

How Family Engagement Supports Learning Outcomes for All Students: *An Introduction to Family Friendly Schools*

Dr. Steven M. Constantino

6 Hour Presentation

Goals

1. To define family engagement and understand the role of parental efficacy when creating family engagement processes.
2. To understand the difference between parent involvement and family engagement and how to move the organization toward the engagement of all families.
3. To understand the barriers to engaging disenfranchised families and the initial steps to re-engage them with the school.
4. To bring about an awareness of how family engagement can positively impact the educational lives of children.
5. To understand the importance of creating an organizational culture in schools that is inclusive of families.
6. To introduce the design process necessary to engage all families in a unified and systemic way that directly supports the achievement of students.

Materials

1. Workshop Materials for presenter: LCD projector, screen, flip chart, markers, clip-on cordless, or hand held cordless microphone.
2. Workshop Materials for participants: Flip chart paper, markers, handouts.
3. Handouts will e-mailed to the contact person for duplication on-site.
4. Handouts can be created by FFS and sent to your location for a charge. Please call us for details if you are interested.

Intended Audience

Conferences, pre-conference workshops, regional workshops. Not intended for individual schools or districts.

Workshop Format

1. This workshop is designed as a preliminary *introduction* to Family Friendly Schools and the *Five Step Process for Family Engagement™*.
2. If possible, participants should be seated at tables in a manner which will allow them to interact with the presenter and each other. We do not recommend that participants be seated theater style for the full day presentation. This seating minimizes the interactive nature of the presentation/workshop.
3. Workshops are generally 6 hours with breaks, not inclusive of lunch.

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Workshop Format

1. This workshop is designed as a preliminary *introduction* to Family Friendly Schools and the *Five Step Process for Family Engagement™*.
2. Because of the half-day format, there is less interaction of participants than would be found in our full-day introductory workshop.
3. Workshops are generally 3 hours with a break. Please notify us if your time-frame will be less than 3 hours.

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Intended Audience

This presentation is suitable for all educators in schools/districts.

Leadership in Family Engagement: Creating School Cultures that Support All Students

Dr. Steven M. Constantino

3 Hour Presentation

Goals

1. To define family engagement and understand the role of parental efficacy when creating family engagement processes.
2. To understand the difference between parent involvement and family engagement and how to move the organization toward the engagement of all families.
3. To understand the return on investment of time in creating high-performing family engagement processes.
4. To understand the role of data and measurement in building family engagement processes and frameworks.
5. To understand the importance of creating an organizational culture in schools that is inclusive of families.
6. To learn about the Five Step Process for Family Engagement™.

Workshop Format

1. This leadership workshop is designed as a preliminary *introduction* to Family Friendly Schools and the *Five Step Process for Family Engagement™*.
2. To promote interaction, participants are encouraged to be seated at tables in groups, if possible.

Materials

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Intended Audience

This presentation is designed for executive educators, Title I Coordinators, Federal Programs Coordinators, School Board Members and building principals. Also suitable for leadership workshops or seminars at national, state, regional or local conferences.

Keynote Presentation

Engaging All Families: A Proven Path to Achievement for All

Dr. Steven M. Constantino

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Demand for increased student performance has never been higher. Over Forty years of empirical data and remarkable success stories prove that engaging families in the educational lives of their children leads to all children learning at high levels. Still, many schools continue to struggle to meet the needs of all families. Dr. Steven Constantino, Founder and President of Family Friendly Schools and the nation's leading practitioner in family engagement shares his humor and inspiring success story to describe the framework to successfully engage all families!

Information about Dr. Constantino's Keynote

1. Dr. Constantino's keynote address can range from 45 to 90 minutes, with the average being 60 minutes. Please let us know the exact amount of time Dr. Constantino will have, so he may plan accordingly.
2. Dr. Constantino does not use a podium. If a podium is on stage, please make arrangements to have it removed or relocated.
3. Dr. Constantino prefers a clip-on cordless microphone.
4. Dr. Constantino will use a Power Point. He will bring his own laptop and remote. Please provide an LCD projector and screen(s) so that audience members can easily see the presentation.
5. Dr. Constantino will ask for your assistance in distributing and collecting information cards. Please let us know in advance if this request is problematic to your organization or event.
6. Please contact us if you are planning a book signing in conjunction with Dr. Constantino's presentation. We can help facilitate many aspects to make your event a smooth one. Inquire about quantity discounts on books.
7. Please use the attached introduction for Dr. Constantino.
8. Dr. Constantino's biography appears on the second attached document.
9. Contact our office for digital photographs for use in your publicity and advertising.