COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC)
FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION
FRESNO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

NAME
ADDRESS__________________________________________________________________________________
CITY _______________________________ STATE _________ ZIP ____________
HOME PHONE # _________________________ WORK #_____________________

ARE YOU:
☐ PARENT ○ EDUCATOR
☐ AGENCY EMPLOYEE ○ COMMUNITY MEMBER

IF YOU ARE APPLYING AS A PARENT REPRESENTATIVE:

DO YOU HAVE A CHILD ENROLLED IN FUSD?

☐ YES ○ NO
WHERE?____________________

ARE THEY RECEIVING SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES?

☐ YES ○ NO
WHERE?____________________

WHAT OTHER SCHOOLS DO YOUR CHILDREN ATTEND?
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PLEASE EXPLAIN, IN A SHORT STATEMENT, YOUR INTEREST IN VOLUNTEERING FOR THE CAC AND YOUR ABILITY TO ATTEND EACH MONTHLY MEETING:

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Signature ______________________________ Date ____________

Mail to: CAC Chairperson, c/o FUSD Special Education Department, 1301 M Street, Fresno, CA  93721
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WHAT IS CAC?
CAC is a group of parents, school personnel, agency representatives, and other community members who work together to ensure that our children with special needs are receiving the best education available. The Committee is predominately made up of parents. Education law mandates each school district have a CAC.

WHAT DOES CAC DO?
CAC’s ultimate purpose is to participate in a partnership with the school district in order to enhance the education of each child with special needs. We work to provide information to parents and listen to their concerns. At a district-wide level, we advocate for children by advising the Special Education Department on appropriate services, placement, and a broad range of services. For general information on special education a parent handbook is available.

WHEN DOES CAC MEET?
CAC meetings are held on the third Monday of each month, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM, at various FUSD school-site locations. Contact the Special Education Department at 457-3226 for the next location. CAC meetings are always open to the public and feature a time for parents to express their special education concerns.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?
If you would like to know more about CAC, who we are, what we do, or how we can help, please feel free to contact the CAC Community Liaison at (559) 457-3256, and leave a message.

HOW CAN I JOIN?
Anyone can attend the CAC meetings but all CAC members are expected to attend its monthly meetings. Please consider the commitment you are making prior to volunteering to become a member for CAC. Just fill-out the application on the back of this flyer and give it to a current CAC member or mail it in to the Special Education Department. Better yet, bring it to the next meeting!

PLEASE JOIN US AND SIGN UP FOR CAC NOW!