



## SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION “AB 212 STAFF RETENTION STIPEND PROGRAM”

**The AB 212 Staff Retention Stipend Program improves the quality of programs for young children by promoting the retention of our early childhood workforce.**

Please answer the following questions to determine if you are eligible to participate:

YES NO

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| 1. Do you work in San Joaquin County?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Do you work directly with children in state subsidized, center- based programs or part of the family child care education home network?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Have you provided care for at least three children ( not including your own)?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Have you worked at least 6 months (minimum of 15 hours per week) between January 1,2011 and December 31, 2011?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Have you completed, with a grade of C or better, at least (2) child development units? You would need to obtain official and sealed transcripts to verify completion and provide a copy of valid Child Development Permit. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| OR  |                          |                          |
| 6. Have you completed at least 18 hours of professional growth through trainings and professional development activities? (This question does not apply to first time applicants.)  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**If you answered yes to all of the above questions, you may be eligible for an AB212 stipend. Two applications will be available:**

- **First Time Applicant**
- **Recertification Applicant (previously applied for stipend)**



### HOW DO I APPLY FOR A STIPEND?

You may go online to [lccpc.org](http://lccpc.org) to print the stipend application or receive an application at one of the following locations:

- **San Joaquin County Office of Education (Early Childhood Education) 2707 Transworld Dr. Stockton, CA 95206**
- **Application Workshops will be held at each Agency/District, please check with your supervisor for dates and times.**