## Is Homework Killing You? We Can Help!

The Hayward Public Library is gearing up to start the expansion of their support of local youth with their academics. Through a unique partnership between the City of Hayward and Hayward Unified School District, the Library will soon expand their Homework Support Center Services. Using the Library's already successful HSC at Longwood Elementary, the Main Library, and Weekes Branch as a model, the program will offer free drop-in homework assistance onsite to students who attend the following schools: Park Elementary and Harder Elementary. HSCs will feature a book-vending machine, laptop computers, homework and project supplies, on-site trained volunteer tutors ready to assist students in small groups with all of the their homework needs, and access to the Library's free real-time tutoring program, Tutor.com. The Hayward Public will expand services in the next few months to Lorin Eden Elementary, Southgate Elementary, Cesar Chavez Middle School, Winton Middle School, and Martin Luther King Jr. Middle School. More information to come!

In addition to enhancing the community's involvement in positive educational outcomes through volunteerism, the City of Hayward 's Library and Community Services Division has partnered with local institutions of higher learning, such as Chabot and CSU, East Bay, to create internship and service learning opportunities for college students to serve as tutors within the HSCs. For more information, or to learn more about how you can get involved, please contact Lindsey Vien, Education Services Coordinator, at (510) 881-7535 or Lindsey. Vien@hayward-ca.gov.

## **Homework Support Center Information**



Park Elementary HSC—Open

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 2:45-4:45 pm Wednesday: 12:30-2:30 pm

Harder Elementary HSC—Opens September 10

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 3:15-5:15 pm Wednesday: 12:15-2:15 pm

Main Library & Weekes Branch HSCs—Opens September 16

Monday-Wednesday: 3:30-5:30 pm Thursday: 3:00-4:30 pm

Longwood Elementary HSC—Opens Late September

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 3:00-5:00 pm Wednesday: 12:30-2:30 pm



## **Tutor.com**

Would you rather work with a tutor over the Internet? Use your Hayward Public Library Card and check out Live Homework Help, available 7 days a week, from 1 pm -10 pm, by visiting our website: library.hayward-ca.gov. Click on Live Homework Help and get started working with a tutor for FREE!

