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LIVE VIRTUAL COMPLIMENTARY PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP VIA ZOOM

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Building Trust with Families of Students with Diverse Learning Needs

Tuesday, August 25, 2026

8:30 - 11:30 AM or 12:00 - 3:00 PM

Presented by Dr. Neily Snook, NBCT - TAP Consultant

*What if one positive conversation at the beginning of the school year
changed every conversation that followed?*

Strong family partnerships begin with meaningful communication. This session provides practical strategies for building trust, helping families feel heard, and creating collaborative relationships that support students with diverse learning needs from the first day of school.

Topics included in the training:

- Building trust with families from the start of the school year
- Recognizing the experiences, expectations, and concerns families bring to school
- Helping families feel heard through empathetic communication
- Navigating challenging conversations with confidence and professionalism
- Strengthening school-family partnerships to support students with diverse learning needs

This training is applicable to General Education, Special Education, and other interested staff.

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