to support.**

**The floor was open for Parents/Teachers/Services Area input update comments/concerns.**

**Ms. Mercedes Translated for the None English speaking families.**

**Meeting: adjourn**