

City School District of Albany

Celebrating the important role of parents in student achievement

Dorothy Nicholas

Sheridan Preparatory Academy

A new parent to Sheridan Prep during the 2008-09 school year, Dorothy quickly got involved. She is vice president of the Parent-Teacher Organization and is a regular volunteer at school.

“As a parent, I can make an enormous difference in my children’s chances of success in school, at home and later in life. Working in partnership with my children’s school can help them better succeed and broaden their accomplishments and achievements. As for me, I sacrifice and serve as a role model for my children. As a mother, I must be able to analyze and determine my children’s personalities, strengths and also weaknesses, thus making each one his or her own individual. Being involved in my children’s education or school is one of my greatest achievements that will help and shape them into becoming a success tomorrow.”

