## CARBON CAREER & TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

SECTION: COMMUNITY

TITLE: PARENTAL/FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

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	917. PARENTAL/FAMILY INVOLVEMENT
1. Purpose	The school is committed to the belief that all students can learn and acknowledges that the school and parents/guardians share a commitment to the educational success of children.
2. Definition	Parental and family involvement shall be defined as an ongoing process that assists parents/guardians and families to meet their basic obligation as a student's first educator, promotes clear two-way dialogue between home and school, and supports parents/guardians as leaders and decision-makers concerning the education of their child at all levels.
3. Authority	The Joint Operating Committee recognizes that the responsibility for each student's education is shared by the school and the family and acknowledges that the schools and families must work as knowledgeable, cooperative partners to effectively educate students.
	To this end, the Joint Operating Committee shall support the development, implementation, and continuing evaluation of a parental and family involvement program that will involve parents/guardians in a variety of roles.
4. Guidelines	The parental and family involvement program shall be comprehensive in nature and may include the following:
	1. Promotion of clear two-way communication between the school and the family about school programs and student progress.
	2. Provision for a wide range of guidance services and career information in the best interest of the student.
	3. Assistance to parents/guardians and families in developing parenting skills to foster positive relationships at home, to support children's educational efforts, and to assist their child with learning at home.