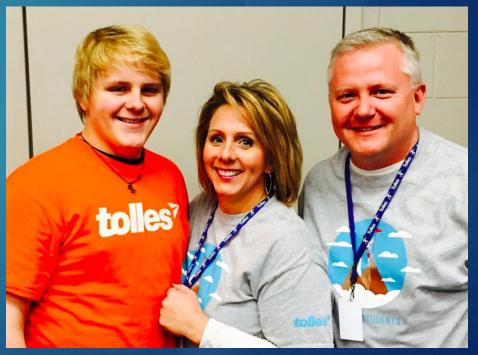
Parent Engagement Plan P.E.P. Talk



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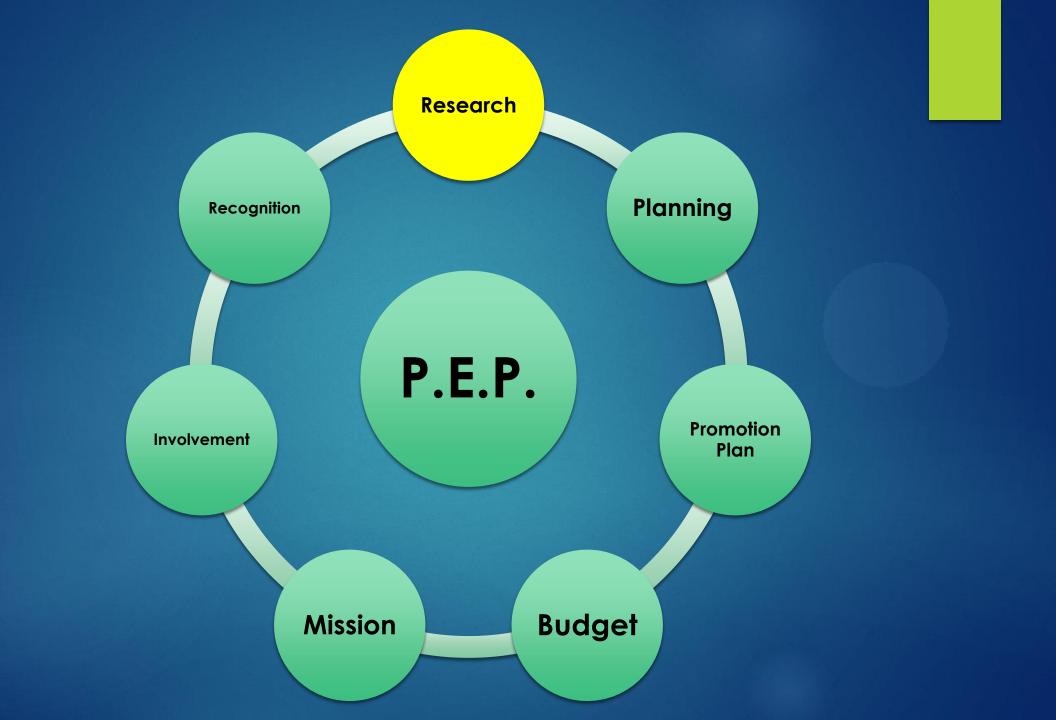
Julie Steiner
Intervention Specialist

Eva Harrison
Parent Advisory Board Member



How do you currently engage parents?





