

Throughout the Year Activities

Sunday Recreation Program:

A recreational program for youth ages 8 to 22. We offer dance, arts and crafts, swimming, indoor and outdoor games, music and many other activities for students with disabilities.

Support Groups for:

Siblings
Parents with young children
Parents of Transition-Age Youth
Teen Girls
Haitian Families
Cape Verdean Families

Dance Classes for Teens and Adults:

Bring your dancing shoes and learn new steps with the BAArc dancers.

Check Often for New Programs!



Young Ladies Latching Arms Group

Family Support Center

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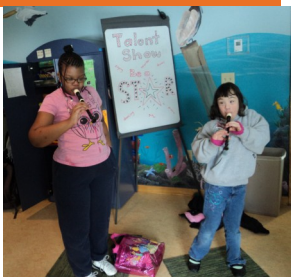
Our Family Support Center is
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What is the Family Support Center?

We offer services that benefit children and adults with disabilities and the people who love and support them: parents, brothers and sisters, grandparents, educators, and others.



We Speak Your Language!



Haitian Family Group Summer Picnic

Family Support coordinators are fluent in Portuguese, Cape Verdean creole, French, and Haitian creole. We also speak Spanish! As needed, we arrange for translation and interpretation in other languages.

Family Support Center Services

- *Information and Referral* – For everyone!
- *Parent Information and Support Meetings*– For everyone!
- *Trainings for parents and professionals*
- *Sibshops* (support for school-aged children who have siblings with special needs)
- *Social /Recreation Programs for Children and Adults*– Something for everyone!
- *Service Navigation* (DDS-eligible families)



BAArc Parents Attend Transition Conference

Whom Do We Serve?

We serve families from

- Abington
- Avon
- Bridgewater,
- Brockton
- East Bridgewater
- Easton
- Holbrook
- Rockland
- Stoughton
- West Bridgewater
- Whitman.

We meet with families wherever it is convenient for you: your home, our office, your child's school, or the corner coffee shop! Give us a call, send an email, or drop by our office. We would love to hear from you!