

Mt Eden High

Family Engagement Specialist (FES)



About Me

Maria Duenas is the Family Engagement Specialist (F.E.S.) at MEHS, where she has worked for 13 years. She assists all parents with annual updates, parent-teacher conferences, and counseling meetings, with a focus on Spanish-speaking parents by providing translation services. Maria organizes informational and educational workshops on various topics such as Hayward Adult, ROP, A-G requirements, youth vaping, and more, to support both students and parents at the high school level. She also participates in the Cost team to help students in need and connects families with local agencies for resources like Medi-Cal, CalFresh, dental care, housing, food pantries, and free or reduced clinics in the Bay Area.

Role of F.E.S.

Family Engagement Specialist encourages and coordinates parent education and involvement in various District and school programs and other activities to ensure equity of opportunity and access; perform liaison duties among staff, community resources and parents; refer families to local agencies or services as appropriate; utilize and update designated District communication and outreach portals and protocols.

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