



## **District Parent Involvement Policy/Rules**

Under the requirement of Florida Law, per F.S. 1002.23, the School Board believes that engaging parents in the education process is essential to improved academic success for students. It further recognizes that a student's education is a responsibility shared by the school and the family throughout the student's career in the district. Therefore, the School Board shall foster and support active parent involvement so that schools and parents work together as partners in educating children as reflected in the Family and School Partnership for Student Achievement Act.

Parent involvement activities will be comprehensive and coordinated, when appropriate, with other programs. They will include but not be limited to the components of successful parent/family involvement programs contained in the National PTA's Standards for Parent/Family Involvement Programs.

The School Board supports professional development opportunities for staff to enhance understanding of effective parent involvement strategies. The School Board also acknowledges the importance of administrative leadership in establishing expectations and in creating a climate conducive to parent participation.

F.S. 1002.23