
2019 COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE

FATHERHOOD EDUCATION



Dr. Grenita Lathan
Interim Superintendent of Schools

Houston Independent School District Board of Education

Elizabeth Santos

District I

Rhonda Skillern-Jones

District II

Sergio Lira

District III

Jolanda Jones

District IV

Sue Deigaard

District V

Holly Maria Flynn Vilaseca

District VI

Anne Sung

District VII

Diana Dávila

District VIII

Wanda Adams

District IX

Grenita Lathan, Interim Superintendent of Schools
Rick Cruz, Chief Strategy and Innovation Officer
Dr. Kenneth Davis, Assistant Superintendent Equity & Outreach

Family and Community Engagement Department

4400 West 18th Street, Houston, Texas 77092

www.HoustonISD.org/face

It is the policy of the Houston Independent School District not to discriminate on the basis of age, color, handicap or disability, ancestry, national origin, marital status, race, religion, sex, veteran status, political affiliation, sexual orientation, gender identity and/or gender expression in its educational or employment programs and activities.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Welcome to the revised and expanded **Houston Independent School District (HISD) Family and Community Engagement (FACE) 2018 Community Resource Guide**. Its primary intended audiences are administrators and teachers in HISD and the parents, guardians, families, and communities they serve.

Structure and Organization

In its fifth edition, the **2018 Community Resource Guide** now includes 47 topics and 1,160 profiles. The profiles encompass 530 unique organizations. A profile is the total description of an entry. An entry is an organization and its total profile under a given topic. A topic is the total collection of profiles for a specific area of interest. The **Guide** consistently uses 15 headings as prompts for information. A heading is a specific question of interest. Each heading is repeated across all entries and within all topics.

Methods Used

In identifying possible topics and profiles for this new, revised edition of the **Guide**, HISD FACE staff members:

1. Used service providers' websites as the primary information resource.
2. Consulted with peers in other departments for input and insights about service providers.
3. Sent emails with questions to selected organizations for which there were gaps in information.
4. Made phone calls to selected organizations for which there were also gaps in information.
5. Reviewed successive drafts to assess quality, completeness, and ease of use.
6. Included a **Product Evaluation Form** for feedback from schools, families, and other users.

Disclaimer

This revised **Guide** is intended to be a quick reference resource for HISD schools and families. Inclusion in it does not denote endorsement or recommendation. Please send information about new resources, as well as any updates, corrections, and comments to FACE@HoustonISD.org.

Evaluation Form

A two-page Product Evaluation Form appears at the end of the PDF version of the **Guide** and at the end of each of its topic briefs. We would welcome your feedback!

FATHERHOOD EDUCATION

Fatherhood Education:

1. AVANCE Houston Inc.
2. Baylor College of Medicine Teen Health Clinics
3. ESCAPE Family Resource Center
4. Gulf Coast Community Services Association Inc.
5. Horizon Outreach
6. Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service – Fathers Reading Every Day
7. Texas Office of the Attorney General – Family Initiatives

	Phone	Ages/Grades Served	Costs	Onsite at Schools	Languages
1	713-812-0033	Ages 0-5	Costs vary	Yes	English, Spanish
2	713-440-7456 713-873-3601 713-673-1655 713-495-6971 281-847-9970 713-566-5612 713-955-6071 713-640-3730 713-787-1756 281-384-0528	Ages 16-17 and Adults ages 18-25	Costs vary	Yes	English, Spanish
3	713-942-9500	Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English
4	713-393-4700	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish
5	713-467-4966	Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish
6	979-845-6468	Grades PK-5 and Adults ages 18+	Costs vary	No	English, Spanish
7	512-460-6000	Ages 13-17 and Adults ages 18+	Free	No	English, Spanish

AVANCE Houston Inc.

Address: 4301 Dacoma Street, Houston, TX 77092

Area Served: Greater Houston

Days/Hours: Office: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm. • Program: Monday-Tuesday, 6:30pm-8:30pm.

Contact: David Bell or Hector Rodriguez

Phone: 713-812-0033

Fax: 713-812-9829

Email: dbell@avancehouston.org or hrodriguez@avancehouston.org.

Website: <http://www.avancehouston.org/fatherhood-program>

Local Bus Routes: 89

Ages/Grades Served: Fathers in Action: Ages 0-5. • Strong Families Strong Communities: Ages 14-17 and adults ages 18+.

Eligibility: Limits some programs to adult clients who have children in AVANCE programs.

Costs: Costs vary. • Call to ask about specific costs.

Onsite at Schools: Yes. • The Parent-Child Education Program operates at three HISD schools.

Languages: English, Spanish

Direct Services: The Fathers in Action Program supports the role of the father in the education of his children through activities and field trips. • Also offers classes for English as a Second Language (ESL), General Education Development (GED), and parent education.

