



## HOW MANY COUNCILS ARE THERE?

The Advisory Councils are made up of three very important groups the Local Advisory Council (LAC), Parents Advisory Council (PAC), and the English Language Learning Advisory Council (ELLAC).

## WHICH COUNCIL IS RIGHT FOR ME?

Each council has different information that is important and beneficial to all parents and to their children. In order to be inclusive to all parents, the councils meet together on topics that are crucial to each group.

## WHO IS ON THE COUNCILS?

The Councils are composed of parents, staff, and/or interested community members.

## WHEN DO WE MEET?

The Councils will meet the last Wednesday of each month.

## DATES FOR 2009-2010

Sept. 30, 2009  
Oct. 28, 2009  
Nov. 18, 2009  
Jan. 27, 2010  
Feb. 24, 2010  
Mar. 24, 2010  
Apr. 28, 2010  
May 26, 2010



## ADVISORY COUNCILS For Parents, Staff and Community Members

*"The success of your child depends on your voice and willingness to make a change in our schools."*

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## DISTRICT MISSION

Central Falls School Districts mission is to develop its diverse student population into responsible citizens, effective communicators, innovative problem-solvers and critical thinkers who are able to fully participate in and positively contribute to society.

## DISTRICT VISION

Central Falls School Districts vision is to continually improve our school system; meet students learning needs; and encourage teachers to perform at a level of expertise that will allow students to be successful in the future.



## LOCAL ADVISORY

The Local Advisory Council (LAC) provides vital information to parents of children with special needs in regards to individual education plan (IEP) as well as federal and state laws. It is a resource that helps parents and educators deliver the best and most appropriate services to the children in their care.

## PARENT ADVISORY

The Parent Advisory Council (PAC) empowers parents to become advocates and leaders within their children's schools. It helps build a partnership between our schools and our families.

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE ADVISORY

The English Language Advisory Council (ELAC) assists parents in understanding the ELL programs that are available to their child as well as their rights. We know that although ELL students come from diverse backgrounds, they have several common needs.



## JOIN US

At the meeting we provide the following:

- Childcare
- Translation
- Light Refreshments

If you plan to attend the meeting, please contact us at least two (2) days prior in order to secure childcare and translation services will be available.

## CONTACT US

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