

**School Board of Charlotte County, Florida
RESOLUTION 2022-002**

Affirming the Rights of Parents as Partners in Education

WHEREAS, Charlotte County Public Schools has always fostered a relationship of partnership and involvement between parents and school staff; and

WHEREAS, parents are their children's first teacher and are primarily responsible for the upbringing, education, and care of their children; and

WHEREAS, providing the highest quality public education is critically important and requires meaningful collaboration between families, educators, school board members, and communities; and

WHEREAS, the education of children comprises of a variety of activities used by families and communities to teach content and skills, including social, behavior and culture; and

WHEREAS, students and families are entitled to equitable access and fairness from the public-school district; and

WHEREAS, public school districts welcome and rely on the support of families and communities to foster effective partnerships; and

WHEREAS, all educators and school board members should support and respect the relationship between families and their children; and

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board of Charlotte County will continue to support all school district staff to honor parents as the child's first teacher and collaborate with families to continue to provide a safe environment and ensure parents' rights are respected when it comes to decisions about their children's education and safety.

ADOPTED THIS THE 10th DAY OF May, 2022.

Charlotte County School Board, Florida

By: _____

Name: Ian Vincent, Chairman