Baylor College of Medicine Teen Health Clinics

Area Served: Harris County

Location	Address	Phone	Days/Hours	Bus Routes
Main Office (Cullen)	5737 Cullen Boulevard, Suite 200, Houston, TX 77021	713-440-7313	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6:30pm	5, 29
Ben Taub	1504 Taub Loop, Houston, TX 77030	713-440-7456	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6:30pm	298
Cavalcade	3815 Cavalcade Street, Houston, TX 77026	713-673-1655	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6:30pm	26
Chavez High School	8501 Howard Drive, Houston, TX 77017	713-495-6971	Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm	5
Lawn	8111 Lawn Street, Houston, TX 77088	281-847-9970	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6:30pm	27, 30, 40, 64
LBJ Hospital	5656 Kelley Street, Houston, TX 77026	713-566-5612	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6:30pm	26, 80, 97
Sterling High School	11625 Martindale Road, Houston, TX 77048	713-955-6071	Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm	80
Tejano Center	2950 Broadway Street, Houston, TX 77017	713-640-3730	Monday-Thursday, 8am-6:30pm	50
Wisdom High School	6529 Beverly Hill Street, Houston, TX 77057	713-787-1756	Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm	25, 47
Worthing High School	9215 Scott Street, Houston, TX 77051	281-394-0528	Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm	54, 87

Contact: Not available

Fax: Not available

Email: Not available

Website: <http://www.teenhealthclinic.org/programs/project-%20bootstrap>

Ages/Grades Served: Ages 16-17 and adults ages 18-25

Eligibility: Must be a father. • Must meet age requirements.

Costs: Costs vary. • Some services are free, others are low cost. • Call to ask about specific costs.

Onsite at Schools: Yes. • Has clinics at four HISD high schools.

Languages: English, Spanish

Direct Services: Offers a program for young fathers to pursue education and vocational training. • Also provides pregnancy testing, prenatal care, family planning, sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and HIV/AIDS education and screening, primary healthcare, and case management services to teenagers, their partners, and children.

ESCAPE Family Resource Center

Address: 2410 Hamilton Street, Houston, TX 77004

Area Served: Greater Houston

Days/Hours: Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-5:30pm. • Program: Thursday, 5:30-8:30, Saturday-Sunday, 9am-1pm.

Contact: Christy Serrano, Director of Programs

Phone: 713-942-9500

Fax: 713-942-0702

Email: General questions: programs@learntoparent.org. • Programs: cserrano@learntoparent.org.

Website: <http://www.learntoparent.org/index.php?page=dads-count>

Local Bus Routes: 44, 54, 85

Ages/Grades Served: Adults ages 18+

Eligibility: Must be a father. • Must call or visit to register for the program.

Costs: Costs vary. • Charges \$155 per person for tuition, registration, and materials. • Free for referrals from Harris County Domestic Relations Office. • Call to ask about specific costs.

Onsite at Schools: No

Languages: English

Direct Services: Offers the Dads Count Program of fatherhood education. • Provides parenting skills training for fathers in a 12-hour, six-session course. • Helps men to understand their responsibilities as fathers and how to establish stronger relationships with their children.

Gulf Coast Community Services Association Inc.

Address: 9320 Kirby Drive, Houston, TX 77054

Area Served: Harris County

Days/Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

Contact: Tiamoiya Lee, Head Start/Early Head Start Director

Phone: 713-393-4700

Fax: Not available

Email: info@gccsa.org

Website: <https://www.gccsa.org/fatherhood-initiative>

Local Bus Routes: 700 (METRO rail), 8

Ages/Grades Served: Adults ages 18+

Eligibility: Must be a father.

Costs: Free

Onsite at Schools: No

Languages: English, Spanish

Direct Services: Offers a Fatherhood Program. • Provides a peer-based system of supports to help male figures to become positive role models for their families and the community. • Promotes volunteerism, participation, and positive interaction with family and community. • Fosters a greater sense of self-esteem, pride, and responsibility.

Horizon Outreach

Address: 256 North Sam Houston Parkway, Suite 115, Houston, TX 77060

Area Served: Greater Houston

Days/Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

Contact: Katrina Johnson

Phone: 713-467-4966

Fax: 832-288-5326

Email: info@horizonoutreach.org

Website: <http://www.horizonoutreach.org/Horizon-Eagle>

Local Bus Routes: 56, 99, 102

Ages/Grades Served: Adults ages 18+

Eligibility: Must be a father.

Costs: Free

Onsite at Schools: No

Languages: English, Spanish

Direct Services: Offers curriculum-based instruction in effective parenting and relationship skills. • Provides information and referral to social service agencies.

Texas A&M Agri-Life Extension Service – Fathers Reading Every Day

Address: 600 John Kimbrough Boulevard, Suite 509, College Station, TX 77843

Area Served: Greater Houston

Days/Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

Contact: Stephen Green

Phone: 979-845-6468

Fax: 979-845-0542

Email: s-green@tamu.edu

Website: <http://agriflifeextension.tamu.edu/solutions/fathers-reading-everyday>

Local Bus Routes: Not available

Ages/Grades Served: Grades PK-5

Eligibility: Must be a father or a father figure to age-eligible children.

Costs: Costs vary. • Call to ask about specific costs.

