



**OCTOBER 29, 2018**

**COLLABORATION &  
COMMUNICATION  
STRATEGIES FOR PARENTS  
& SCHOOLS**

**Presenter: Mrs. Tracy Lee, Family Engagement Specialist VDOE**



This workshop provides information for parents on how to most effectively work with schools in order to achieve the best outcomes for their children with disabilities. We will discuss communication skills and strategies, information on preparing for and actively participating IEP and other meetings, and parental rights in special education.

This training is free. Parents, Guardians, Educators, Service Providers and Community Members are welcome.



**Time: 6-7:30 P.M.**

**Location: School  
Board Office, 750  
Imperial St.  
Christiansburg**

Tracy Lee is currently the Family Engagement Specialist in the office of Specialized Education Facilities & Family Engagement at the VDOE. She provides leadership & technical assistance to Parent Resource Centers throughout the Commonwealth & trains both parents & school divisions in parental rights, dispute resolution, and best practices in collaboration through the Special Education process. She has also been an Elementary School Teacher, a Pre-School Director, and the Family Resource Coordinator for Colonial Heights Public Schools. Additionally, she has co-authored two best-selling parenting books (1-2-3 Magic for Kids & the 1-2-3 Workbook) and has appeared on ABC, CBS, NBC and Fox affiliates nationwide, discussing parenting and education related issues.

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To register:

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