



HARLEM COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT 5

NAVIGATE. ADVOCATE. THRIVE:
A PARENT WORKSHOP FOR
STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS



A LIGHT BREAKFAST
FROM
8:45 A.M.-9:15 A.M.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER
18TH, 2025
9:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.

PLEASE REGISTER



THURGOOD
MARSHALL
ACADEMY FOR
LEARNING AND
SOCIAL CHANGE

200 WEST 135TH STREET, NYC
10030

SPECIAL POPULATION



MULTIPLE WORKSHOPS ARE OFFERED:

- How do I know if my child needs an IEP?
- Help me understand the IEP?
- Autism Programs offered in HCSD5.

Cohort I

9:15a.m.-10:00 a.m.

If You Think Your Child May Need an IEP

- How to recognize signs that your child may need additional support.
- Steps for requesting an evaluation.
- Understanding your rights as a parent/guardian.

Cohort II

9:15a.m.-10:00 a.m.

Understanding the Evaluation Process

- What happens during an evaluation.
- Types of assessments (academic, speech, OT, behavior, etc.).
- What evaluators look for and how to prepare your child.

Cohort III

9:15a.m.-10:00 a.m.

Autism Programs in HCSD5

- Horizon
- Nest
- A.I.M.S. Program

Transition to Library- Learn Behavioral Strategies

AGENDA

- 8:45a.m. - 9:00a.m. light breakfast & networking
- 9:15a.m. - 10:00a.m. Breakout sessions
- 10:15a.m. - Library- Learn behavioral strategies
- 11:15a.m. - Share out & Circle

**FREE
REGISTRATION**



For questions, call 212-222-1335 ext. 2282 or
visit us @ hcsd5_ and nycd5

DATE & TIME

October 18th

Starts at 8:45 a.m.

WORKSHOP LOCATION

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