

Active Parents Worksheets

Strategy Review Worksheet

Take a moment to consider each of the strategies presented in this section. Mark the scale provided with the description that best reflects your response to that strategy and its sub sections.

Strategy 1: Create and encourage communication between home and school

- *Become informed*
- *Provide information*
- *Share information*

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- This is a good idea; I can begin this strategy. I'm ready to set up a planning team.

For this strategy, take a moment to record your thoughts for putting it into action.

Who do you need to work with to put this strategy in action?

What resources can you use?

What resources do you need?

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Strategy 2: Build cooperative parent-school connections

- Encourage parents and school staff to work together
- Establish a culture of trust
- Use mentors /coaches

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Strategy 3: Become an advocate

- *Take on new responsibilities*
- *Reach out*
- *Give it the time it takes*

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