



FAMILY RESOURCE NIGHT

WELCOME GUIDE

Supporting academic
success and
relationship building for
immigrant students and
their families



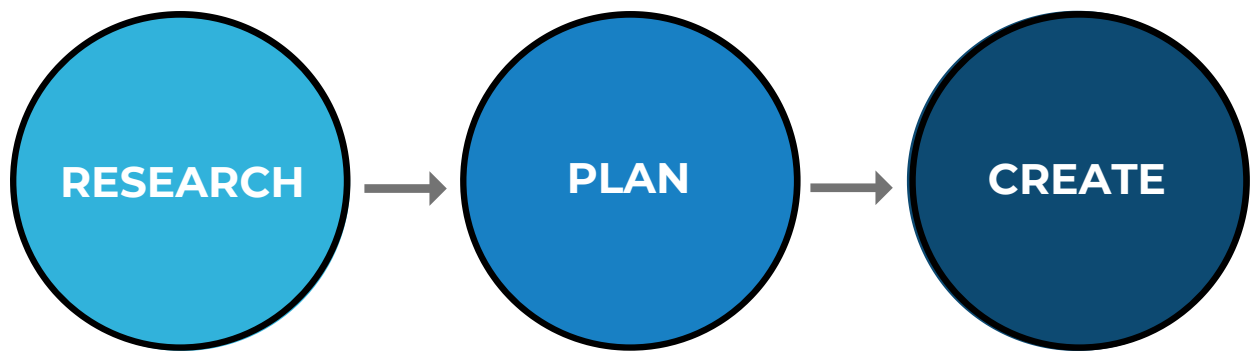
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PLANNING GUIDE FOR FAMILY RESOURCE NIGHT



This planning guide is composed of three sections: Research, Plan, and Create.

In the Research section, you will assess (1) your church community and (2) the broader local community. As you assess your own church community, you will learn about and evaluate your church's commitment and preparedness in launching a Welcome Program. As you assess the broader local community, you will learn more about immigrants in your area and evaluate your church's resources in being able to connect with and serve your immigrant neighbors well.

In the Plan section, you will learn about and prepare FRN Logistics, FRN Resources, and FRN Community Partnerships and Potential Presentations.

In the Create section, you will build out various program components.

Sample General Schedule

Time	Volunteers	Students	Parents	Notes
5:45pm	Arrival Time			If possible - it's helpful to have people as this is typically close to when students arrive
6:00		Check-in/Game	Introduction to Night	
6:15		Start Tutor Block #1	Speaker	
6:35		Game Break/Snack	Q&A	
6:45		Tutor Block #2	Discussion	
7:05		Game Break	ESL Practice	
7:25		Tutoring Block #3/Reading	ESL Practice	Volunteers assigned to clean up and tidy the spaces used while those helping with drop-off provide for crowd control