



**GOVERNOR'S COMMONWEALTH INSTITUTE
FOR PARENT LEADERSHIP
Northern KY**

2016 APPLICATION

Deadline: April 30, 2016

Who can apply?

All parents, caregivers, mentors and other caring adults who support K-12 public school students in the following counties: Boone, Bracken, Campbell, Gallatin, Grant, Kenton, and Pendleton.

Participants commit to:

- **Attend all five days of training held on August 26-27, September 30 - October 1, and October 29, 2016.**
- Lead a project in a school or community that involves other families and improves student outcomes
- Maintain an ongoing connection with the Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence

In return, participants receive:

- Information about Kentucky's public education and accountability system and resources available to help students succeed
- Understanding of assessment data at the school, district, and state levels and opportunity gaps
- Information on how to use the data to participate in efforts to improve student outcomes
- Knowledge of how to partner with school administrators, teachers, and other parents to improve student outcomes
- Skills to enhance their ability to lead and communicate with a diverse group of people
- Connections to an existing network of parents and community leaders committed to public education
- Meals and materials provided at no cost.

To apply:

- Apply online at www.gcipl.org by clicking on "GCIPL Application" on the left hand of the screen. You can also mail your application and reference time stamped by **May 20, 2016.**
- **Governor's Commonwealth Institute for Parent Leadership
271 W Short St, Suite 202
Lexington, KY 40507**
- You will be invited to attend an orientation session where you can ask questions and learn more about the institute. After the orientation, we review all applications and select up to 30 applicants who are invited to participate.

Locations and Dates: Training will take place in northern Kentucky on August 26-27, Sept. 30 – Oct. 1, and October 29. Location is yet to be determined.

Questions? Contact Helen Carroll at carroll.proplan@outlook.com or (859) 982-4943.

Please keep this page for your reference.

**GOVERNOR'S COMMONWEALTH INSTITUTE FOR PARENT LEADERSHIP
Northern Kentucky - 2016 APPLICATION FORM – DUE APRIL 30**

Name	
Home Address	Street: City: Zip:
Email	
Phone (Circle the phone number you prefer.)	Home: Cell: Work:
County	
Sex (M/F)	
Race/ethnic origin (optional)	
Emergency Contact	Name: Phone:
Current Employer	

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Participants are expected to attend all day and evening sessions. Participants should make appropriate arrangements in advance in order to attend all sessions. Onsite childcare is available for children who are potty-trained and listed on the next page.

REFERENCE REQUIRED

Please have someone you know (example: school, church, work) complete the enclosed reference form and return to us. This form can also be found on our website: www.gcipl.org, on left side of the page click on "GCIPL Application", then look for link to **Northern KY GCIPL Reference**.

PERSONAL COMMITMENT

I understand participation in the ***Governor's Commonwealth Institute for Parent Leadership*** requires attendance at **all training sessions** and a commitment to work with a school to plan and implement a project designed to improve student achievement and involve other parents.

Signature

Date

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Please send application to:
Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence, 271 W. Short Street, Suite 202, Lexington, KY 40507

If you have children, please tell us where they currently attend school:

Please tell us which school you plan to work in partnership with to do a project?

School: _____ **School District:** _____

Principal: _____

CHILDCARE: Onsite childcare is available only for children who are potty-trained and identified below:

Child's Name	Age

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

	Yes	No
School Board		
SBDM Council		
SBDM committee		
Advisory Committee		
PTA/PTO		
Community Committee		
Church/Scouts etc.		

Tell us ways in which you are currently involved in a school or in your community:

What would you say are your greatest strengths?