

What do equitable collaborations with families look like in your school?

Individualized to each family's needs

Conversation

A seamless partnership for the benefit of a child's well-being and education

Hosting events outside of school during weekdays, nights and weekends so all families have an opportunity to attend

Listening

Everyone that's involved be at the table voicing their ideas

Have open communication and good relationship with all families and communities

Ask how and when they can come to events

All families 🧑🧒 are heard and included in this work

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All voices being heard.

Families working together... sharing of ideas

Active participation in school family council and FCE committees

Meeting families where they are. And then empowering them.

Very diverse

schools and families are on equal footing and share power. school is not the sole "expert" and family voice weighs just as much.

Monthly home visits. We also have a family support team that focuses on collaborating with our families. Currently, we have a family support group that allows parents to talk to us and each other.

Listening

Families have a voice and decision-making abilities

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Spaces to share and have authentic conversations with families.
Language support. Culturally responsive pedagogy.

Parents knowing their rights and coming to the table empowered to support their children.

Allowing parents to give input into a student's support plan. They can contribute to goals and strategies.

Parent Advisory Meetings

Regular communication- two-way with parent voice included

Communication!

Copanning

Helping families with physical needs (food, clothes)

Great communication between families and schools.

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families working with staff during school events

Different forms of communication

Listening

Understanding

Parent/Community Focused.

In our school which is a childcare center ongoing communication with the parents every morning and every afternoon Having software where we can communicate moment to moment with parents and get messages from parents

Listening

Offer and encourage opportunity for parents to define programs, solution focused meetings

Reducing the barrier of entry to all families (language, time commitment, etc)

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Family ❤️ working together

I would say they definitely should be diverse ,cultural, fun, educational

Inclusion of all families on School Leadership Teams and other whole school Decision making

Coming together as one to benefit everyone's needs

Consistent two-way communication between families and school staff.

Collaborative decision-making

Built on trusting relationships, two-way communication and families are part of the decision making process at the school sites

Patient, takes time, give time

Diversity

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Lots of information shared and support from both sides

Open communication!

Develop and supporting a two-way communication between teachers and parents.

Family empowerment sessions

Having meaningful engagement activities with all families

Collaborative Decision-making

Families/Staff meetings, Like a PTA group

Family engagement with students progress in school..

Building Confidence in the families abilities to engage

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Recognising and acknowledging cultural diversity

Working with families across the board. Giving them an equal voice and role i.n our school.

A two way communication with teachers and parents.

Meeting families with resources, their first language and community

respecting and recognizing family's strengths and needs

Virtual office hours for parents and guardians

Implementing from what they share from a survey

Student focused- What is in the best interest of the child from both the parent/teacher focus!

Communication with parents and families that are led by integrity and sincerity

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Parents engaged in with Family Engagement Summaries

families having a voice

Random check ins for family well being, but just students

Lots of surveys for families that are not coming in physically.

Parents been able to make decision making on the their children progress

Collaboration with teacher and parents to support the whole family