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## **Nominations extended to Nov. 16 to apply for membership on School-Family Partnership Advisory Committee**

Seattle Public Schools has extended the deadline for new members to apply for membership on the School-Family Partnership Advisory Committee. The deadline to turn in nomination forms is Nov. 16. The committee will implement the School-Family Partnership Policy, and will advise the Superintendent on ways to most effectively involve families in teaching and learning.

The committee will begin work in November, with an initial term of office through August 2008. The team will meet one to two times per month, with the possibility of additional committee work. The group will be composed of up to 30 members (parents/guardians/family members) and will be representative of the rich diversity of Seattle Public Schools.

Family engagement in education is critical to student success. If you are interested or know of someone interested in serving on the School-Family Partnership Advisory Committee, please complete and submit a nomination form by **Friday, Nov. 16, 2007**. Click on the links for [nomination forms](#) and a [description of the committee](#). Nomination forms are also available at school offices.

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