our mission

Our mission is to work for the understanding, respect, and support of all children with special needs in Framingham.

The Framingham Special **Education Parent Advisory** Council (F-SEPAC) is run by parents who are concerned about the special needs of children in the Framingham schools. We are a district wide resource to parents/ guardians of children with special needs. We are a united voice for special needs children and considered an advisory committee to the Framingham school district and its Special Education Department. The F-SEPAC is mandated and supported by Massachusetts law.

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www.F-SEPAC.org

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for parents and guardians of school-aged children with special needs

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how we can help you

Let us know who you are and what you need.

Attend our monthly events. Check our website for an up-to-date list.

Attend our monthly support group. Contact supportgroup@f-sepac.org to join.

Visit our website to get helpful information including articles and links to helpful resources.

Join our Yahoo Groups newsletter http://groups.yahoo.com/group/F- SEPAC/

Use our F-SEPAC library at Annie's Bookshop, Nobscott Shopping Center, 774 Water Street, Framingham. The complete list of library contents is on our website.

Attend our annual Summer Camp and Recreation Expo to find summer activities for your child.

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what we do

We assist families to effectively participate in the special education process by hosting informative events and making resources available to them.

We support parents and guardians of children with special needs by hosting a monthly support group.

We meet regularly with the Director of Special Education and advise the Framingham school administration and Director of Special Eduction on special education issues.

We provide monthly workshops, presentations and discussions for families and professionals.

We host an annual Summer Camp and Recreation Expo where families can find summer activities for their child with special needs.

We acknowledge school professionals by offering professional development points for some of our events.

We communicate via our Yahoo Groups newsletter, website, brochures, library, email and telephone. We have our brochures in Spanish and Portuguese as well as a page in each language on our website.

how you can help us

Become a member - Membership is free and open to all people concerned about Framingham's children with special needs and learning differences.

Become a volunteer - We are looking for the following:

- Framingham Public School Liaisons (one for each school)
- Liaison for Spanish speaking community
- Liaison for Portuguese speaking community
- Liaison to Non Public Schools in Framingham
- Outreach to Framingham Town Government
- If you have any other talents or resources that you would like to contribute to F-SEPAC, please let us know.