

Exceptional Children Information for Parents



September 28, 2022

Duke HEARS Literacy Event for Families of Children with Hearing Loss

On October 8, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Duke HEARS is sponsoring a FREE literacy development workshop for families of children with hearing loss at the Museum of Life & Science in Durham. Families can attend in-person or virtually. For those attending in-person, they can stay at the museum and explore for FREE after the workshop has been completed. For more information about the event, choose one of the options below.
[In person registration](#) for those planning to attend at the Museum of Life & Science
[Virtual registration](#) (attending online only)

Assistive Technology Exhibition 2022

The North Carolina Assistive Technology Program (NCATP) will be hosting its 3rd AT Virtual Vendor Expo on September 29, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. All are invited and encouraged to participate, including individuals with disabilities, family members/caregivers, employers, local/state/national agencies providing support to individuals, senior-living providers, students, parents of children with special needs, older adults, VR Counselors, therapists, and educators. [Registration](#) is required to participate.

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[NC AT Virtual EXPO 2022 Event Schedule and Information](#)

You can find previous newsletters in the Parent Newsletter google folder at this link: <https://tinyurl.com/ECParentNewsletters>

Important Links

- [Office of Special Education Programs](#) (U.S. Dept. of Ed.)
- [N.C. Department of Public Instruction](#)
- [Office of Exceptional Children](#) (NC)
- [No Kid Hungry](#)

Upcoming Events

- Arc of the Triangle [Events](#)
- Autism Society [Workshops](#)
- Autism Speaks [Information Topics](#)
- CADRE [Parent Resources](#)
- ECAC [Events](#) & [Recorded Webinars](#)
- National Alliance on Mental Illness [Courses](#)
- NC Down Syndrome Alliance [Events](#)
- Special Olympics NC [Events](#)



The Office of Exceptional Children is hosting the 71st Conference on Exceptional Children November 2 through 4 at the Koury Convention Center in Greensboro, NC. This conference is open to teachers, administrators, related services providers, community partners, and families of students with disabilities. Find more information and a registration link on the [EC Annual Conference webpage](#).

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