AESD Parent Involvement Model...
Academic, Parenting and Leadership
Based on Dr. Joyce Epstein’s Six Types of Parent Involvement from the National Network of Partnership Schools at Johns Hopkins University

Parenting
Communicating
Volunteering
Learning at Home
Decision Making
Collaboration with the Community

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P.L.I

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Goals
AESD’s Parent Leadership Institute is a partnership between parents and Family and Community Engagement Specialists to enhance parent involvement across all 23 elementary schools in order to enhance the academic achievement of all students.

P.L.I Implementation
The institute is structured with 21st century learning. Parents are engaged to work with the 4C’s (Communication, Collaboration, Creativity and Critical Thinking) in three components that will help them develop a greater understanding of school programs. P.L.I builds a larger base of parent leaders at each site through...

- Monthly meetings and parent leadership trainings provided by the district
- Leadership development and support
- School connection activities where PLI supports other parents grow parent understanding of school programs

Parenting Partners and P.L.I. work in conjunction to establish and retain a strong parent leadership program at AESD.

Parenting Partners combines parenting and leadership skills to support parents to become vital contributors to their students’ academic success.

Parenting Partners Parent Leaders at each site are trained to provide comprehensive 8 week parent workshops at their school that focus on three key outcomes...

- Positive Parent Engagement
- Improved Student Academics
- Strong Home Learning Environment