

School Advisory Council

SAC Needs You!

- Are you one of our many parents/supporters who cannot be at school during the day to help out or volunteer?
- Are you willing to commit to one hour of meeting time about 8 times a year?
- Are you genuinely interested in what goes on at DeBary Elementary School?

If you answered yes to the above questions, you are just the person we are looking for to serve on DeBary Elementary School's Advisory Council.

What is SAC?

By law, every school in Florida must have a School Advisory Council (SAC). This council consists of teachers, support personnel, parents, and community members. Fifty-one percent (51%) of the council must not be employed by the school. The School Advisory Council:

- assists in the preparation and evaluation of the School Improvement Plan
- assists in the preparation of the annual school budget
- decides how funds for school improvement will be spent
- assists in prioritizing the needs of the school
- assists in developing strategies to improve the areas of need
- adheres to the Sunshine Law

Expectations for School Advisory Council Members

- ◆ Work with parents, staff, administrators and other community representatives to assist in development of a School Improvement Plan to improve the performance of ALL students.
- ◆ Participate regularly in School Advisory Council (SAC) meetings.
- ◆ Participate in activities and training related to learning about the school improvement process.
- ◆ Serve as a communication link between the SAC, the community and the school.
- ◆ Participate in efforts to encourage support for the goals of the school.

Application to Serve on the School Advisory Committee

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone:(H) _____ (C) _____ (W) _____

Email: _____

▶▶ I understand that by completing and returning this application:

1. I will automatically become a representative on the SAC.
2. That the SAC meets on the second Thursday of each month from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
3. That attendance at every meeting is expected.

Signature

Return completed application to DeBary Elementary School.