

Six Simple Things You Can Do To Be An Informed Parent



1. **Attend your local PTA meetings, be engaged at your local school and in your child's education.**
2. **Look for opportunities to become involved in your school or school district. Volunteer for committees such as the School Site Council.**
3. **Go to School Board meetings. Request to be on the mail notice list to receive minutes from meetings. Speak at board meetings, if you have a concern or question.**
4. **Read your school and PTA newsletter. Check and read your PTA, school and district websites often.**



5. **Sign up to receive electronic CAPTA Leg Alerts and Fourth District PTA Leg-Link. Download the *Advocacy Communicator* from www.fourthdistrictpta.org .**
6. **Join a group and visit your local legislator. Ask questions. Talk about issues that are important to you. Become actively involved.**

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