

## GOALS FOR SCHOOL-COMMUNITY-PARENT RELATIONS

The School Board sets goals and standards for school-community relations and regularly evaluates its relationship with the public. The School Board also regularly evaluates its programs for maintaining open channels of communication and good relations with parents, community organizations, other governmental organizations, nonprofit organizations, businesses, industries, and the community at large.

Through its school-community relations program, the Board will encourage the community to:

1. Take an active interest in the schools and participate in planning activities.
2. Place a high priority on education and make funds available for an educational system that supports learning for all children.
3. Establish partnerships with the schools to enhance learning opportunities, in accordance with Policy KQ.

ACPS will nurture welcoming environments at school facilities and make schools centers of civic activity and help develop pride in school facilities. Community engagement, including outreach to the business community, will be a goal in order to expand the number of partnerships that provide services to schools, including tutoring, internships and jobs, and other opportunities.

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Cross Refs :	AF	Comprehensive Plan
	KB	Public Information Program
	KBC	Media Relations
	KF	Distribution of Information/Materials
	KG	Community Use of School Facilities
	KG-R	Community Use of School Facilities Regulations and Application
	KMA	Relations with Parent Organizations
	KNAJ	Relations with Law Enforcement Authorities
	KQ	Commercial, Promotional, and Corporate Sponsorships and Partnerships
	IGBC	Parental Involvement