

PUSD GATE PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT
Havens Elementary School Library
October 3, 2013
7:00 pm

AGENDA

Topic	Facilitator	Time
1. Sign-in, Welcome, Introductions	R. Booker	5 min.
2. Purpose of Parent Information Night	R. Booker	5 min.
3. '13-'14 PUSD GATE Plan (http://www.piedmont.k12.ca.us/forms/gate/gate_plan.pdf)	R. Booker	10 min.
4. Teacher Professional Development	R. Booker	15 min.
5. Differentiated Instruction/Communication	R. Booker/Teachers	10 min.
5. A.L.P.S. Introduction	K. Fisher	5 min.
6. Opportunity for parent input and questions	R. Booker	10 min.

This is the fourth year of the District's GATE plan. This plan calls for the participation of parents, teachers, and administrators in discussing issues related to gifted and talented education at GATE Advisory Council meetings. All interested parents are invited to participate in our upcoming GATE Advisory Meetings.

GATE Advisory Council Dates

Location: Havens Elementary School Library

Monday, October 15th: 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Monday, February 3rd: 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Monday, April 7th: 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Purpose:

The GATE Parent information night is intended to share, with the community, the District's work in supporting GATE identified students. Information regarding the District's GATE plan may be found on the District website at http://www.piedmont.k12.ca.us/curriculum/gate .
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Ground Rules - Expectations

1. Start and end on time
2. One person talks at a time (no side conversations)
3. Address issues, not people (individuals)
4. Confidentiality of discussions
5. Stay on task at hand, keep to items on the "floor" at time of discussion
6. No implied agreements
7. Represent needs of entire District (not a specific grade or site)
8. Recommendations are advisory
9. Communicate with respect
10. Assume good intentions