

## **Policy Council Meeting Schedule**

**Policy Council meets the second Tuesday of Month from 6-9 PM. Childcare is not provided. Information is mailed to you in advance of the meeting.**

**August 13, 2019  
September 10, 2019  
October 8, 2019  
October 24, 2019 Training Day  
November 12, 2019  
December 10, 2019  
January 7, 2020  
February 11, 2020  
March 10, 2020  
April 14, 2020  
May 12, 2020  
June 9, 2020  
July no meeting  
August 11, 2020  
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### What is Policy Council

Policy Council is a group of interested parents and community volunteers working on behalf of Head Start.

### Why would I want to join?

Serving on Policy Council provides parent volunteers with many opportunities. You can:

- ~ Learn leadership skills
- ~ Attend training
- ~ Provide input on parent concerns
- ~ Be a state representative
- ~ Serve on several different committees
- ~ Evaluate the program
- ~ Review program policies, goals and budget
- ~ Learn more about your community and what Head Start has to offer

### Want to know more?

Talk with your teacher or family service staff for more information.

### Yikes! Do I have the experience?

No experience is necessary, just a willingness to be involved. Head Start provides the training on Policy Council roles and responsibilities.

### OK, I might be interested, but what am I committing to?

The training will happen in October. The Policy Council meets once a month; members must commit to attending at least 8 of 10 meetings. Food is provided. You receive supplemental funds for transportation and childcare.

### Who is in charge of these meetings?

Policy Council elects an executive group: chair, vice-chair, secretary, treasurer, historian, and parliamentarian. The executive group is in charge of the meetings, with support from Head Start staff.