



# Santa Clara Unified School District

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Family Resource Center

# Family Resource Center (FRC)

## Background

The Family Resource Center (FRC) was identified as a priority through the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) and Strategic Planning processes. The initial focus was to serve students identified as English Learners, Foster and Homeless Youth, Free and Reduced Lunch eligible and those with Special Needs. The FRC represents a collaborative effort, overseen by the Student Services Department.

## SCUSD Family Engagement Vision

Foster sense of belonging for all families with goal of supporting each student in realizing their maximum potential.

# FRC Mission

A centralized location to increase collaboration, streamline services, and provide additional services and resources to help families become more engaged in their child's education. Services will help families access critical information, readily available in accessible formats and languages, promoting culturally appropriate practices that reflect our parent community.



# Services



## Basic Essentials

Food pantry, toiletries, clothing, school supplies and computer access.



## Resources and Referrals

Information on health, social services, community resources, parenting and housing.



## Workshops

On-going workshops and classes on topics of interest to parent/guardians and students.



**Case management** to support families and students with various barriers.

Services available in 240 languages through spoken interpretation and written translation.



# Hours

## **Mondays**

9 am - 2:00 pm

## **Tuesday**

9 am - 2:00 pm

## **Wednesdays**

9 am - 2:00 pm

## **Thursdays**

9 am - 2:00 pm

## **Fridays**

by appointment



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# Expanded FRC Activities 2020- 2021

- Back-to-School School Supplies Drive & Giveaway
- Parent Education- Virtual Class:
  - [How to Keep Your Preschooler Happy, Stimulated and Developing.....](#)
- Parent Education - Virtual Class:
  - How to Use Schoolloop for Families to log in (English/Spanish)
- Parent Education:
  - Parenting During a Pandemic - PK-5
- Holiday Drive
- Family Education - Virtual Class:
  - Nutrition Class on Meal Planning (English/Spanish)
- Parent Education - Virtual Class:
  - Soluciones Cariñosas, Una guía para tener una mejor relación con sus hijos

Please visit the [Family Resource Department Page](#) for more information.



# Community Partnerships

- 3 Helping Hands
- Bill Wilson Center
- CISCO
- Intel
- Hand in Hand Parenting
- Health Trust
- Healthier Kids Foundation
- Salvation Army Santa Clara
- Santa Clara City Library
- Santa Clara County Behavioral Health
- Santa Clara County Public Health
- Santa Clara County WIC
- Santa Clara County Police Department
- Sunnyvale Community Services





# How to Get Involved

- Volunteer (food packing, distribution days, etc.)
- Holiday and School Supply Drives
- Partnerships to promote greater access
- Sponsorship (events, professional development, workshops)
- Donate (personal items, funds, etc.)



**Become a Volunteer!**



<https://bit.ly/2HCWnxk>

# Thank You

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