



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT KINDERGARTEN STUDENT ENTRANCE PROFILE (KSEP)

AUGUST 2016

Fresno County Office of Education

Training Dates: 16 or 23

Participants need only attend one 2-hour session

Time: 2:00 – 4:00 PM



Professional development for kindergarten and transitional kindergarten teachers on KSEP is now available. The two-hour session will address the purpose and implementation of the county-wide plan; provide orientation to the KSEP tool and scoring rubric; and guide participants on data input and data reporting.

REGISTRATION OPEN

What is the KSEP and why is it important to Fresno County?

The Kindergarten Student Entrance Profile (KSEP) is a 13-item screening tool designed to assess a child's school readiness through observational ratings of 6 social-emotional and 7 school-ready knowledge items in the following areas:

- Cognitive/academic/language ability.
- Social-emotional development and behaviors.
- Persistence and ability to focus.

Fresno began using the KSEP the 2012-13 school year and now has 4 years of data on the readiness factors of children entering kindergarten. In 2015, 38% of children in Fresno were ready to enter Kindergarten. This single metric captured county-wide allows us to:

- Understand where to direct more resources and track their impact.
- Participate in important county-wide initiatives with partners pursuing a collective impact for the most at-risk youth.
- Assist teachers in understanding which students are at-risk and should receive more careful observation and monitoring throughout the year.

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