

Book BYLAWS AND POLICIES

Section 2000 PROGRAM

Title Parent and Family Involvement

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- Legal Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended, Title 1, Part A; 20 U.S.C. 6301-6339, 6571-6578
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1) GENERAL POLICY STATEMENT

a. Edison School of the Arts will implement a program to involve parents, families and caregivers in the education of the enrolled students. The parent and family involvement program shall be research-based, aligned to contemporary best practices, compliant with applicable law, and responsive to the unique needs of the school community.

2) SCHOOL LEVEL PARENT AND FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

a. Edison shall develop, jointly with parents and families, a written school parental involvement policy that describes how the school will execute a robust program of parent and family involvement. The school shall notify parents of the school policy in an understandable and uniform format and shall make the policy available in a language that parents can understand. The school policy shall also be available, in writing, to the local community.

b. Edison shall develop jointly with the parents of children in the school, a schoolparent compact as a component of its written parental involvement policy. The compact is an agreement between the school and the parents of children at the school. The compact identifies the activities that the parents, school staff, and students will undertake to share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. The school-parent compact intends to build and develop a schoolhome partnership to help students achieve academically and develop socially and emotionally.

c. Edison will work with the IPS School District to annually review the written parental involvement policy and school-parent compact to ensure compliance with applicable

law, adherence to best practices, and alignment to district-supported parent and family involvement policies.

3) ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

a. The CEO/Executive Director and the Board Advancement Committee may produce administrative guidelines and other guidance to inform implementation of this policy.