



San Diego Unified School District

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**Office of the Deputy Superintendent
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Dear Seminar Parent(s):

The GATE (Gifted and Talented Education) Department will be conducting Seminar Task Force Review Committee meetings during the 2006-2007 school year. One parent from each Seminar school will be invited to participate by the administrator of that school site. The purpose of the Task Force Committee is to review Seminar policies, procedures and data. Staffing allocations and the placement of Seminar classes will also be examined. The Seminar Task Force Committee will propose recommendations for any changes to the Superintendent, based on the Task Force findings, in the spring of 2007.

In order to allow all interested parents to have a chance to contribute to the Seminar Task Force review, an Open Forum will be held on Saturday, September 16, 2006, at the Ballard Parent Center in Old Town from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the auditorium. Parents will have a chance to identify strengths and present their questions or concerns regarding all aspects of the Seminar Program. All data will be compiled and given to Seminar Task Force members to aid in the review.

The Ballard Center is located at 2375 Congress Street. Childcare will be provided.

For more information regarding GATE policies and procedures, please visit the GATE website at www.sandi.net. Select the link to Offices and Departments and then select the link to Gifted and Talented Education. We hope you will consider participating in this important assessment of the Seminar Program.

I look forward to seeing you on September 16th.

Sincerely,

Adalia Lavado
GATE Program Manager

Please fax this form to Adalia Lavado at 858-637-6214 or mail to GATE Department; Madison High School B-5; 4833 Doliva Dr., San Diego, CA 92117:

___ Yes! I would like to attend the Open Forum for parents of Seminar students on Sept. 16, 2006.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

School Site Seminar Student Attends: _____

Childcare Needed: ___ Yes ___ No

Child's/Children's Name(s) and Age(s):