

LITTLE EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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FREE TUTORING FOR YOUR CHILD!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are pleased to offer your child the opportunity to receive free tutoring outside the school day in the areas of Language Arts Literacy and/or Mathematics. This tutoring is made available through the *No Child Left Behind* funding our district receives. Funding is limited and it is possible that not all eligible students will be able to be served. If more students apply than we have funding for, we will narrow the population on the basis of academic need.

To better assist you, our administration has gone through the list of State approved programs, done some research and we have chosen the ***Educational Information and Resource Center (EIRC)***, to provide services after school in each of our schools. Transportation home must be provided by you, as funding is not available for that. Why did we choose ***EIRC***?

- *EIRC* will hire our teachers to be the tutors, so both your child and you will be familiar with them, and confident in their abilities.
- Tutoring will be provided in your child's school immediately after school, twice a week.
- The funding formula allows for \$780 per child and *EIRC* will provide 14 sessions for this price, while other area programs may charge much more, thus providing less time.
- Each child will receive a pre and post test and parents and the district will receive reports and communication regarding the progress of the student.
- Participating students will receive incentives and ongoing rewards.

Of course, you can choose another tutoring program, if you wish, from a list of approved programs in our area. The programs are listed at the State's website which can easily be accessed by going to our district's website www.lehsd.k12.nj.us and clicking on the *Resources tab/Parents/NCLB Parent Info/Tutoring Programs*. As you will see, there are many programs to choose from and making a decision could be quite daunting.

If you are interested in having your child participate, please fill out the attached pre-registration form and return it to your child's teacher by November 15, 2011. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Jacqueline Truzzolino, Director of Curriculum/Instructional Services at 296-1719 ext. 1015.

Sincerely,

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Pre-Registration Form for EIRC After School Tutoring Program
Little Egg Harbor Township School District

- *Parents who pre-register their children will receive additional information after the November 15th deadline.*
- *If more students apply than our funding will allow, the district will select students based on academic need first.*
- *We would appreciate a response for every child, even if you are not going to participate in the program.*

Student's Name:

School:

Grade:

- I am interested in having my child participate in the EIRC after school tutoring program. I understand that I must provide transportation home from the program.
- My child will not participate in this program.

Parent Signature:

Please return this form to your child's teacher by November 15, 2011