

# Purpose:

To give parents and caregivers tools to create a loving and learning environment for their children.

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## FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM



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DEBBIE CURLEY is responsible for building family engagement programming. Curricula and program expertise stems from the creation of a dual generation Family Resource Center Program. She has 20 years of nonprofit experience as well as a Masters in Public Health with a concentration in Maternal and Child Health.



CASSIE BURRUEL has been teaching for 21 years with extensive experience in child brain development. She shares her first-hand knowledge as a grandparent raising her grandchild. Also, as a Master Gardener, Cassie brings farm-to-table expertise to teaching nutrition.



FRANCES HOLGUIN offers programs in both English and Spanish. She has been a parent education trainer since 2001 for a multitude of programs including five evidence-based curricula. She also has experience providing interventions for children in the behavioral health system.



# PROGRAMS OFFERED

Below is a list of curricula taught by the Family Engagement Program. Contact program staff for more information on bringing classes to your site.

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## Partners in Parenting Education (PIPE)

These classes encourage sharing of positive emotions, self-regulation and respecting your child as an individual. Class options include Emotional Refueling, Each Child is Different, Love and Limits, Love is Sometimes a Rocky Road, Playing is Learning about Differences.

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## Triple P

Ranging in length from 4-9 sessions using an evidence-based curriculum, these series offer logical solutions to everyday behavior problems. Modules include: Child Behavior Management, Avoiding Power Struggles, Family Transitions for families experiencing separation and Stepping Stones for families with children with disabilities.

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## Positive Discipline

Positive Discipline is an evidence-informed curriculum that helps parents with children age 3-18 decode their children's behavior. Parents learn to generate empathy and more empowering consequences.

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## Seed to Read

Seed to Read combines read-aloud activities of nutrition-based books to promote literacy and a love of healthy food.

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## Garden Discovery Days

Bring your kids to buzz like a bee, emerge as a beautiful butterfly and cluck like a chicken! They'll get their hands dirty with gardening activities and explore their creative side with nature crafts. It's fun!

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## Brain Waves

This three-class series shares the wonders of how children's brains develop and learn.

