For more information...

- Parents Helping Parents
  408/727-5775 or www.php.com

- CHADD (Children with Attention Deficit Disorder)
  650/793-0222 or www.chadd.org

- Schwab Foundation for Learning
  1/800/230-0988 or www.schwablearning.org

Your child may need assistance that will make learning easier.

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www.caacscc.org

There are programs and services that can help your child in school. Ask your child’s teacher for available interventions provided by the district.
Is your child:
✓ Often late to class?
✓ Missing school more than one day per week?
✓ Suspended or expelled?
✓ Repeating a grade level?
✓ Having trouble with math?
✓ Having trouble with reading?
✓ Easily distracted?
✓ Unable to sit still or listen for a long time?
✓ Having trouble with homework?
✓ Having trouble making or keeping friends?
✓ Unable to follow directions?

You can ask your teacher to:
• Meet with you and other people from the school to think about how to help your child in school,
• Review your child’s state testing results, grades, and progress in school,
• And identify next steps.

Even pre-school kids can get special help in some cases! The sooner you ask for help, the better chance you and the schools will have to help your child in school.

Your school may offer intervention strategies and your child may be helped through these interventions.

What you can do...
• Ask for information about the school’s Student Study Team (SST).
• Ask a principal or teacher at your child’s school to help you and ask them or the Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA) for Santa Clara County at (408) 223-3771 or (408) 453-6566 for a free copy of parent’s rights.
• Ask if further assessment is needed.