

### **SCHOOL-CONNECTED ORGANIZATIONS**

The Holmdel Township Board of Education encourages the efforts and support of general, voluntary, school-connected organizations of parents/guardians, school staff and friends of the school in each building.

The objectives of these organizations shall be:

- A. To promote pupil welfare;
- B. To develop close relationships between the home and the school; and
- C. To develop united efforts between educators and the public.

Organizations shall not use the district's name in their titles without the Board's express consent. Such permission to use the district's name does not constitute permission to act as the district's representative. In addition, these organizations may not establish educational policy, participate in the administration of the school, or authorize management and direction of school officers.

The Board shall promote communications among the group, but shall not make it a practice to interfere in the internal workings of such groups.

Permission to hold regular meetings of such associations in school facilities will be extended by the Board of Education for a particular school year, in accordance with policy #1330.

The school principal shall serve as adviser to the general parent/teacher organization. All members of the professional staff shall be encouraged to join the organization and to participate in its activities.

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<b><u>Legal References:</u></b>	<u>N.J.S.A.</u>	18A:11-1	General mandatory powers and duties
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u>	18A:54-20	Powers of board (county vocational schools)
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u>	6:8-2.1(a)7i	State educational goals

Manual for the Evaluation of Local School Districts (June 1993)

**Possible**

<b>Cross References:</b>	*1000/1010	Concepts and roles in community relations; goals and objectives
	*1100	Communicating with the public
	1210	Community organizations
	*1330	Use of school facilities
	*3280	Gifts, grants and bequests
	4136	Meetings/committees
	*5136	Fund-raising activities
	*5020	Role of parents/guardians
	*6010	Goals and objectives

\*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.

