

# Pennsylvania Career Ready Skills Toolkit

## APPENDIX A: FAMILY ENGAGEMENT RESOURCES

AUDIENCE	WEBSITE
<p><b>Parents</b></p>	<p><a href="#">PARENT TOOL KIT</a> The 5 SEL Skills are broken down in ages from Pre-K to post high school and provide practical advice through resources.</p>
	<p><a href="#">CASEL IN THE HOME</a> CASEL (Collaborative for Academic Social and Emotional Learning) is the nationally recognized Social Emotional Learning platform that supports families being involved in their children’s learning. Link directly to <a href="#">Books</a> on the website.</p>
	<p><a href="#">EDUTOPIA PARENT RESOURCE GUIDE</a> The guide provides a curated list of blogs, articles, and videos for parents about fostering skills like kindness, empathy, gratitude, resilience, perseverance, and focus in children.</p>
	<p><a href="#">PARENT CUE CARDS</a> Great Schools provides common challenges parent’s might have around various social and emotional issues</p>
<p><b>Parents and Teachers</b></p>	<p><a href="#">GETTING SMART</a> Site includes informational content with supportive practices for parents as it pertains to SEL, including blogs and a weekly newsletter.</p>
	<p><a href="#">CONFIDENT PARENTS, CONFIDENT KIDS</a> The site includes blogs, articles, and book lists for parents actively supporting kids' social and emotional development for every age group.</p>
	<p><a href="#">HARVARD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION</a> Harvard’s activities guide for children (birth through adolescence) includes practices for schools to engage families in SEL and for families to use at home to extend SEL learning.</p>
	<p><a href="#">CENTER ON THE SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL FOUNDATIONS FOR EARLY LEARNING</a> The website provides tip sheets from zero to three, parent training modules including presentations, story scripts and relationship activities (available in Spanish).</p>
	<p><a href="#">EDUCATING THE HEART</a> This website focuses on educating the heart and the mind with resources that include parental guidance and teacher lesson plans</p>
	<p><a href="#">CENTER FOR THE PROMOTION OF SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING</a> This central site provides a variety of practical resources, including toolkits and playbooks.</p>
	<p><a href="#">PINTEREST SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING</a> Pinterest includes visually appealing simple and powerful messages as it pertains to SEL, as well as activities for the classroom and home.</p>
<p><b>Teachers and Administrators</b></p>	<p><a href="#">IDEAS AND TOOLS FOR WORKING WITH PARENTS AND FAMILIES</a> CASEL and the Mid-Atlantic Regional Educational Laboratory for Student Success developed this guide to offer practical information on how schools, administrators, and teachers can support families in social and emotional learning opportunities with their children.</p>