Merchantville School District

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Merchantville School Parent Liaison

A Parent Liaison is the designated individual based at Merchantville School whose function is to connect the home and school in a positive, respectful, and welcoming manner. Parent Liaisons play a dual role of ambassadorship - representing the school through thoughtful, meaningful, and culturally appropriate communications. The Parent Liaison can be an effective connection between home and school when both positive and challenging information needs to be shared by both parents and school.

Parents sometimes need guidance and assistance navigating the educational process. A Parent Liaison can be contacted to help answer those questions and concerns and walk people through the educational processes such as:

- School expectations
- School policies
- Understanding the Grading Process
- Attendance policies
- Student Discipline Issues
- HIB
- Child Study Team Referrals
- The process for addressing concerns about teachers or classroom policies
- Any other questions or concerns that parents may have.

The parent liaison can accompany parents to meetings with school personnel in an effort to help sit in on school meetings at the request of parents to help.

Merchantville School's Parent Liaison is Sonya Hart.

Parents can reach out to the Main Office or directly to Mrs. Hart at 856-663-1091 Ext 109 to set up a time to meet and discuss any questions or concerns.