

STUDENT SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER TOOLKIT



Special Section:
for Community Members

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FOR COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Value of a Student Board Member

- The student voice is under-represented in school board meetings. If you don't have a student at the high school, the student member can help keep you informed.

What Are Your Responsibilities?

- Keep up with school board meetings and activity.
- Communicate questions, concerns, or opinions to the board.

Key Tips for Success

- Attend school board meetings.
- Respect the perspective and unique experience of the student board member. At meetings, treat the student board member with the same respect as other board members.
- Support student voice in your community.



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Additional Resources

- Hart's Ladder: <https://bit.ly/hartsladderg>
- Center for American Progress Continuum of Student Voice: <https://bit.ly/svcontinuum>