## School Site Council Training

## Session \#2 Composition of the School Site Council and Elections

## SLIDE 3 - COMPOSITION OF SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL, Elementary

- Parent or community membership is equal to school staff membership.
- Classroom teachers must be in the majority of the staff side.
- "Other School Personnel" includes: other administrative positions, other nonclassroom teacher positions, and all site classified personnel.
- Recommended council is composed of 10 members.

| COUNCIL SIZE | PARENTS | PRINCIPAL | TEACHERS | OTHER STAFF |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 10 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| 12 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 1 |
| 14 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| 14 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 2 |

Notice that the Parent total = Principal, teacher and staff combined total

## SLIDE 4 - COMPOSITION OF SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL, Secondary

- Parents, community members, and students equally share half of the council.
- Classroom teachers must be in the majority of the staff side.
" "Other School Personnel" includes: other administrative positions, other nonclassroom teacher positions, and all site classified personnel.
- Recommended council is composed of 12 members.

| COUNCIL SIZE | PARENTS | STUDENTS | PRINCIPAL | TEACHERS | OTHER STAFF |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| 16 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| 20 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 7 | 2 |
| 20 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 8 | 1 |
| 20 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 3 |

Notice that the Parent/Student total = Principal, teacher and staff combined total

## SLIDE 5 - ELECTIONS

The council shall be composed of the principal and representatives of:

- Teachers selected by teachers at the school
- "Other school personnel" - selected by school
- Community members may serve on the SSC if they are selected by parents.
- Parents of pupils attending the school selected by parents in secondary school
- Pupils selected by pupils attending the school


## SLIDE 6 - VACANCIES

Vacancies can be filled by:

- An election by the appropriate representative group
- An appointment by the remaining members of the peer group (only peer group members appoint)
- The seating of a previously elected alternate to fill the remainder of the term

The person who filled the vacancy only serves for the duration of the elected person's term.

