



Media Release

5735 47th Avenue Sacramento, CA 95824 (916) 643-9042 (916) 643-9049 FAX

For Immediate Release

Contact: Gabe Ross
(916) 643-9145
gabe-ross@scusd.edu

SCUSD School Readiness Fair scheduled for Feb. 28

The district's annual event features free health and dental screenings and kindergarten enrollment information

February 19, 2015 (Sacramento): Children who are the best prepared for school perform the best academically. To help get kids ready for the rigors of today's classrooms, the Sacramento City Unified School District is sponsoring a School Readiness Fair on Saturday, February 28.

Hundreds of families are expected to attend the fair to take advantage of such free services as health screenings and dental exams. Parents will also be offered information on kindergarten enrollment, pre-school enrollment, pre-kindergarten summer camp and community resources. Free books to encourage reading will be distributed.

"The road to success in college and careers begins early," says SCUSD Superintendent José L. Banda. "By making sure every child is ready for kindergarten, we're improving every student's chance of graduating from high school and embracing lifelong learning."

The School Readiness Fair is sponsored by SCUSD's Child Development Department and Partners for School Readiness, funded by Sacramento First 5.

WHAT: SCUSD's School Readiness Fair
WHEN: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, February 28
WHERE: The Serna Center
5735 47th Ave.
Sacramento, CA 95824

#