

OUTREACH PROGRAM

Parenting Program



The Parent Liaison at Calumet Public School District 132 works to bridge the gap between home and school by helping parents get the information and support they need to ensure their child's academic and social success.

Our liaison is the contact person who initiates a close connection/relationship and maintains that communication/link between families and the school in order to ensure concerted action and cooperation on agreed upon goals on both sides.



SD132 LIAISON CONNECTS PARENTS TO THE SCHOOLS

Back to School Nights
Parent/Teacher Conferences
Calls
Notes
Volunteering

CALUMET PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT 132'S PARENT LIAISON CONNECTS WITH FAMILIES TO ADDRESS SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

Contacting Teachers and Social Workers
School Dress Code
Absentee Calls
Registration
Special Education
Summer School
School events



CALUMET PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT 132'S PARENT LIAISON CONNECTS FAMILIES TO AVAILABLE RESOURCES/HELP SUCH AS:

School Supplies
Public Library Use
Programs
Medical Assistance/Glasses
After School Programs
GED/ESL services



PARENT CENTER

Provides a space for parents to feel welcome
Provides parents and families with a room or space for their own use and facilitates communication between families and the school
Provides opportunities for parents to get to know each other and network

Offers educational and socializing opportunities
Serves various needs of families so that parents and other adults can turn their attention to helping and supporting their children The idea is to have a family center in every school building.

Future plans include parent workshops, parent-child activities, make and take sessions, links to ESL/GED programs, computer classes, consumer education, financial planning, homework hotline



TRIPLE P PARENTING PROGRAM

(POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM)

- Eight sessions for our parents
- Teach parenting skills to families in the district- The program is a research based, multi-level system of support to prevent and treat social emotional and behavioral problems in children by enhancing parent knowledge, skills and confidence
- Deals with developing positive relationships, spending quality time with children
- Having conversations with children about their activities and or their interests
- Encouraging desirable behavior, giving praise, providing engaging activities
- Teaching new skills and behaviors, setting good examples, modeling desirable behaviors

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PARENTS NIGHT OUT

In-house sessions where we invite families on the first **Tuesday of each month** to participate in parenting sessions for one hour

Some topics included:

- setting the tone for the new school year
- an introduction to new programs in the school
- interest survey support systems available through the school's assessments
- reading the NWEA reports that your child brings home
- remote learning
- social-emotional learning for students
- social-emotional learning for parents
- fitness
- technology
- family reading night
- family math night
- culinary classes with a professional chef
- Video sessions since the pandemic

