



Tenafly
PUBLIC SCHOOLS



TENAFLY SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (SEPAC)

<p>WHAT IS TENAFLY SEPAC?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tenafly SEPAC is the Tenafly Public School District’s Special Education Parent Advisory Committee
<p>WHO CAN PARTICIPATE IN TENAFLY SEPAC?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anyone committed to supporting learning for ALL students in the District can participate, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ parents committed to ensuring that ALL students have an effective, healthy rewarding school day, each and every day; ○ parents of students with disabilities who may have an Individualized Education Program (IEP) or 504 plan who may attend schools either within or outside the District; ○ district and school leaders, including the Director of Special Services, members of the District Administration and Board of Education trustees; and ○ Child Study Team members and other school professionals or service providers.
<p>WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF TENAFLY SEPAC?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tenafly SEPAC is a solution-oriented parent advisory group that <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ represents families of students who receive special education and related services through the District; and ○ provides direct input to District leaders regarding policies, programs and services, and system-level challenges, in special education and related services.
<p>HOW DOES TENAFLY SEPAC HELP DRIVE CHANGES IN THE DISTRICT?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEPAC helps by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ collaborating and facilitating engagement and open, transparent communication to create the best possible outcomes for ALL learners; ○ sharing information about relevant programs and events in the District and community; and ○ organizing formal and informal educational meetings and other events to inform and support parents.
<p>HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You can participate by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ attending monthly meetings with District representatives (generally on the first Wednesday of every month); ○ attending parents-only monthly meetings (generally on the third Wednesday of every month); and ○ volunteering to help out and support other parents.
<p>HOW CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION AND BE ADDED TO THE TENAFLY SEPAC MAILING LIST?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Send an email to TenaflySEPAC@gmail.com • Check the Tenafly Public Schools SEPAC site: https://www.tenaflyschools.org/departments/special-services/sepac • Follow our private Facebook group Tenafly SEPAC https://www.facebook.com/groups/645388119515595