



The JP Vincent Family Resource Center



The J.P. Vincent Family Resource Center was established in 1999 to promote healthy family development and school readiness by providing a wide array of services and resources to the J.P. Vincent School District Community in Bloomfield.

Our Purpose:

- ✚ *To support families in helping their children prepare for school success.*
- ✚ *To provide developmental screenings and resource and referral services for parents with young children.*
- ✚ *To provide support to the Bloomfield School Readiness Council and the Preschool Programs it funds.*
- ✚ *To provide information and support on child development and parenting.*
- ✚ *To provide group meetings and workshops for parents.*
- ✚ *To provide parents with access to resources in the school and community.*
- ✚ *To provide support and technical assistance to Family Day Care Home or relative caregivers.*
- ✚ *To collaborate in the provision of positive youth development programs for JP Vincent 4th grade students.*
- ✚ *To assist parents in accessing family literacy or adult education resources.*
- ✚ *To promote family literacy.*
- ✚ *To increase family involvement in their child's education.*
- ✚ *To help Bloomfield families build bright beginnings!*

The following programs & services are available through the Family Resource Center:

Parents As Teachers Program

(for children birth to kindergarten entry)

- ◆ Parent workshops
- ◆ Educational Playgroups
- ◆ Personal Visits
- ◆ Developmental screening

Family Daycare Home Provider

Training and Support

- ◆ Provider Home Visits with
- ◆ School Readiness Kits
- ◆ Provider Training and Support
- ◆ Provider Network Meetings

Resource and Referral Services

- ◆ Resource and Referrals
- ◆ to Area preschool programs
- ◆ Parent Lending Library
- ◆ Family Support consultation

Family Support Services

community support for:

- ◆ Parenting support
- ◆ Before and after care
- ◆ Child development
- ◆ Support Group for families with children with disabilities

Positive Youth Development

(For 4th Graders)

- ◆ In-School and after-school programming
- ◆ PYD Leadership Groups
- ◆ Social Development Groups

Collaborative Partners:

- ◆ Bloomfield Extension after-school program
- ◆ Bloomfield Adult Education

The JP Vincent Family Resource Center is located at 11 Turkey Hill Road, Bloomfield, CT 06002. For more information, please contact us at 860-769-5518 or 860-286-2640 x112. Fax: 860-769-5520. Email: mgates@blmfld.org.