Communicating and working with parents

Parents and guardians are any school’s strongest allies for helping students achieve and thrive to their fullest potential. Robust two-way communication with students’ families cultivates a relationship between the home and the school that puts the families squarely on the school’s team when working with students.

Community support

This school
- Parent Participation Rates
  - The percentage of students in the school whose parents responded to the SALT Survey

R.I. middle schools
- Parent Participation Rates
  - The percentage of students in the school whose parents responded to the SALT Survey

What Parents Say

Percent of parents who report that the school does well:
- Contacts me if my child does something well or improves
- Responds to my concerns and requests within a reasonable time
- Has a parent-teacher conference with me
- Asks me to volunteer at the school

What Teachers Say

Percent who agree or strongly agree:
- Parental involvement in school governance is essential to effective education.
- They meet with individual parents to solve problems and provide assistance.
- Teachers on their team or grade level maintain positive relationships with students’ parents.
- Two-way communication between home and school is essential to effective education.
- They are home unsupervised 3 or more hours a day, 3 or more days a week.