The Ohio Association for Gifted Children is pleased to publish the revised edition of "What to Expect When... You're Raising a Gifted Child."

The purpose of this booklet is to provide parents with information about how giftedness is identified, the characteristics of gifted children, educational options, advocacy methods, and extracurricular learning options which may be appropriate for your child. For more information: http://www.oagc.com/parenthb.asp

Coming up: You may want to attend the Ohio Association for Gifted Children's Parent Day on Sunday, October 16, 2016 2:30-6:00 pm at the Hilton Easton in Columbus.

Registration is only \$5.00. Topics of the day include Jonathan Plucker speaking on "Success in College and Life: A Professor's Perspective, and also two breakout sessions where you can choose sessions about stress and the gifted child, great books for gifted readers, and preparing for high school.

#ohiogtchat

Sponsored by the Ohio Association for Gifted Children, this Twitter chat's focus is connecting parents, gifted intervention specialists, and gifted advocates on their topics of interest for the gifted community. Held on Sunday evenings at 9 p.m. you might want to join into these conversations. You can find the full GT Chat schedule, the blog, transcripts of past chats, and many gifted education resources at www.ohiogtchat.weebly.com

The National Association for Gifted Children http://www.nagc.org/
NAGC supports and engages in research and development, staff development, advocacy, communication, and collaboration with other organizations and agencies who strive to improve the quality of education for all students.

Is your child a born mathematician? Christopher Danielson writes an excellent blog about talking math with your kids http://talking-mathwithkids.com/ He stresses that you should have mathematical conversations with your child. Pose open-ended questions during down times and allow your child to tell you what he or she knows.

Middle and High School Students:

The 2017 C-SPAN StudentCam competition will launch in September, 2016. For more information take a look at http://www.studentcam.org/

StudentCam is C-SPAN's annual national video documentary competition that encourages students to think critically about issues that affect our communities and our nation.

For the 2016 competition, students in grades 6-12 were asked to **create a short (5-7 minute) video documentary** on a topic related to the 2016 competition theme, "Road to the White House", and the issue they most want the candidates to discuss during the 2016 presidential campaign Take a look at the 2016 contest. The 2017 contest will open soon!

Parent Resource—lan Byrd was a gifted kid who has grown up to become a gifted educator. For terrific ideas about parenting a gifted child go to:

http://www.byrdseed.com/parents/

For more parent resources take a look at the other information that can be found on the Cloverleaf Local Schools gifted education webpage: http://www.cloverleaflocal.org/gifted.aspx

I will be adding quarterly newsletters to the website with more ideas about enrichment activities and gifted education.

Welcome back to school!

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