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Complete the entire form below and mail to:
Staten Island UFT
4456 Amboy Rd
Staten Island NY 10312
Attn: Joan McKeever-Thomas

NAME

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DAYTIME PHONE NUMBER

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CHILD'S SCHOOL DISTRICT

You will have time to attend 2 workshops. Please check the two you are interested in, one during each session. Every effort will be made to accommodate your choices.

SESSION 1: A ___ B ___ C ___ D ___ E ___

SESSION 2: F ___ G ___ H ___ I ___ J ___

CHILDCARE WILL BE PROVIDED FOR CHILDREN 5-11 YEARS OLD. NO EXCEPTIONS!

CHILD'S NAME AGE

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SIXTH ANNUAL United Federation of Teachers Staten Island Parent Conference

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2015

Hilton Garden Inn New York/Staten Island
1100 South Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10314

Making Connections to Spark Success

*"Alone we can do so little,
together we can do so much"*

— Helen Keller



United Federation of Teachers
A Union of Professionals



SESSION 1: 9:15–10:45 A.M.

A. ELA and Math for Grades K–2

Fun ways to explore the Common Core Learning Standards in English Language Arts and Math, with your child in grades K–2.

B. Unpacking the ELA Writing Standards for Grades 3–8

Let's unpack the Common Core English Language Arts Writing Standards together and gain a greater understanding of the expectations for students as they progress from elementary to middle school.

C. Bullying

Bullying can cause serious and lasting harm and is happening at younger ages. Learn tools to use when speaking with your child about this modern epidemic.

D. Special Education

Learn about the Shared Path to Success (special education reform) and your rights as a parent of a child with a disability. Your child is entitled to a free appropriate public education in the least restrictive environment; this workshop will give you resources to help you advocate for your child.

E. ELA (Artes del Idioma Inglés) y Estándares de Aprendizaje Comunes y Básicos de Matemáticas (Taller en Español)

Descubra cuales son las expectativas por cada grado y como usted puede apoyar, en su hogar, el desarrollo de su niño en matemáticas y ELA desde los grados K hasta el 8.

CONFERENCE AGENDA

8–9:15 a.m.		Registration and Breakfast Vendor Fair
9:15–10:45 a.m.	A	ELA and Math, Grades K–2
	B	ELA Writing, Grades 3-8
	C	Bullying
	D	Special Education
	E	ELA y Matemáticas, grados 3–8 (Taller en Español)
11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	F	Math Grades 3-8
	G	Effective Solutions in Parent and Child Communication
	H	Stress Management
	I	Empowering Parent-Teacher-Student Relationships
	J	Parents are Key in the Fight against Youth Substance Abuse
12:45–2:00 p.m.		Lunch and Raffles Guest Speaker

SESSION 2: 11:00 A.M.–12:30 P.M.

F. Math Grades 3-8

Join us as we explore commonly taught math rules and tricks, determining what impact they have on a child's understanding. Find out how to promote deeper understanding for both you and your child.

G. Effective Solutions in Parent and Child Communication

Learn how to empower parents and children to lead and succeed. Avoiding communication pitfalls that block effective and productive relationships.

H. Stress Management

Stress, you can't live with it and there's no way around it! This workshop is designed to help you identify the stressors in your — and your child's — life and learn stress management techniques for a happier, healthier life.

I. Empowering Parent-Teacher-Student Relationships

Learn ways to improve the communication between parent and teacher and between student and teacher so that your child's education is improved.

J. Staten Island Parents — You Matter!

This workshop will train parents to be able to discuss the dangers of prescription pills, heroin, binge drinking, and other risky behaviors with their children in a balanced, well-informed manner. It will explore the science of addiction and introduce resources to help parents who have a child or young adult already experiencing substance abuse problems. Be part of the solution! Appropriate for parents of children of all ages.