



# Family Engagement and School Readiness: Navigating Conversations About COVID-19 Vaccine and Mask Requirements.





Supporting the needs of children and families during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic is not an easy task. The effort requires staff and families to work together to keep programs open and help children and adults stay healthy while programs do their best to continue meeting the needs of families. As Head Start and Early Head Start professionals, we are committed to working alongside families to celebrate strengths and, as

they are ready, support any challenges they may be facing. Together, we ensure that children continue to learn, grow, and build healthy relationships. One important way we show this commitment is through conversations with families about the program's COVID-19 vaccine and mask requirements.

Learn about these strategies to partner with families by clicking the link below:

family-engagement/navigating-conversations-about-covid-19-vaccine-mask-requirements



# Head Start, Let's Do This Together!

The Sleeve Up for Head Start campaign encourages members of the Head Start community to learn about the COVID-19 vaccine, identify and address vaccine hesitancy with empathy and cultural understanding.



Napa County COVID TESTING locations click on the link: Countyofnapa.org Testing-Locations

Solano County COVID TESTING locations click on the link: Solanocounty.com/coronavirus community testing

Click here to find vaccine locations.











#### Your Health









#### **Family Services Department**



#### TRIPLE P AWARENESS MONTH CAMPAIGN

Triple P— Positive Parenting Program.

During Positive Parenting Awareness Month in January 2022, Triple P partners and practitioners offered virtual parenting classes on a variety of topics.

Here are some of the highlights from the Child Start Practitioners during January 2022 Awareness campaign. Thank you for you continued efforts and for overcoming the challenges to serve our families and children. Click on the image bellow watch a short video with some of the highlights.













#### **Human Resources Department**



#### Saving For Retirement

#### **DECADE-BY-DECADE GUIDE FOR RETIREMENT**

Saving for retirement is something we all need to think about. It can be a challenge saving today for tomorrow's enjoyment. It is never too late to make progress and never too early to get



started. Hitting key financial milestones at early ages can get you in better financial shape for retirement. According to a Transamerica Retirement Survey, 44% of retirees cite declining health that requires long-term care as their greatest fear. 36% say losing their independence and 32% say outliving their savings and investments are retirement fears.

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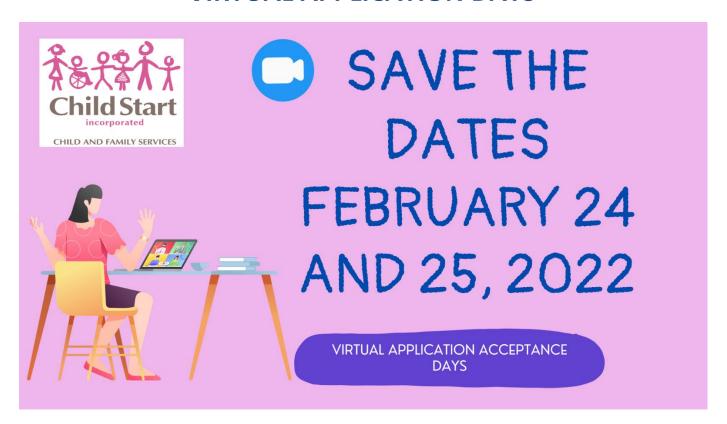


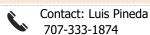




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VIRTUAL APPLICATION DAYS











# **SPREAD THE WORD!**



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#### This Week Question, TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE



Who was the first African American Major League Baseball player?



Submit your answers by sending an email to: lpineda@childstartinc.org by Thursday February 17, 2022.

#### Last week's trivia answer:

Do you Know who was the second Black men to obtain a Ph.D. from Harvard in 1912?

If your answer is **Carter G. Woodson**, you are CORRECT!

Woodson, who was a Harvard graduate, was born in Virginia in 1875. Son of former slaves, he worked in the coal mines of West Virginia just to make a living, but education was his true calling. Woodson would go on to get degrees at the University Of Chicago and Harvard University. In 1912 he became the second <u>black man</u> to obtain a Ph.D. from Harvard, W.E.B. DuBois being the only other to reach this educational achievement.

**Learn More About Carter G. Woodson** 

"The job of an Educator is to teach students too see the vitality in themselves."

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- Joseph Campbell -





