

## Parents As Teachers Program

*Des Moines and Louisa counties Parents As Teachers mission is to provide the information, support and encouragement parents need to ensure their children are healthy, safe, and ready to succeed in school.*

PAT is an accredited Iowa Family Support Program funded by Des Moines-Henry-Louisa-Washington Early Childhood Iowa.

Since 1981, Parents As Teachers has been implemented in more than 3,000 sites in 49 states in the United States, six foreign countries, and five U.S. territories.



## To enroll in Parents As Teachers

### Contact us at:

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Southeast Iowa  
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Program Director  
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319-750-5386



Community Action of Southeast Iowa programs are open to all eligible persons regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, religion, pregnancy, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, physical or mental disability, genetic information, or any other characteristic protected by federal, state or local law.

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### Building a Foundation for Your Child's Future



**Because YOU are Your Child's First and Most Important Teacher!**

**Community Action of Southeast Iowa**

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## You will benefit from Parents As Teachers if you want...

- ◆ Your child to be ready to excel in school.
- ◆ Education to sharpen your parenting skills.
- ◆ Better access to community resources.
- ◆ To meet new parents.



**Parents As Teachers is a free early learning program designed to provide guidance and support to families by offering:**

- ◆ Personal in-home visits for families with children prenatal to five-years-old.
- ◆ Parent/child interactive and educational group connections.
- ◆ Periodic developmental screenings.
- ◆ Linkage to community resources.
- ◆ Support, encouragement and information.



## Parents As Teachers Helps:

- ◆ Recognize your child's ever-changing abilities.
- ◆ Detect health and developmental issues.
- ◆ Increase your child's school readiness and success.



**Parents as Teachers®**