



Are you the parent or guardian of a child age 0–5 in California? Would you like to be part of a conversation about how to improve child care, preschool, and supports for families in California?

**We'd like to hear from you!**

## How does it work?

- Parents will be invited to participate in a series of 60-minute meetings. The first meeting will take place in Fall 2020 and will focus on COVID-19 and school and child care re-opening plans.
- During the meeting, Early Edge staff will present information on current policy proposals, including bills and the state budget, and ask for your questions, comments, and feedback.
- Early Edge will use the information you provide to support policies that work for parents and families. We will also provide opportunities for you to communicate with legislators or other government agencies directly, if you are interested.

## When and Where are the Meetings?

- Meetings will take place via Zoom teleconferencing or conference call.
- Meetings will be held two or three times a year for two years (4–6 meetings in total).
- Meetings will be available in English and Spanish.
- Participants will be eligible to receive a \$50 gift card.

Early Edge California supports high-quality child care for young children across California. We are exploring how California can best support the parents and guardians of young children during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond. Sharing your experiences with us will help us. We want to hear your voices!

## I'm interested! How do I participate?

Email us at [info@earlyedgecalifornia.org](mailto:info@earlyedgecalifornia.org) and let us know you are interested in participating in a Parent Advisory Group! For more information about Early Edge California, visit us at [earlyedgecalifornia.org](http://earlyedgecalifornia.org).