Onsite at Schools: No

Languages: English, Spanish

Direct Services: Provides fathers and father figures of children in Grades PK-5 with strategies to help them initiate daily reading activities with their children.

Texas Office of the Attorney General – Family Initiatives

Address: 300 West 15th Street, Austin, TX 78701

Area Served: Texas

Days/Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

Contact: Patricia Moroney

Phone: 512-460-6000

Fax: 512-460-6040

Email: papa@texasattorneygeneral.gov

Website: <https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/cs/family-initiatives>

Local Bus Routes: Not available

Ages/Grades Served: Ages 13-17 and adults ages 18+

Eligibility: Must be a male secondary student or a young adult male.

Costs: Free

Onsite at Schools: No

Languages: English, Spanish

Direct Services: Offers the 10-session Parenting and Paternity Awareness curriculum and training for staff in schools and community organizations.

FACE PRODUCT EVALUATION FORM

Product Name: _____
Date: _____

User(s): _____
School/Location: _____

Directions: Please tell us a little about you by checking (✓) the circles that apply best to you.

- | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Student | <input type="radio"/> Principal | <input type="radio"/> Parent Educator | <input type="radio"/> Board of Education |
| <input type="radio"/> Parent or Guardian | <input type="radio"/> Assistant Principal | <input type="radio"/> Parent Liaison | <input type="radio"/> District Administrator |
| <input type="radio"/> Family Member | <input type="radio"/> Other Campus Leader | <input type="radio"/> School-Based Specialist | <input type="radio"/> Central Office Staff |
| <input type="radio"/> Community Member | <input type="radio"/> Classroom Teacher | <input type="radio"/> School Bus Driver | <input type="radio"/> FACE Staff |
| | <input type="radio"/> School Librarian | <input type="radio"/> School Custodian | |
| <input type="radio"/> Black or African American | | <input type="radio"/> Hispanic or Latino | |
| <input type="radio"/> American Indian, Alaska Native, or Native Hawaiian | | <input type="radio"/> White or Caucasian | |
| <input type="radio"/> Asian or Pacific Islander | | <input type="radio"/> Two or More Races or Ethnicities | |

Directions: Please tell us how you feel about this product. Your answers will help us to improve it. Thank you.

	Very Unsatisfied	Unsatisfied	Neutral	Satisfied	Very Satisfied	Not Applicable
Overall product quality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Process for acquiring it	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Guidance for users	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
First usage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Repeated usage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Post-acquisition service	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How long have you used this FACE product?	
<input type="radio"/>	Less than 1 month
<input type="radio"/>	1 to 2 months
<input type="radio"/>	2 to 3 months
<input type="radio"/>	3 to 6 months
<input type="radio"/>	6 months to 1 year
<input type="radio"/>	1 year or longer
<input type="radio"/>	Have never used it

How often do you use this FACE product?	
<input type="radio"/>	Daily
<input type="radio"/>	3 to 4 times a week
<input type="radio"/>	Weekly
<input type="radio"/>	3 to 4 times a month
<input type="radio"/>	Monthly
<input type="radio"/>	Every 2 to 3 months
<input type="radio"/>	3 to 4 times a year
<input type="radio"/>	Once a year or less often
<input type="radio"/>	Do not use it

FACE PRODUCT EVALUATION FORM

Overall, how satisfied are you with this FACE product?

<input type="radio"/>	Very satisfied
<input type="radio"/>	Somewhat satisfied
<input type="radio"/>	Neutral
<input type="radio"/>	Somewhat unsatisfied
<input type="radio"/>	Very unsatisfied

Compared to other products of which you are aware, would you say that this FACE product is:

<input type="radio"/>	So good that it's in a class by itself
<input type="radio"/>	Much better than most others
<input type="radio"/>	About the same as others
<input type="radio"/>	Somewhat worse than others
<input type="radio"/>	Much worse than others
<input type="radio"/>	Never have used it

Will you use this FACE product again?

<input type="radio"/>	Definitely yes
<input type="radio"/>	Probably yes
<input type="radio"/>	Maybe or maybe not
<input type="radio"/>	Probably no
<input type="radio"/>	Definitely no
<input type="radio"/>	Never have used it

How likely are you to recommend this FACE product to others?

<input type="radio"/>	Definitely will recommend it
<input type="radio"/>	Probably will recommend it
<input type="radio"/>	Maybe or maybe not
<input type="radio"/>	Probably will not recommend it
<input type="radio"/>	Definitely will not recommend it
<input type="radio"/>	Never have used it

Based upon your experience with this product, how likely are you to use other FACE products?

<input type="radio"/>	Very likely
<input type="radio"/>	Somewhat likely
<input type="radio"/>	Neutral
<input type="radio"/>	Somewhat unlikely
<input type="radio"/>	Very unlikely

Other comments about the product: _____

Please send this completed evaluation form to:

Family and Community Engagement Department (FACE)
Houston Independent School District (HISD)
4400 West 18th Street
Houston, TX 77092
713-556-7290 (main)
713-556-6814 (fax)
face@HoustonISD.org