

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN THE SCHOOL:

The involvement of parents in the education of children directly affects the success of their children's educational efforts. It is district policy that teachers and administrators should facilitate the active involvement of parents in the education of their children. Teachers and administrators shall communicate with the parents of children with regard to whom the teachers and administrators have responsibility by:

1. Maintaining a means of answering telephone calls or receiving visits from parents during the school day at times mutually agreed upon by parents and school personnel
2. Conducting parent teacher student conferences at regular intervals and conducting additional conferences when requested to the extent permitted by available time within the school day and by other responsibilities
3. Informing parents of resources in the community, including groups and organizations that may provide instruction and training to parents to help improve their children's academic success and support their academic efforts
4. Encouraging attendance by parents at school events in which parent participation is appropriate
5. Inquiring into the perceptions of parents about the progress of the child's education.

Utah Code Ann. §53A-1a-105

The Board of Education hereby designates a parent participation coordinator to work with the State Board of Education, school boards, school community councils, and school directors work together with employers to develop policies and programs that would allow employees greater participation in the public school system during school hours. Parents of students shall be encouraged to participate in the opportunities provided by schools in the school district to provide in class service as teacher or resource help.