

Agreement to Participate in Research

Responsible Investigator: [REDACTED] Masters in Social Work Student at
San José State University

Title of Protocol: Parent Education Classes and Improvement in Child's Behavior
and Academics

1. You have been asked to participate in a research study investigating the effects of parenting education classes in a school setting.
2. You will be asked to answer questions before and after this parenting education class regarding your feelings around parenting and your experience during the class.
3. Potential risks of participating in this study include feeling emotional discomfort, such as anxiety or stress during the parenting education class because of the information being presented or due to being in a group. These risks are unlikely and probably not beyond what you experience in daily life.
4. Potential benefits for participating in the parenting education class include increased sense of self-efficacy, decreased stress, sense of being supported by other parents in the group, learning new positive parenting techniques to use with your children, and positive effects on your parent-child relationship. Potential indirect benefits include knowing that your participation will contribute to the development of and funding for a parenting education curriculum to be continued in the school district.
5. Although the results of this study may be published, no information that could identify you will be included.
6. There is no compensation for participation
7. Questions about this research may be addressed to [REDACTED] MSW Intern, [REDACTED]. Complaints about the research may be presented to [REDACTED] San José State University, School of Social Work, (408) 924-[REDACTED]. Questions about a research subjects' rights, or research-related injury may be presented to Pamela Stacks, Ph.D., Associate Vice President, Graduate Studies and Research, at (408) 924-2427.
8. No service of any kind, to which you are otherwise entitled, will be lost or jeopardized if you choose not to participate in the study.
9. Your consent is being given voluntarily. You may refuse to participate in the entire study or in any part of the study. You have the right not to answer questions you do not wish to answer. If you decide to participate in the study, you are free to withdraw at any time without any negative effect on your relations with San Jose State University or with [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] School.
10. Please keep a copy of this form for your own records. By agreeing to participate in the study, it is implied that you have read and understand the above information. Please do not write any identifying information on the questionnaire.

Participant's Signature

Date

Investigator's Signature

Date