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The **Monroe County Parent Advisory Committee (PAC)** invites **parents and school personnel** to attend this special Parent Night presentation!

## ***Social Skill Strategies for Children with Autism***

**Thursday, March 7th, 2013 - 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.**  
at the M.C.I.S.D. Professional Development Center - Building B - 1101 S. Raisinville Road, Monroe

***Featuring Maureen Ziegler, Ed.S.***

Autism Intervention & Educational Specialist, Grand Valley State University

Maureen Ziegler has had extensive experience working with students with ASD (*Autism Spectrum Disorder*). For the last 12 years, she has worked as an Autism Intervention and Educational Specialist at Grand Valley State University, primarily presenting for districts across the state of Michigan. Prior to that, Maureen taught students with ASD at the elementary, middle and high school levels. During that time, she developed a program model for all three levels, including the development of the *LINK (Peer to Peer Support) Program* in Clarkston Schools. Maureen has also worked as an A.I. teacher-consultant for Oakland Schools. She supervised the ASD programs in Clarkston Community Schools for six years.

*"Peer-mediated approaches have long been utilized to improve the learning outcomes and social interactions of students with and without disabilities . . ." [Carter & Kennedy, 2006, P. 285].*

**Pre-Registration is Required - REGISTER TODAY!**

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