



## Special Education Advisory Council Purpose and Mission

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The Special Education Advisory Council (SEAC) is made up of parents and professionals who are interested in promoting parent involvement at Prairie Creek Community School.

We believe that one of the most important aspects of special education is the role played by parents in the education of their children with special needs. Parents are critical participants in ensuring the long-term success of their children, as Prairie Creek Community School seeks ways in which to best meet the needs of our students receiving special education.

The purpose of SEAC is to create a forum for administrators, teachers and parents of students receiving special education services to come together for the continuous improvement of Prairie Creek Community School's special education services through collective planning and parent education.

SEAC will...

- Work collaboratively to improve educational outcomes for students with disabilities.
- Advocate for children with disabilities and, on behalf of those children, for parents of children with disabilities.
- Provide a forum for parents to share ideas and information.
- Provide information about programs and resources in the community to further support the needs of families of children with disabilities.
- Provide educational opportunities for parents to learn about additional ways to support their child.

SEAC will meet annually in the spring.