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Education is a partnership involving students, parents, teachers, principals, Trustees, school boards, government, and the community. Members of PIC have an opportunity to strengthen this partnership and become part of a dedicated team committed to helping improve student achievement and well-being.

Role of PIC Members

- Provide advice and feedback to the Board from a parent perspective
- Champion and demonstrate a commitment to parental engagement
- Contribute to productive meetings & participate in sub-committee work
- Represent broad parent interest in all committee activities
- Raise common parental issues of concern with the Board
- Provide assistance and support to parents as they navigate the various areas of the Board
- Respond to requests for consultation on policy, programs and strategies
- Communicate with and support school councils
- Help parents support their children's learning at home and at school

Parent Membership Criteria

- Parent or guardian of a student enrolled in HWDSB
- Selected to ensure broad representation & diversity across the district
- Committed to a two year term
- Able to attend monthly meetings (2nd Tuesday of each month)
- Demonstrated commitment to school and community involvement