

PARENTS AND COMMUNITY . . . WE NEED YOUR HELP!

The #1 predictor of a child's success in school is parental involvement. Your public schools can use your help **even if only for one day** during the school year. Volunteer opportunities are available on a daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, seasonal, semiannual and annual basis.

Please answer the following questions to help us determine how we can encourage your participation in your local public schools. **(Please do not complete more than one parent/community survey.)**

Do you have a child or children currently enrolled in public and/or private school in Broward County? Yes No
If yes, please indicate which school or schools they attend. _____

Are you already a volunteer in Broward County Public Schools? Yes No

If yes, in what capacity? _____

How often? Daily Weekly Monthly Quarterly Other _____

Is your principal supportive of parent or community involvement? Yes No Don't know

If you are not yet a volunteer in Broward County Public Schools, please let us know what prevents your involvement so we can determine how to make it easier for you to participate. (Check all that apply.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Not familiar with volunteer opportunities. | <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of access or inability to use technology (computer, cell phone). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of transportation. | <input type="checkbox"/> Participation not encouraged by teachers/school staff. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children in different schools with varying schedules. | <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of follow-up from the school. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of childcare and/or single parent. | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty with English/language barrier. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Work/scheduling conflicts. | <input type="checkbox"/> I don't think my opinion/feedback is valued or makes a difference. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children are older and do not need my participation. | <input type="checkbox"/> Not interested. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns about ability to contribute due to lack of education. | <input type="checkbox"/> Dissatisfaction with the way public schools are operated. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not receiving information about school events and volunteer opportunities. | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain) _____ |

If we could find a way to work around your concerns/schedule, would you be willing to volunteer? Yes No
If yes, please indicate preference: at home at school

Please provide us with suggestions that would encourage increased participation in Broward County Public Schools.

How would you like to receive communications from your school(s)? phone text school website e-mail
 social media flyer/kid's backpack other: _____

Please complete the remainder of this survey so we can determine who we are reaching and where we still have work to do.

Gender Male Female

Age 18-25 26-35 36-50 51 or older

Do you have children age 18 or younger? Yes No

Please indicate the primary language spoken in your home. _____

What city do you live in? _____

We appreciate your participation.

The survey is also available online at: <http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/pctf/survey.htm>