

SMFC NEWCOMER & IMMIGRANT YOUTH FAMILY LANDING PAGE



SANCTUARY RESOLUTION

The San Mateo – Foster City School District will not collect information regarding student and family immigration status when enrolling students in District programs; and will not release information regarding immigration status or related matters contained in a student's records to federal agencies or other authorities enforcing immigration laws without the permission of the student's parent or guardian or pursuant to a judicial warrant, subpoena, court order, or as otherwise required by law.

1 KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

Regardless of your immigration status, you have guaranteed rights under the Constitution. Learn more here about your rights as an immigrant, and how to express them.

Don't open the door if an immigration agent is knocking.

Don't answer any questions. You have the right to remain silent

Don't sign anything. Speak to a lawyer first; you have the right to do so.

Read/show your red card to the agent.

Newcomer Parent Handbook - available in different languages.

2 CREATE A FAMILY EMERGENCY PLAN

Every family should have a Family Preparedness Plan in case of an emergency. It is critical for immigrant families to think ahead and set more concrete plans for immigration emergencies that can arise.

Make a plan with your family that includes emergency childcare.

Ensure that everyone in your household knows how to reach the Rapid Response Hotline.

Review your constitutional rights and practice using your Red Card to assert them.

3 KNOW WHO TO CONTACT

Rapid Response Hotline (San Mateo)

203-666-4472

(203-NO-MIGRA)

Family and community Resources Brochure

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