

Special Education Parent Advisory Committee

# Purpose and Responsibility of the Committee

- The Livingston Board of Education Special Education Parent Advisory Committee exists to fulfill the requirements of the New Jersey Administrative Code 6A:14-1.2(h):
  - Each Board of Education shall ensure that a special education parent advisory group is in place in the district to provide input to the district on issues concerning students with disabilities.
- SEPAC works collaboratively with all special education parents and district staff in an advisory capacity to the Livingston Board of Education.

## SEPAC 2020-2021 Executive Committee for the District

- 30 Member Committee with parents, general and special education teachers, supervisors, principals, directors, Assistant Superintendent, and Board members represented.
- All SEPAC members have made the commitment to remain on the committee for two full years, allowing continuity in the committee.
- Committee members organized building based SEPAC meetings to open lines of communication, share information, and consider questions to be answered.



### **Building Meetings**

Burnet Hill Elementary School Collins Elementary School Harrison Elementary School Hillside Elementary School Mount Pleasant Elementary School Riker Hill Elementary School Mount Pleasant Middle School Heritage Middle School Livingston High School March 9th June 15th April 29th March 25th January 27th September 23rd April 15th April 8th February 25th



## Elementary School Based Meetings

- Burnet Hill Elementary School
  - Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports;
  - Social and Emotional Learning including Strategies for Parents.
- Collins Elementary School
  - Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports;
  - Reading interventions and strategies.
- Harrison Elementary School
  - Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports.

- Hillside Elementary School
  - Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports;
  - Empathy and Self-Esteem.
- Mount Pleasant Elementary School
  - Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports;
  - Hybrid Learning including Strategies for Families.
- Riker Hill Elementary School
  - Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports during Back to School Night.

## Secondary School Based Meetings Mount Pleasant Middle School

- Parent and staff discussion on Executive Functioning Skills, Confidence and Self-Esteem, Stress and Mindfulness;
- Transition planning and structures from MPM to HMS.

### Heritage Middle School

- Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports;
- Executive Functioning, Technology, Self-Advocacy;
- Transition planning and structures from HMS to LHS.

### **Livingston High School**

- Parent and staff discussion on building-based special education programs and supports;
- Executive Functioning, Technology, Self-Advocacy.

### District Celebration - Goal for 2021-2022 Parent Development Programs Pre-K- Life

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Spring Newsletter

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## SEPAC 2021-2022 WHERE ARE WE HEADING...

We will continue the good work of this year to allow each building the chance to deepen their discussions about what school looks like after COVID-19 and how to adjust to a new normal.