



# Department of Family and Community Services

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## Bravo To Recent Parenting Partners™ Graduates

Congratulations to all parent graduates of the Parenting Partners program. Success starts at home. The Parenting Partners workshops combine parenting and leadership skills that empower parents to become vital contributors to their children's academic success. The eight comprehensive workshops are presented by each school's own trained facilitator team multiple times year-round, in multiple languages, creating a sustainable source of parent leaders.

### A Parent's Best Resource Connection

The PRCs bring together a host of diverse programs and services under one roof, creating unique and centrally located services and resources dedicated to helping families with children.



### Parent Engagement Highlights

- Parenting Partners Graduation
- Madera High School PIQE Graduation



### Parent Engagement Programs Coming Soon

### La Posada Cultural Event

Lincoln Dec. 11



Sierra Vista  
Elementary School  
"Home of the Rams"



All of our graduates deserve a round of applause for a job well done.

## Congratulations!

## Graduates of the Parent Institute for Quality Education -Fall Semester

Parents at Madera High School celebrated their graduation after completing a nine-week parent leadership course offered in partnership with the Parent Institute for Quality Education (PIQE).

### Congratulations to all 35 Graduates!



Mrs. Miranda Gaeta is currently enrolled in a English as a Second Language (ESL) as well as a GED preparation class at Sierra Vista. She is a mother and grandmother and is determined to achieve her goal of obtaining a High School Equivalency Certificate and serve as a role model for her children and grandchildren. She enjoys spending time with her grandchildren sharing what she is learning in class. Miranda is a dedicated student and is always the first to arrive in class ready to learn.

Miranda takes her own initiative in providing treats and hot coffee for her classmates. She enjoys organizing classroom events and enjoys participating in engaging activities.

Parent  
Of  
The Week

