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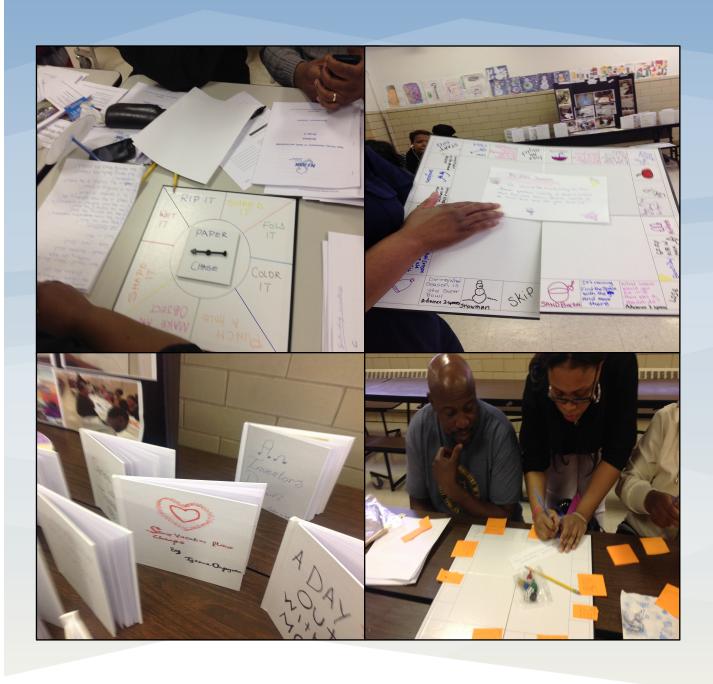
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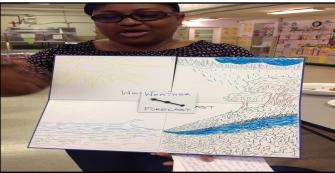
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Parent Preparation Academy

Each workshop is designed to educate and prepare parents of students in grades K-12 for standardized testing. The workshops are carefully aligned with Common Core Standards, with specific skills that students will need for standardized testing. The initial workshop provides an overview with expectations, and parent toolkit for parents to work with their children in preparation for the standardized assessments. The next four workshops that sequentially follow the overview are content based with specific differentiated techniques and methods for student success on the test. Finally, the last workshop is a cumulative review that will focus on parents reviewing all of the workshop material while competing in a raffle for their participation in the entire series. This series will be broken down into 6 workshops. The picture below shows the parent raffle done at the last workshop.









Services

Workshop Descriptions:

Toolkits and Homework Helpers: This workshop will set goals and expectations for all workshops, in addition to going over the NJ Core Common Standards embedded in the workshop material. In addition, parents will also construct toolkits, containing materials that students will use on assessments such as NJ PASS, PARCC, and HSPA.

<u>Literacy Empowerment</u>: This workshop will model strategic reading applications and provide literacy enrichment activities. Additionally the workshop will outline how to build a culture of strong literacy behaviors that will promote rich literacy experiences.

Science Essentials: The science workshop will provide parents with examples of hands on science activities that can be used at home to engage students in hands on science activities. We will explore scientific method and characteristics that are essential for students to internalize inquiry based practices.

Write This Way: This writing workshop will outline writing strategies that will assist students with vocabulary expansion and sentence development. Essentially, the workshop will integrate reading and writing, demonstrating how to infuse multi genre practices such as a RAFT tool to build writing skills.

Making Math Sense: The math workshop will provide parents with students in grades 3 and 4 with skill building activities. Hands on activities incorporating the *PARCC* assessment topics and *Common Core Standards* will be infused into the math workshop.



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Professional Development Workshops Instructional Coaching **Curriculum Audits** Learning/Data Walks Data Coaching /Data Wall Construction Mentoring/Teacher & Teacher Assistant **Preparation Programs Charter School Applications** Charter School Renewals **Annual Reports** Teacher Observations/Evaluations **Quarterly Assessments** Differentiated Instruction (Choice Boards, Tiered Assignments, Tic Tac Toe) Learning Environments Parent Preparation Academy Development of PLCs Action Planning Development & Implementation of School Improvement Plans Development and Implementation of Professional Development Plan(s)

