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# Curriculum Café Caters to Parents



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SPRINGBORO, Ohio – The Springboro Community Schools will be hosting a Curriculum Café for K-12 parents to learn more about curricular issues in Springboro and how to help their children at home. The first Curriculum Café will be held at Springboro Intermediate School on Wednesday, October 1, 2008.

Multiple sessions will be held between 9:30 and 11:30 a.m., and again between 6:00 and 8:00 p.m., to accommodate parents' busy work and home schedules. Parents may choose to attend either the morning or evening sessions, or both, depending upon their areas of interest.

All session topics will be conducted by Springboro Curriculum Department staff. Parents may select sessions to attend from the Curriculum Café menu:

- *Interactive Web Resources for Home; Using NetTrekker at Home* with Greg Asman, District Educational Technology Coordinator
- *Helping Your Student with Everyday Math K-5; Understanding Springboro's Math Course Progression 6-12; Understanding Springboro's New K-5 Science Program* with Kerri Matheny, District Math and Science Coordinator
- *Understanding the District Literacy Framework K-12* with Joyce Ringle, District Literacy Coordinator
- *Understanding Levels of Thinking; Providing Challenges for Students at Home; Understanding Springboro's Gifted Education K-12 Services* with Beth Sizemore, District Gifted Coordinator
- *Determining Your Child's Learning Style* with Sandra Warner, Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction
- *Understanding the Junior High's Federal Title I Program* with Stephen Wittenberg, District CCIP and Testing Coordinator

Since no café would be complete without something to eat and drink, morning parents will be treated to coffee and doughnuts. Evening parents will be served coffee and cookies.

A second Curriculum Café is planned for Thursday, April 2, 2009. Parents should mark their calendars now to attend both informative events and to make necessary child-care arrangements.

Registration is currently available on the district website at [www.springboro.org](http://www.springboro.org). Please email [jhodge@springboro.org](mailto:jhodge@springboro.org) for assistance with access, or call 748-3960, ext. 2041 to speak with Jerry Hodge, Curriculum/Instruction Secretary.