



Loganville Primary PTO 2005-2006

10 Tips for Parents to get Involved

1. Ask Questions

Showing interest is an easy and important first step. Talk with you child about school and keep up with school announcements and events.

2. Alphabet Soup

Join the parent group (PTO, PTA, etc.) at your child's school. This is the group dedicated to creating a welcoming environment for your child. Show your support for their important work.

3. The One-hour Rule

Dedicate one hour per semester (just one hour) to getting involved. Whether it's attending a meeting or reading with a class or helping with a school-family event, your help sends an important message to your child.

4. Stay in Touch

Know and support your child's teachers. A simple introduction at the beginning of the school year and an occasional note or call from home sends a strong message. Parent-teacher conferences shouldn't be your only point of contact with school.

5. Find a Fit

Determine how your skills and interests can help your school. Parent groups do so much more than bake sales, and your contribution of passion, support or skills will be enthusiastically welcomed.

6. Ask some More

Ask your child's teacher how you can help. Let him or her know of our availability and willingness to help.

7. Family Friendly

Take advantage of family events at school. Looking for an inexpensive day or night out? There's no better deal than the Spring Fling, Fall Fair or Spaghetti Dinner. (And the parent involvement benefits are just a nice bonus.

8. Stay Informed

Keep up with school policy and budget developments in your town or district. Make sure that your elected leaders know that you care about quality education.

9. Pitch In

Support your schools' fundraiser. Think of the contribution for what it is. More field trips or a new playground or an extra-special assembly for the children

10. The End Result

Know that every effort you make to connect with your child's school will send a strong message to your child and your community. Involvement Works!

****Most Important***

T.E.A.M ... Together Everyone Achieves More.