



HVCS Parent Council

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The mission of the Hickory Valley Christian School Parent Council is to ...

- support and encourage HVCS teachers in their ministry of “inspiring the whole child”;
- provide a voice between school board and parents, working through head of school;
- recruit and organize volunteers for school events;
- foster a sense of community among HVCS families.

*“I have no greater joy than to hear that my children
are walking in the truth.”*

Why join Parent Council?

Becoming part of the HVCS Parent Council benefits everyone—your children, our school, and yourselves! Check out what some of the research* has to say ...

A three-year study of 12,000 high school students concluded that “when parents come to school regularly, it reinforces the view in the child’s mind that school and home are connected and that school is an integral part of the whole family’s life.” And when parents get involved early, the results are more pronounced and long-lasting. When parents are involved in their children’s education, the children are more likely to:

- earn better grades.
- score higher on tests.
- pass their classes.
- attend school regularly.
- have better social skills.
- show improved behavior.
- be more positive in their attitude toward school.
- complete homework assignments.
- graduate and continue their education.

Schools with involved parents enjoy:

- better morale among teachers.
- higher ratings of teachers by parents.
- more support from families.
- a better reputation in the community.

When parents become involved in their children's education, the parents are more likely to:

- be more confident at school.
- be more confident in themselves as parents and their ability to help their children learn.
- be held in higher esteem by teachers and have teachers expect more from their children.
- enroll in continuing education to advance their own schooling.

* Based on research by New York University's Institute for Education and Social Policy.

Interested? Fill out and submit the attached form or email
HVCSParentCouncil@gmail.com for more information!

I want to be involved with Parent Council!

Name: _____

Email address: _____

Phone number(s): _____

Please list the two best numbers for reaching you.

HVCS student(s): _____

Please list names and grades.



I can be at some / most meetings *and* volunteer throughout the school year at various events.

I cannot attend morning meetings but *can* volunteer at the school when needed.

I am not available during the school day but am available for night, weekend, or at-home volunteer opportunities.

If you have a specific area of expertise, or if there is a particular area in which you’d like to help, please share it below. Use opposite side if needed.