



## **Understanding Budgets**

### **WHAT EVERY PARENT NEEDS TO KNOW!**

Parents are invited to attend a special training on understanding School and District budgets.

**San Diego United Parents for Education** believes that funding is one of the most important discussions of this year, which will happen over the next two months. As parents, we should know how to read and understand education budgets so when we are asked for an opinion, we can understand the conversation and be truly engaged in the process that funds our children's future.

People involved in education finance have their own language and way of doing things, come learn about their culture.

- Learn the Laws that give you a seat at the discussion table of funding education
- Learn how to speak "Finance"
- Learn the Codes used to identify types of money and what they can be used for
- Learn how to read finance reports and why they are important to parents
- Learn when to expect reports and how to be involved before the decisions are made

### **Join us!**

**Saturday, October 27, 2012 8:30a.m. to 11:30 a.m.**

**UpforEd (Cabrillo Plaza)  
3990 Old Town Ave. Suite B-210  
San Diego, CA 92110  
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**Check-in and light refreshments from 8:30am to 9:00am**

Spanish translation will be provided at our training.

The seminar will be led by David Page, Chairman of the District Advisory Council (DAC) for Compensatory Education and Director of Advocacy for UpforEd, a local organization that supports student first decision-making.