

VISION SUMMIT

for Parents and Educators of Children with Visual Impairment/Blindness:
Resources for Success

When: May 18, 2015

Where: Holiday Inn Executive Center
(2200 I-70 Dr. SW, Columbia, MO 65203)

8:30 am: Registration

9:00 am - 3:30 pm: Program

The 2015 Vision Summit will focus on parents, classroom teachers, teachers of those who are visually impaired and other professionals and students interested in the education of children who are blind or visually impaired.

The purpose of the summit is to:

- Provide information to those in daily contact with students who are blind/visually impaired
- Identify available resources, equipment and technology available to these students
- Help everyone understand that students with visual impairment have the potential to live independent, successful lives and can achieve great things both academically and vocationally

This seminar will provide basic concepts and information for those experiencing vision loss and the people who live and work with them, as well as more advanced material.

This seminar is FREE to attend!

Planned Topics include:

- Importance of the Expanded Core Curriculum
- Low Vision
- Unified English Braille Code
- Rehabilitation Services for the Blind Transition Services and IEP
- Missouri School for the Blind Education Services
- Advancement of Technology
- iPad Accessibility
- IEP Process
- Adaptive Sports and Physical Education
- Effective Advocacy

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REGISTRATION FORM

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The Vision Summit is a one-day event. Lodging is available *at Holiday Inn Executive Center* at a special rate of \$83 per night. Attendees are responsible for their own lodging. Reservations must be made by **4/17/15** for this special rate. For reservations please call (573) 445-8531 and mention the block name MORSB and that you are attending the Vision Summit.

Summit attendance is free and includes lunch, however we need an accurate count. Please be sure to include everyone who will be attending and participating in meals in your group. Please fill out the registration form and return by **May 1, 2015**.

Your Name: Number Attending:

Names of Additional Attendees:

Address:

Phone Number: E-mail Address:

Please circle or underline the group(s) that you and anyone attending with you represent:

- Parent/Family
- Classroom Teacher
- Teacher of the students who are Visually Impaired (TVI)

- Service Provider:
- Other:

The materials for this workshop are available in alternative formats. If you would like any of these formats, please circle or underline your preferred format and list how many copies are needed for your group.

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