

# POLICY

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PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES

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The Board of Education believes that children benefit when parent(s) or legal guardian(s) recognize and discharge a responsibility to encourage and support the learning process.

Parent(s) or legal guardian(s) can help children learn by:

1. Requiring that children obey all school rules and by accepting responsibility for a child's improper conduct;
2. Sending children to school with proper attention to health, personal cleanliness, and dress;
3. Maintaining an active interest in each child's daily work and making it possible for the child to complete assigned homework by providing a quiet place and suitable conditions for study;
4. Reading communications from the school and signing and returning them promptly when so requested. Parent(s) or legal guardian(s) shall be required to return to the school a signed acknowledgement of receipt of the pupil/school handbook, the school calendar, policies and policy summaries as required in this Policy Manual, and other materials provided at the beginning of each school year or at other times of the school year when requested.;
5. Attending conferences arranged for the exchange of information on the child's progress in school; and
6. Scheduling family matters to minimize interference with school time.

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