

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN EDUCATION

The Board believes that parent/guardian involvement is an important part of the educational program. Current research indicates that a home-school partnership and greater involvement on the part of parents/guardians in the education of their children generally results in higher achievement scores, improved student behavior and reduced absenteeism. All parents/guardians of students enrolled in the District are encouraged to take an active role in the education of their children.

The Board directs the administration to develop the necessary regulations to ensure that this policy is followed and that parent/guardian involvement is encouraged. The regulations will:

1. encourage strong home-school partnerships;
2. provide for consistent and effective communication between the parents/guardians and school officials;
3. offer parents/guardians ways to assist and encourage their children to do their best;
4. offers ways parents/guardians can support classroom learning activities and
5. provide opportunities for parents/guardians to be involved.

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