

## **Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council**

May 17, 2018

Superintendent Donald J. Jolly II

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## **Purpose & Basis for Establishment**

The Superintendent Parent Advisory Council (SPAC) is comprised of parent representatives from each school. They meet with the Superintendent and other district staff on a monthly basis during the school year to discuss a variety of topics, share information and broaden understanding of school-related issues. Members work together to:

- Identify common needs and goals among the parents of students enrolled in Warrensville Heights City School District and facilitate strategies to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of their respective school's parent organizations.
- Provide the superintendent with feedback and insight from the parent's perspective on school process, policies and initiatives to ensure the needs of parents and their families are included as decisions are made in the district.
- Bring to the superintendent's attention existing and emerging issues expressed by parents at the school they represent.
- Serve as an advisory, not a decision-making body, that makes recommendations, encourages brainstorming and provides opportunities for parent involvement on committees and task forces.
- Facilitate communication between and among the parents and parent organizations from different district schools and serve as a forum for sharing innovations and best practices from around the district.

## **Committee Type**

Standing Committee

## **Meeting Information**

All meetings occur from 11:30 to 1:00 p.m., generally at the District Office, 4500 Warrensville Center Road, unless noted. Meetings for the 2017-18 school year are:

October 26, 2017 February 22, 2018
December 14, 2017 March 22, 2018
January 25, 2018 April 26, 2018