WHAT WILL IMPACT YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION IN 2016?

ℹ Information

Date: Saturday, December 5

Registration: 8:15 a.m.

Program: 9 - 11:50 a.m.

Location: Jackson Liberty High School, Jackson, NJ

Fee: Free

Breakfast will be provided and begins at 8:15 a.m.

Pre-registration is required

📅 Registration Information

To register for this event, go to www.njsba.org, or contact Ray Pinney at rpinney@njsba.org or call 609-278-5244.

A Parent's Guide to Understanding Public Education in NJ

Educational decisions that impact your child aren't just made within the four walls of the school. Whether it involves decisions made by state leaders on standards and assessments, such as Common Core and PARCC, decisions made by the local board of education and superintendent, or even the impact that the Internet and social media have on your child's education, parents need to stay informed.

Please join us for a timely program featuring the information you need to know to help your child.

Featured topics include:

How Schools are Run Locally In New Jersey each local district has its own school board and superintendent. What is the role of each and how does it impact your child? (Ray Pinney and Theresa Lewis, NJSBA)

State Standards and Assessment New Jersey has historically had rigorous state standards as well as statewide testing. Currently we use PARCC as our statewide assessment, and the Common Core State Standards are under review. Get an overview of standards and assessments plus what parents should know about the PARCC results from New Jersey Department of Education officials. (Kimberley Harrington, NJDOE Assistant Commissioner, chief academic officer)

Social Media and Your Child's Digital Footprint Social media is here to stay and so is your child's digital footprint (and yours, too). What is a digital footprint and how can you manage it? What can your child (or even you) do to become a good digital citizen? (Michael Parent, principal at Passaic County Institute of Technology)

There is no charge for this event, but registration is required.