**Parent-Teacher Partnerships for Student Success**



**Module 3: Equality and Decision Making**

**Materials Needed**

\* FACILITATORS

* Copy of powerpoint with notes / talking points
* Implementation Checklist
* Materials and Resources document
* Module Summary
* Session Highlights document

\* HANDOUTS

* Copy of powerpoint
* Bright Ideas
* Decision-Making Activities Document
* Session Feedback

\* OPTIONAL

Activities:

* Ice Breaker
* Equality Activities document
* Summary Type 5 – Decision-Making (Epstein, et al, p.157 or print from disk)
* An Inventory of Present Practices of School, Family, and Community Partnerships (Epstein, et.al., p. 177)
* Measure of School, Family, and Community Partnerships (Epstein, et. al., p. 328)
* Are Two Heads Better Than One

Videos

* Parent Involvement- Be an Active Part of Decision Making (2:06) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DKRyiYGAt80>

\* OTHER

* Blank paper / sticky notes
* Folders (optional)
* Group Rules
* Markers / pens / pencils
* Poster or chart paper
* Timer

**Text and Web Resources**

Epstein, Joyce L & Associates. (2009). *School, Family, and Community Partnerships (3rd ed.)*. CA: Corwin Press.

Glasgow, Neal A. & Whitney, Paula J. (2009). *What Successful Schools Do To Involve Families: 55 Partnership Strategies*. CA: Corwin Press.

Henderson, Anne T., Mapp, Karen L., Johnson, Vivian R., & Davies, Don (2007). *Beyond the Bake Sale: The Essential Guide to Family-School Partnerships.* NY: The New Press.

Turnbull, Ann, Turnbull, Rud, Erwin, Elizabeth J., Soodak, Leslie C., &Shogren, Karrie A. (2015). *Families, Professionals, and Exceptionality (7th ed.).* NJ: Pearson Education, Inc.

YouTube - Parent Involvement- Be an Active Part of Decision Making (2:06) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DKRyiYGAt80>

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