

# Parent Information Night at Valley Central High School

## Understanding the Skills and Achievement Commencement Credential

This Parent Information Night is designed for parents of Valley Central students with disabilities in Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. This is especially beneficial for those parents with a child who is currently in a self-contained classroom.

This presentation will provide a brief overview of the New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA) testing program and the Skills and Achievement Commencement Credential which is awarded upon exit from school, accompanied by a Student Exit Summary. Parents will learn how these documents identify a student's level of achievement and independence utilizing skills that improve the ability of students to function in work settings and the community.

Date: Thursday, April 19, 2018

Time: 6:00 P.M.- 7:30 P.M.

Location: Valley Central High School North Cafeteria

Who Can Attend: Parents of Valley Central Students  
(Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade)

### Agenda

6:00-6:10 Welcome to Parents

Barbara Butler, Director of Special Education for Valley Central School District

6:10-7:30 Skills and Achievement Commencement Credential Presentation

Joyce Hawk, Outreach Coordinator, Hudson Valley Special Education Parent Information Center

Refreshments will be served.

If you are able to attend, please return this section to your child's teacher by Friday, April 6th . Thank you!

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Your Child Attends: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level of Child: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Adults Attending the Presentation: \_\_\_\_\_