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Albemarle County Public Schools



Framing Community Engagement



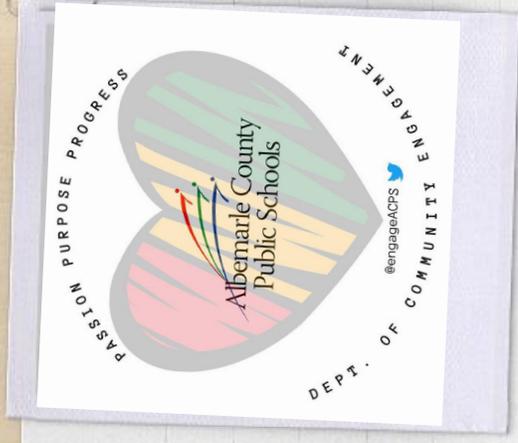
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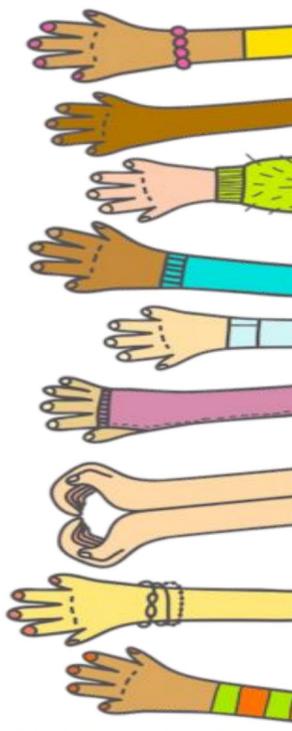


Areas of Focus

**Community Engagement
& Empowerment**



**Equity in Education &
Special Programs**



Communications

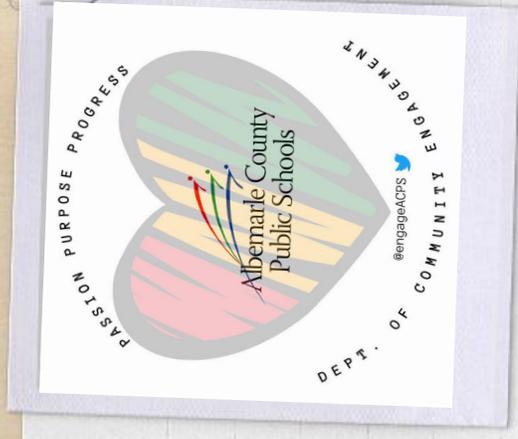


Programs

- Extended Day Enrichment Program
- Community Education
- Drivers Education
- Equity Education
- Volunteers & Community Partners

Events

- Community Empowerment
- ACPS Forums
- Community Informational Sessions
- School Board Magisterial Meetings
- Open Doors
- Equity Conference



Policies Related to our Work

- Equity Education Policy
- Anti-Racism Policy
- Transgender, Gender-Expansive Policy
- School Naming Policy

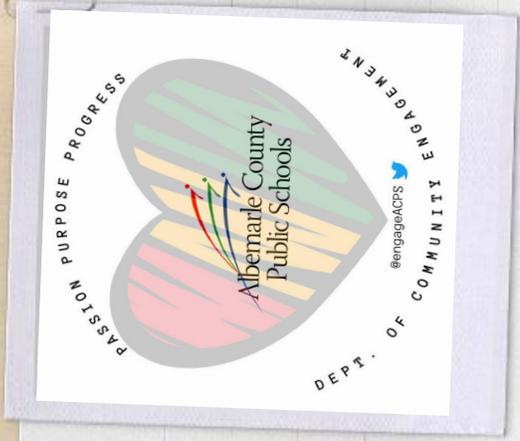


Services & Collaborations

- Provide support to schools regarding culturally responsive teacher training
- Specific training for SBIT teams focused on the unique needs of teachers & support personnel working with students with special needs
- Conducting equity audits with administrator proactively respond to the needs of the schools
- Community information sessions on topics of interest for our community

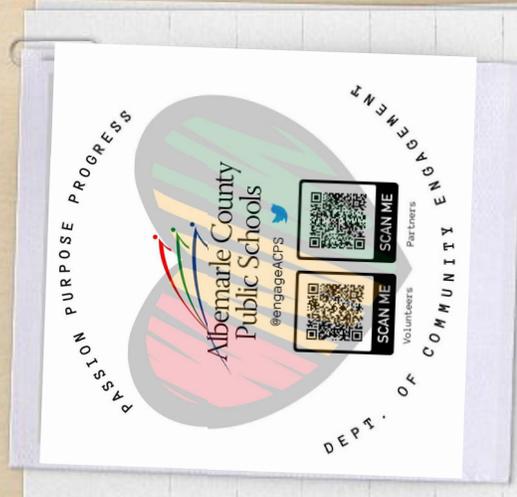


Community Engagement & Volunteers



Schools and Volunteers

- Designated volunteer coordinator at each school
- Streamlining and making the volunteer registration process accessible to more families
- Working with schools to identify need and structure volunteer opportunities
- Identifying volunteer sources



School and Community Partnerships



Types of Community Partners

Work-based Learning Partner: Partnerships in which schools partner with local industry for CTE & CCCRI opportunities

Corporate Partners: Partnerships dedicated to supporting schools or the division financially, donations or other similar means.

Non-Profit Partners: Partnerships that provide direct services to students, families or staff

Educational Partners: Partners that provide educational support to our schools in the way of experiential opportunities,

Religious Partners: Faith-based community partners working with schools and/or the division to support schools, families, and communities

Local Community Partners: Partners (any of the above) that work with a specific school or geographic area

Empowered Communities

- Our goal is to develop a clear framework that moves schools through the engagement continuum in order to empower their families and communities.



Re-Engagement Data

- We have over 100 community partners engaging with ACPS
- We have over 1700 volunteers registered and serving ACPS
- We have over 150 educators expected to complete their micro-credentialing
- Currently we are planning an Equity & Opportunities Fair to highlight ACPS's equity work and recruit educators from across VA



Upcoming Events

- 1/10/23 Magisterial Meeting: Rivanna District
 - 1/25/23 Community Information Session
 - 1/30/23 Scottsville Community Meeting
 - 2/18/23 Equity and Opportunities Fair
 - 2/21/23 ACPS Family Forum
 - 2/22/23 Community Information Session
- (TBD)



