

 <p>SEATTLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS</p>	SCHOOL-FAMILY PARTNERSHIPS	E10.00 Revised Aug. 2004
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## **POLICY**

It is the policy of the Seattle School Board to encourage and support family involvement in education, at home, in our schools and communities, and in school governance. The Board recognizes the diversity of family structures, circumstances, and cultural backgrounds and respects families as important decision-makers for their children's education. The Board is committed to the creation and implementation of culturally inclusive and effective school-family partnerships throughout the School District and in each school, and believes these partnerships to be critical to the success of every student.

Reference:                Effective Schools Seminar Report, February 1982  
                              Leave No Child Behind Act of 2001 - 1118

Cross Reference:      School-Family Partnership Procedure E10.01

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