Special Coptic Parents Group

We are pleased to announce a new service for Coptic (and any interested) parents of special kids.

- Parental support and encouragement
- Parental education
- Teach parents how to work with their child’s school (Help with the IEP Process)
- Tips to Manage behaviors at home
- Workshops/Lectures from Experts
- Website, Confidential E-mail list

The first meeting will be Sunday Nov. 3. At 1:30 PM* at St. Mary’s Church East Brunswick NJ 433 Riva Ave East Brunswick NJ

*Special arrangements can be made for childcare/adolescent supervision on a case by case basis

Contact Christina Faragalla at email: famcra@yahoo.com or 732 672 5038 or enroll in the e-mail group by e mailing
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Psalm 55:22

Cast your cares on the LORD and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous fall

Nov 3rd meeting, 1:30
Meet and Greet - Refreshments - Resource Table
- Presentation: How can this group help you?
- Break Out Session: Parents Describe Need by child age
  - Under 6
  - 6-9
  - 9-15
  - 15-20
  - Adults
- Browse Resource Table – Lending Library
- Local Resources: Practitioners
- ABA Materials
- Speech and Language Materials
- Arabic ABA slides/IEP Translations
Second Meeting

- Positive Behavioral Supports in the Home
- Meet and Greet
- Resource table

Third Meeting

- The basics: Understanding The IEP process- collaborating with your child’s school
- Meet and Greet
- Resource table

Future Meetings

- IEP Workshop (Bring in your IEP)
- ABA: Programming vs. Behavior Plans- what should we be getting?
- Social Skills Training: Current Approaches
  - Expanding Social Opportunities at any current skill level
- Transitions: Breakout by Age: IFSP to IEP/Kindergarten/ Middle School/High School/College, Work, Day Programming
- Legal and Financial issues for Adults
- Health and Nutrition: Specific Diet Cooking Classes

**Isaiah 40:31**

But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.