

The Egan Family Engagement and Coalition (EFECT) Initiative

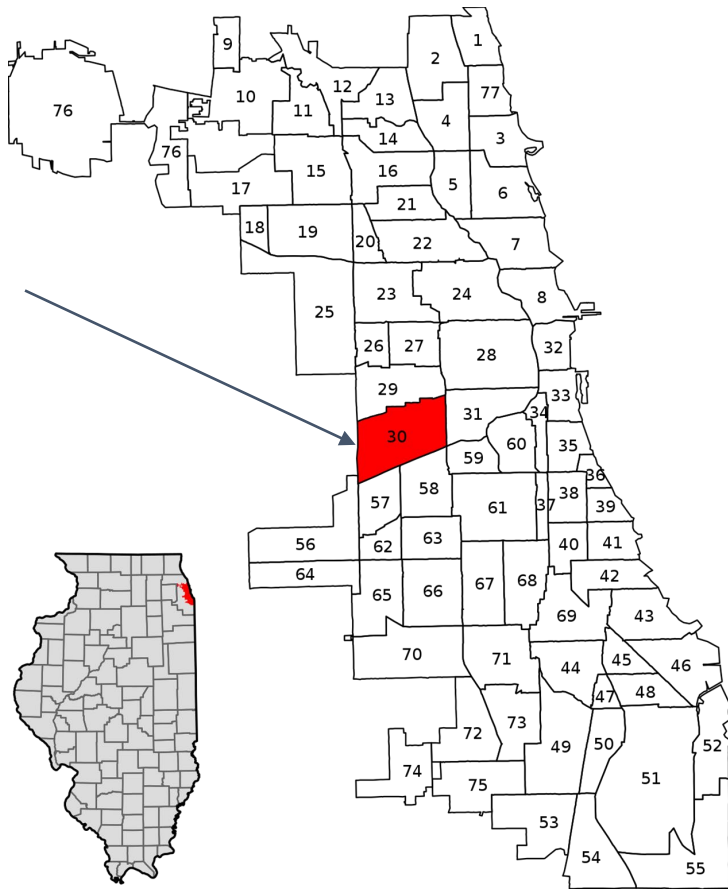
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The Egan Family Engagement and Coalition Initiative (EFEct)

The EFEct Initiative began its work in the middle of the Covid-19 Pandemic and in the wake of civil unrest across the country demanding social justice. The issues that emerged from the unrest moved the project forward with a greater urgency and intentionality. We witnessed grassroots support from both communities that were aligned with building unity.





- Two Communities, Close yet divided
- Civil unrest, police brutality, and gun violence
- The need for unity





- Building trust and building community
- Modules delivered via Zoom
- Connecting with families via different platforms
- Google Classrooms
- Families without emails
- Sharing community resources



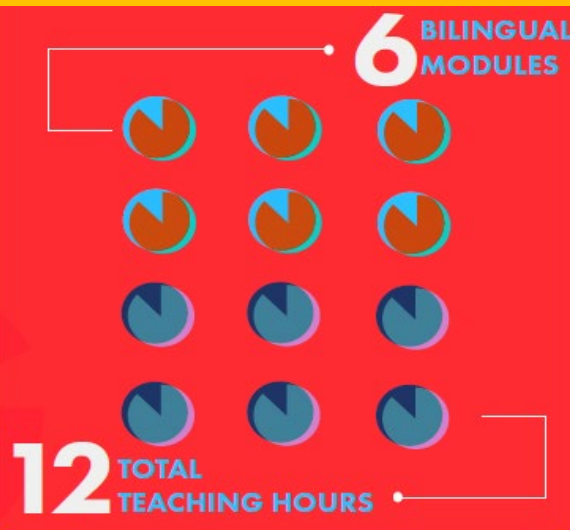
Challenges

1. Covid-19 Pandemic

2. imitations on meeting families in the community

3. Low Bandwidth & Navigation of
Technology





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Participating
Schools

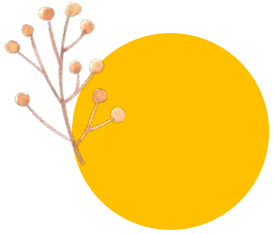
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**TOTAL
HOURS IN
GROUP
MEETINGS**

