



Tuesday, May 1, 2001

SEHS offers workshop on parent-professional partnerships

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The workshop costs \$295 if you are enrolled for continuing education units (CEUs). Participants have the option to take the course for two university graduate credits.

The registration deadline is May 3. To enroll, contact Professional Development at (248) 370-3033 or e-mail professionaldevelopment@oakland.edu.

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