

SHALER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

POLICY 908

SECTION: COMMUNITY
 TITLE: RELATIONS WITH PARENTS
 ADOPTED: September 16, 1998
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908. RELATIONS WITH PARENTS

1. Purpose

The Board believes that the education of children is a joint responsibility, one it shares with the parents of the school community. To insure that the best interests of the child are served in this process, a strong program of communication between home and school must be maintained.
2. Authority
SC 1317

The Board feels that it is the parents who have the ultimate responsibility for their children's in school behavior, however, during school hours, the Board through its designated administrators acts in loco parentis or in place of the parents.
3. Guidelines

The Board directs that the following activities be implemented to encourage parent-school cooperation:

 1. Parent-teacher conferences to permit two-way communication between home and school.
 2. Open houses or curriculum programs in district schools to provide parents with the opportunity to see the school facilities, meet the faculty and sample the program on a first-hand basis.

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