



Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council

Each year the Wake County Superintendent's office holds four Summit Meetings comprised of: (i) the Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council (SPAC), (ii) the Teacher's Advisory Council (STAC), (iii) the Principal's Advisory Council, (iv) the Support Staff Advisory Council, and (v) select members of the business community through the Wake Education Partnership. The Summit Meetings bring these five critical stakeholders together with the Superintendent and his strategy team to discuss and digest issues critical to the Wake County School System. Each of these stakeholder groups collectively and individually serves as a sounding board and resource for the Superintendent's office.

SPAC is a diverse group of engaged and informed parents who represent the voice of Wake County parents at these Summit Meetings. The Summit Meetings are held four (4) times each school year for 6 hours each. Meetings are held on Thursdays and begin at 8:00am and last until 2:00pm. Council members must be available to attend all four Summit meetings. A member's length of term is 2 years.

If you would like to apply for this position, please complete the following application and return to Diane Dulaney at spac.wcpss@gmail.com, or 207 Whitehall Way, Cary, NC 27511 by **September 30**. You can also email applications to Terri Cobb at tcobb@wcpss.net. Late applications will not be accepted.

A selection committee will screen applications and choose members. Applicants may be interviewed and their principal or PTA President may be contacted as a reference. All who applied will be notified of the selected members of the Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council in early October.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (w) _____ (h) _____

Email: _____

Child(ren)'s School(s): _____

Please list contact information for Principal(s)/PTA officers: _____

Have you served previously? _____. Prior years served. _____

How did you learn about SPAC? _____

(please complete second page of application)

Please answer the following questions on a separate piece of paper. Please make sure that your name is on each page. You should be able to answer each question with a paragraph or less.

1. Please tell us a little bit about yourself.
2. What are your primary reasons for wanting to serve on this council?
3. Are there any special interest areas (i.e. special education, reassignment, academically gifted, Level I or II, etc.) that you would represent?
4. Cite the three biggest challenges facing WCPSS today. Choose one and offer some possible solutions for this problem.

I understand that the time commitment to serve on the Superintendent's Parent Advisory Council is four times a year for 6 hours each meeting and an orientation meeting at the beginning of the year.

Parent's Signature

Date

Please complete the entire application and return to Diane Dulaney, 207 Whitehall Way, Cary, NC 27511 or via email to spac.wcpss@gmail.com or tcobb@wcpss.net by September 30, 2011. **All sections must be completed to be considered for application.**