

# The School Community Network's Building Block Framework



Shared Leadership

Families, teachers, and administrators acting together in decision making – especially in areas where responsibilities of school and home overlap

Goals & Roles

Written, agreed-upon guidelines that establish a course of evidence-based practices which students, teachers, and families will follow together to create and maintain a unified system that supports student success

Communication

Ongoing conversations; interactive communication among the families, students, and teachers that builds relationships based on trust and makes collaborative work possible

Education

A learning community for everyone – families, students, teachers, school staff, and volunteers – where members are provided with education opportunities that build their capacity to fulfill their roles and responsibilities

Connection

Face-to-face association (families-school staff and parent-parent) with opportunities to form common understanding and engage in common experiences

***Shared Leadership and Goals & Roles offer the best results when supported by Communication, Education, and Connection***