43

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Projects



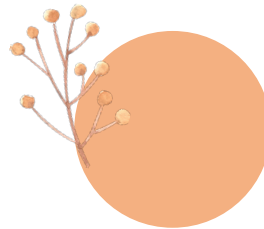
*Elderly Support
Services*



*Extracurricular
Activities*



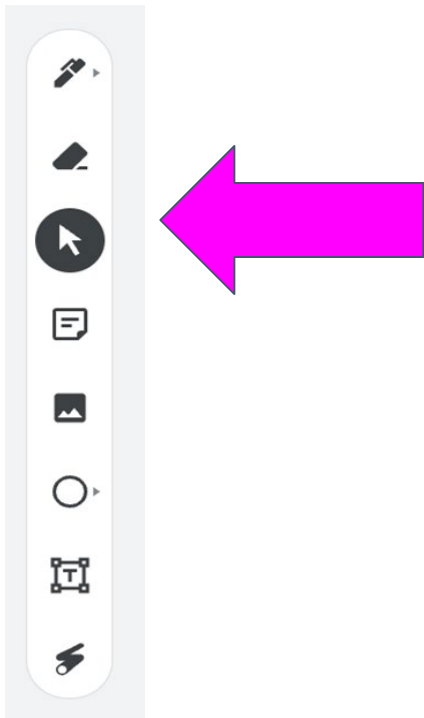
*Community
Food Pantry*



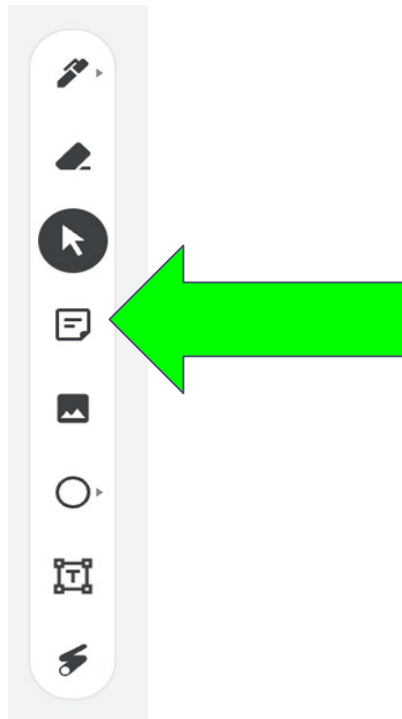
Community Center

How to use Jamboard

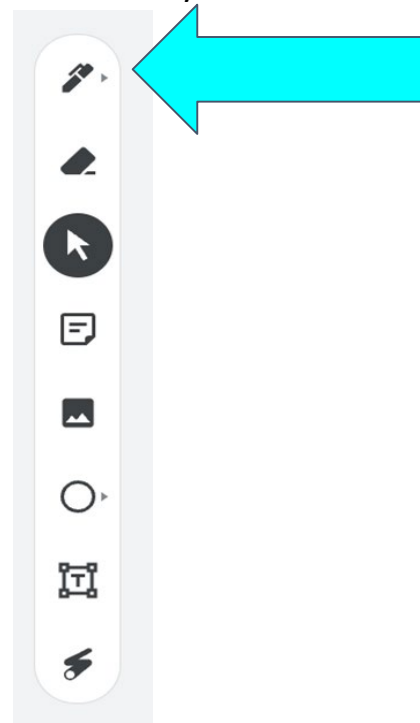
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2. The 4th option is a sticky note. Use this to answer



3. The 1st option is a pen to write on the board or sticky notes



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