



23 VDOE
co-sponsored trainings
on topics ranging from
Special Education Advisory
Committees (SEACs),
with 853 individuals
trained



Thanks for creating a very safe environment for us to share about our families and personal experiences.

Thank you for another amazing training

Very thankful for the professionalism of the organizers & presenters. I was very happy and excited to be in a room with other people that has the same passion I have for children's rights and IEP's

Excellent work! I really loved everything about the training, very well organized. Easy to understand, great material. Thank you so much for all the information and material provided to help the most important person in my life. (My daughter).

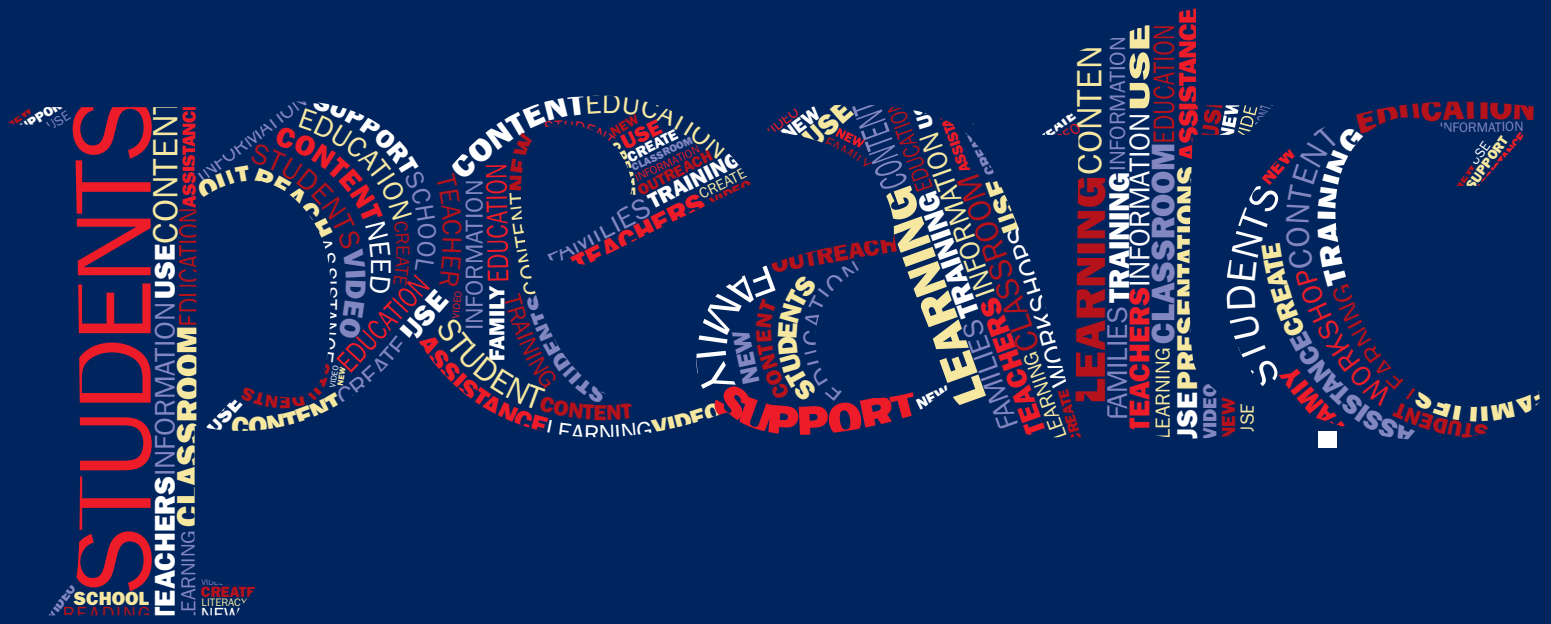
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33 parents trained
in our Parents as Collaborative Leaders (PACL) curriculum, including 21 parents trained in Spanish for a total of 54 parents.



We had a total of 206 people, including parents, grandparents, children, and youth at our Second Annual "Parent & Youth Empowerment" summit



A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Wow! What a year of growth this has been! PEATC relocated our main office to Springfield, VA and opened 4 new satellite locations throughout Virginia! In addition, we obtained additional funding that allowed us to develop a more extensive training series for parents of children with disabilities. We now have a training for parents who are new to the Special Education experience entitled "Parent Institute" where we train parents in the basics of special education in Virginia. We continue to offer our "Parents as Collaborative Leaders" training as the next step in the training cycle for parents, and now also offer an "Advanced PACL" training for those who have graduated from PACL and want to continue their educational experience to learn techniques to help make systemic change in Virginia.

As always, thank you for your continued support of PEATC! Please call, email, or come visit!

We provided individual assistance to **20,691** individuals on various topics including special education eligibility, discipline and advocacy, parental rights, age of majority, placement, 504 plans, and transition.



PEATC serves on 36 advisory boards and focus groups

Thank you for such a wonderful opportunity to obtain information and be able to share our experiences. Thank you for your hard work and dedication.

Everything was excellent! I'm very grateful with the PEATC team for designing this training. Thank you.

Really helpful information and everything was well explained. An amazing experience.

Very productive training, excellent activities!

What a great initiative to provide an event like this one, there is a huge need in our community and parents need trainings like PACL to learn how to become better advocates for their children. Thanks for creating a very safe environment for us to share about our families and personal experiences.

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