

# Paterson Post

*Preparing All Children for College and Career.*

*Together We Can!*

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## Putting the “Together” in *Together We Can*

Acting Superintendent Eileen Shafer has announced “Together We Can” Community Forums to be held at a school in each of Paterson’s six city wards. In these forums, Ms. Shafer will provide her goals and objectives aimed at improving our students’ academic success. Families and stakeholders are encouraged to attend any forum that is most convenient. Ms. Shafer welcomes thoughts and concerns on the important topics and challenges facing our district. There will be translators present at all locations. The forums will take place between October 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> between the hours of 6 to 8 p.m. You can view a flyer detailing specific school locations in both [English](#) and [Spanish](#). See you there!



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## Much Needed Supplies for Displaced Students



The McKinney Vento Homeless Assistance Act is a Federal law established in 1987 in response to the growing problem of homelessness throughout the United States. The Paterson Public Schools McKinney Vento Program for Displaced Families has been a continual advocate for displaced families within our district community. Recently, the program has received generous donations from the C.A.R.E Ministries non-profit organization of Somerset and The Reformed Church of Oradell. The much needed items included backpacks and miscellaneous school supplies of all kinds. These donations will be given directly displaced students serviced by our district.

You can help! For more information on the Mc Kinney Vento Program call Wanda Asmar at: (973) 321-0632.

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