



Have You Held Your SIC Elections for 2014-15?

The statutory deadline for election of parent and teacher SIC members (and students, in the case of high schools) is **October 15**. As part of the SIC elections process, solicit nominations (people can self-nominate or nominate others), asking for brief bios on nominees and why they'd like to be elected to your SIC. Include these bios (and a picture if possible) on your ballot materials. Elections can be conducted by paper ballot sent home with students, at open houses, during PTA/PTO meetings, and at faculty meetings. Remember that parents are to elect other parents, teachers elect fellow teachers, and students elect their peers to serve on the SIC. Make sure to advertise both the nominations process and elections in your school newsletter, on your school marquee, the school's website, and by any other means you believe will maximize participation.

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