A Parent's Guide to English Learner Programs

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This infographic was developed as a resource to be shared with parents and other stakeholders to help illustrate how English learners are identified for services to support English language learning. In addition to the flow-chart graphic, the resource identifies some possible questions parents may have about a school's EL program. It is intended to be used in-person as a set of illustrative talking points. School staff should become familiar with the questions that parents may ask regarding services.

Note: This resource does not replace the required parent notification about EL program participation.

Audience	Examples of Potential Opportunities to Utilize Infographic Resource
Parents	• Welcome Centers • EL Open House/Parent Night • Kindergarten Roundup • Parent teacher conferences • Home visits • District website, along with contact information for parents seeking additional information

Teachers and other staff:
• Paras
• Office/Registrars
• Psychologists
• Speech Language Specialists
• Counselors
• Administrators
• Early childhood
• Migrant recruiters
	• Staff meeting presentations
	   o Q & A
	   o Kahoot or other apps and activities designed to ensure that staff are familiar with the school's EL program
	• Intake procedures at Welcome Centers
	• Professional development workshops or tenure classes
	• New teacher orientations
	• Early childhood program teachers' inservices
	• School secretary meetings
	• Paraprofessional meetings
	• Administrator meetings

Community Organizations	• Preschools/Headstart, and other early childhood transition discussions • Cultural centers' events • Agencies and nonprofits providing aid/support to immigrants and refugees dialogues or events • Workplace sites • Public libraries displays
Higher Education	• EL courses • Practicum seminars