

BC Confederation of Parent Advisory Councils (BCCPAC)

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Our vision is to improve public education for all students by including and supporting parents.

BCCPAC Directors' Code of Ethics

I accept a position on the BC Confederation of Parent Advisory Councils Board of Directors and promise to:

1. Maintain a high standard of conduct.
2. Work cooperatively to fulfill the goals of the Board.
3. Commit to being a part of the team and be frank with other Board members.
4. Volunteer for or be appointed to committees based on my ability to best serve the needs of the Confederation.
5. Be willing to review my work with other Board members and the general members.
6. Support Board decisions in spite of personal concerns or reservations.
7. Express concerns about proposed actions while they are under consideration, so that these may be taken into account before a decision is made.
8. Share privileged or private information relevant to Board business at the Board table.
9. Speak and act towards other members with respect and dignity, mindful of other members' rights and sensibilities.
10. Direct any criticism of the action of other Board members to that member first, and then if necessary, after informing that Board member, may direct the criticism in confidence to the President and/or Vice-presidents.
11. Treat with discretion any discussions with a parent with a concern, respecting the confidentiality of the people involved.
12. Seek to represent the parent perspective to all the groups in education, focusing on the best interests of the students.
13. Keep membership lists confidential.
14. Direct any requests for a statement on behalf of the Confederation to the President.
15. Give up all duties, rights and responsibilities of a Board member upon resignation.