

GETTING READY FOR KINDERGARTEN

WRAPAROUND PARENT SUPPORT PROGRAM



DEAR TEACHERS,

Thank you for all the hard work you've been doing this year to support children and families during COVID-19; it's been a wild ride for us all. We are working with MECP to help the children in your inclusive classrooms who are transitioning to Kindergarten. As staff, you know how complex the transition to school systems and Kindergarten can be. With your help, we want to connect with families who are planning their IEPs. We're happy to answer any questions you have and support any connections you feel may be useful to you. We are skilled and successful at supporting families through the Kindergarten transition; we are parents who've walked this path. It's a busy year and we are so glad we can bring some of our time and energy to help your capacity. Some of the ways we will be supporting families include:

- ✓ Meeting parents where they're at and helping them develop their vision for their family
- ✓ Family development of powerful portfolios using virtual support and targeted sessions
- ✓ Connect Hispanic/Spanish-speaking families with the NWDSA/ABI Bilingual Outreach Coordinator
- ✓ IEP drop-in sessions for families to get one-on-one support in English and Spanish

We love the inclusive and empowering work of MECP and hope to help get this group of kids off to a great start in Kindergarten. We are looking forward to being connected with your families to get started. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact Maria Rangel for support at mrangel@nwdsa.org.



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