

San José Unified School District
Categorical Department

**NCLB
Supplemental Educational Services (SES)**

FREE Tutoring Services

**Student Information
Booklet**

2010-2011



Dear Parent/Guardian:

The federal No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 assures that all students have the opportunity to succeed in school and sets student performance targets that all public schools must meet. Schools that do not meet these targets over time are called Program Improvement schools. Currently **Anne Darling, Bachrodt Academy, Empire Gardens, Galarza, Gardner, Olinder, Canoas, Horace Mann, Trace, Washington, and Willow Glen Elementary Schools** are Program Improvement schools. All schools in Program Improvement for more than one year must offer reading and mathematics support for their eligible students outside the regular school day. Students who are eligible for Supplemental Educational Services (SES) are students who are from low-income families.

This booklet contains names and contact information about the free tutoring programs available to help improve your child's academic performance. These organizations/agencies have been approved by the California State Board of Education and are interested in working with San Jose Unified School District. These organizations/agencies are called **SES Providers**.

You will be receiving additional information on the SES program from your child's school and **you will have the opportunity to attend a meeting at your school**. SES Providers (tutors) will give detailed information about their services at these meetings so that you can make an informed decision for your child.

If you are **not** able to attend your school's SES meeting, you may come to a District Faire where the SES Providers can provide you with information and answer any questions you may have.

Monday, September 27, 2010
San Jose High School Cafeteria
5:00 – 6:30 p.m.
275 N. 24th St.
San Jose, CA 95116

To help you decide if you wish for your child to participate in the SES Program, and to select a provider for your child, please consider the following:

READING OR MATH?

Providers offer tutoring in reading and writing (English Language Arts) and/or mathematics. Ask your child's teacher or principal to help you determine the subject(s) in which your child could benefit from tutoring.

LOCATION OF TUTORING:

Please come to the meetings to determine which providers serve students at school, come to the home, or provide computers to use at home. Snacks are provided for after-school tutoring.

DAYS/TIMES:

Providers offer tutoring services on various days and times. Check with the providers to determine if the days and times are convenient to you and your child. Also, verify with the provider the total number of hours they offer to each child.

METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:

Check with the providers to verify how they provide instruction (e.g. one on one, small group, large group, etc.) to help you determine which provider will best meet your child's needs.

STAFF QUALIFICATIONS:

Check with the providers about their staff's qualifications and training. Some providers require their instructors to have teaching credentials, others require their tutors to be college graduates, and some may have other requirements.

APPLICATION:

If you decide you want your child to participate in the SES program you will need to complete an "Application for Supplemental Services". These applications will be handed out at the parent informational meeting at your child's school. If you cannot attend the Parent Meeting you will need to contact your child's school about getting an application. Applications will also be available at the District Parent SES Faire on **September 27, 2010** for all parents who have not attended a parent meeting at their school site.

Please keep in mind that when you fill out the application you will need to have the following information to complete the application:

1. Select three (3) SES providers. You will need to rank your choices in order of preference writing the SES provider's name in first, second, and third order.
2. Fill in your address and a telephone number where you may be reached where indicated.
3. Be sure to sign the application and return it to your child's school.

You will be notified by the provider to verify your child's enrollment in October. Federal funds that pay providers for their services are limited. If the requests for the SES program exceed the available funding, priority will be given to the lowest-performing students who qualify for low socioeconomic status.

Please bring this booklet with you when you attend the SES Provider Faire at your child's school. This will allow you to make notes next to the providers you are interested in as you read this information. As you read this booklet write down any questions you want to ask SES providers at the SES Faire. You will be notified of the date for your school's SES Faire by your school principal.

If you have any questions or need additional information regarding the SES program, please contact the Parent Liaison at your child's school.

SES Potential Providers 2010-2011

Name of Provider	Local Contact Person	E-mail
100 Per Cent Learning Fun Center	Jennifer Arias	jennifer@learningfuncenter.com
A A A ACADEMICS	Stacey Wooten	stacey@aaaacademics.net
A Tree of Knowledge Educational Service, Inc.	Brandon Edwards	bedwards@tree-of-knowledge.net
A+ Educational Centers	Jennifer Valdman	jennifer@aplus4u.com
Aavanza	Gabriela Gonzalez-Ortiz	ses@aavanza.com
Academia de Servicio de Tutoria (Syntesys Inc.)	Frank Gutierrez	academictutoringservice@gmail.com
Academic Advantage, The	NCLB Manager	michael@academicadvantage.com
Academic Tutoring Services, Inc.	Joseph L. Grossman	JOSELEON@PACBELL.NET
Action Learning Systems	Krista Guzman	kguzman@actionlearningsystems.com
ARC Associates	Sau-Lim Tsang	stang@arcassociates.org
Babbage Net School	Scott Hines	babbagenetschoolCA@hotmail.com
Carney Educational Services	Grismel Alonso	Grismela@carneyed.com
Carter, Reddy & Associates, Inc.	Raahul Reddy	rreddy@crandassociates.org
Club Z! In-Home Tutoring Services	Todd Walden	ses@clubztutoring.com
Daekyo America, Inc.	Shawn Choi	enopisanjose@yahoo.com
Divinetrends	Burt Edwards	rsontrend@hotmail.com
GapBuster Learning Center, Inc.	Arnette Butler	abutler@gapbuster.org
Imagine Learning, Inc.	Benjamin Eyre	ben.eyre@imaginelearning.com
Innovadia	Amit Janweja	amit@OnlineSESTutor.com
KnowledgeQuest Learning Center	Jeni L. Marty	j73marty@gmail.com
L.E.A.P.S LEARNING SERVICES	Eric Howard	ses@leapses.com
Learning Ladder	Alan Foden	alan@learningladder.us
Learning Solutions, DBA A+ Learning Solutions	Cris Borell or Elsa Borell	Cborell@LS4me.com or Elsa@LS4me.com
Lindamood-Bell Learning Processes	Cheri Garcia	cheri.garcia@lindamoodbell.com
Math Think	Alan M. Foden	alan@maththink.org
Mathnasium LLC	Tanika Evans	davidu@mathnasium.com
MATHNASIUM OF SACRAMENTO	Carolyn Luu	mathnasiumacses@gmail.com
RSB Education, Inc. Sylvan Learning - Santa Clara	Roger E. Shore	rogershore@sbcglobal.net
Smart Kids Tutoring & Learning Center, Inc.	Paul Mak	contact@smartkidstutor.com
studentnest, Inc. (dba: studentnest.com)	Chandler S. Joshi	cjoshi@studentnest.com
Sullivan Learning Systems	Zaira Delgado	zdelgado@slelearn.com
Teach-n-Tutor	Mike Getch	tutoryou@cox.net
The Achievement Academy, LLC	Kwame I. Asante	kasante1@cox.net
The Community College Foundation	Royce Porter	rporter@communitycollege.org
The Ed. Alliance and Channel For Help, DBA TEACH	Dr. Anthony I. Handy	register@teachacademy.org
The Learning Curve	Allan Avila	ALLAN@TLC-TUTORS.COM
Tutorpedia, LLC	David Taus	davidtaus@tutorpedia.com
TutorWorks INC	Gerardo Torres	gtorres@tutorworks.org
Ultimate Success Learning Program	Cynthia Valenzuela	cynthia&uslptutoring.com
WE CAN Inc. West East Community Access Network	Michel McLaughlin	ses@wecan-foundation.org
XCEL Educational Services	Gloria A. Whitaker-Daniels	GWDaniels@xcelinmath.com