History of Parent Advisory Board

Name: Board

Role: Advisors

Which night of the week to meet: Tuesdays

What time: 7pm

How often: Every other month



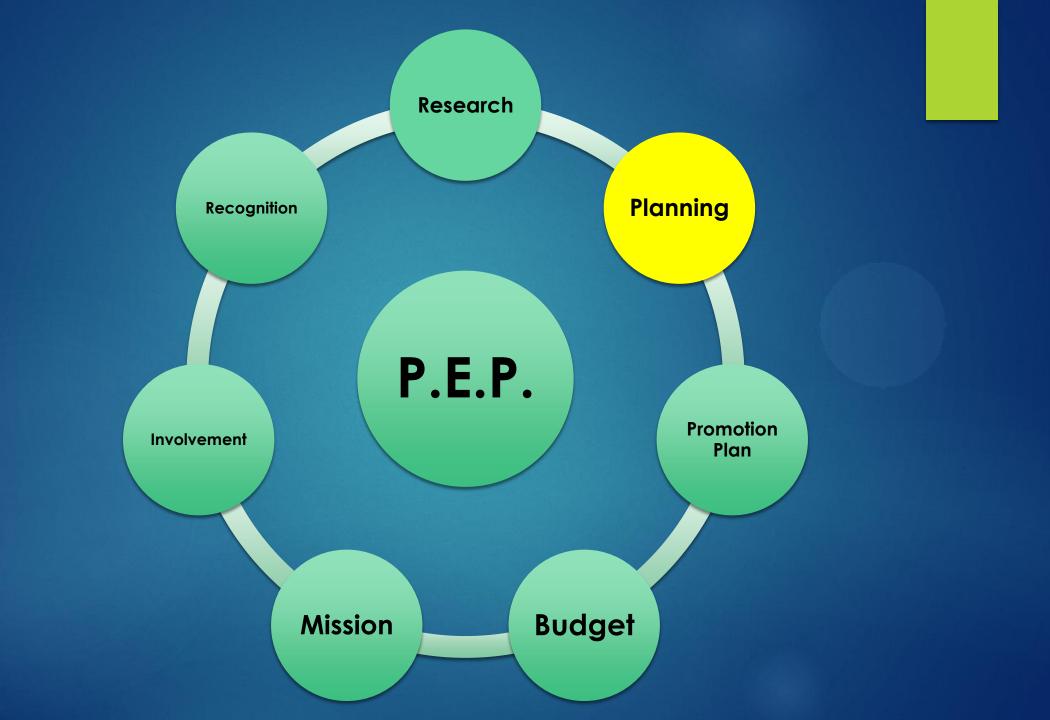
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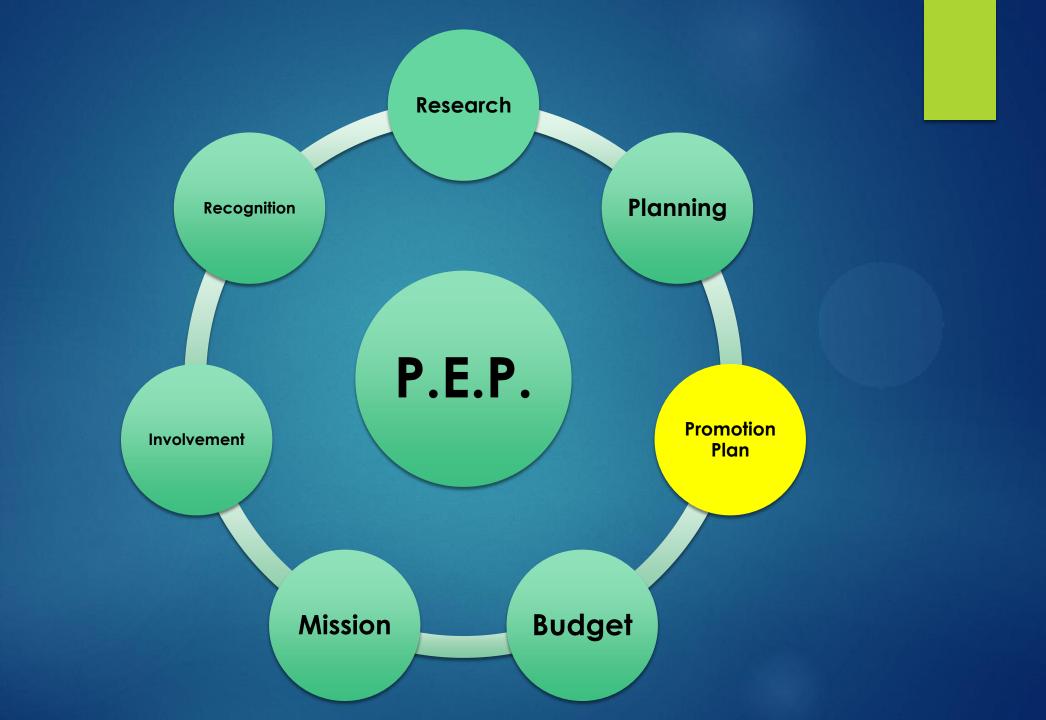
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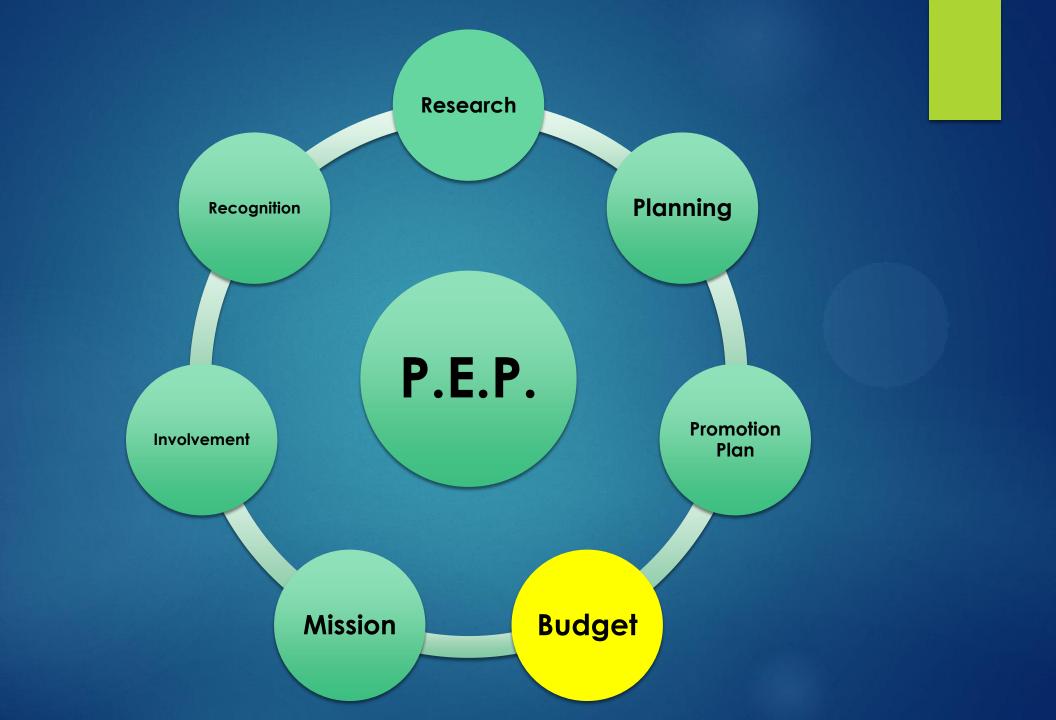
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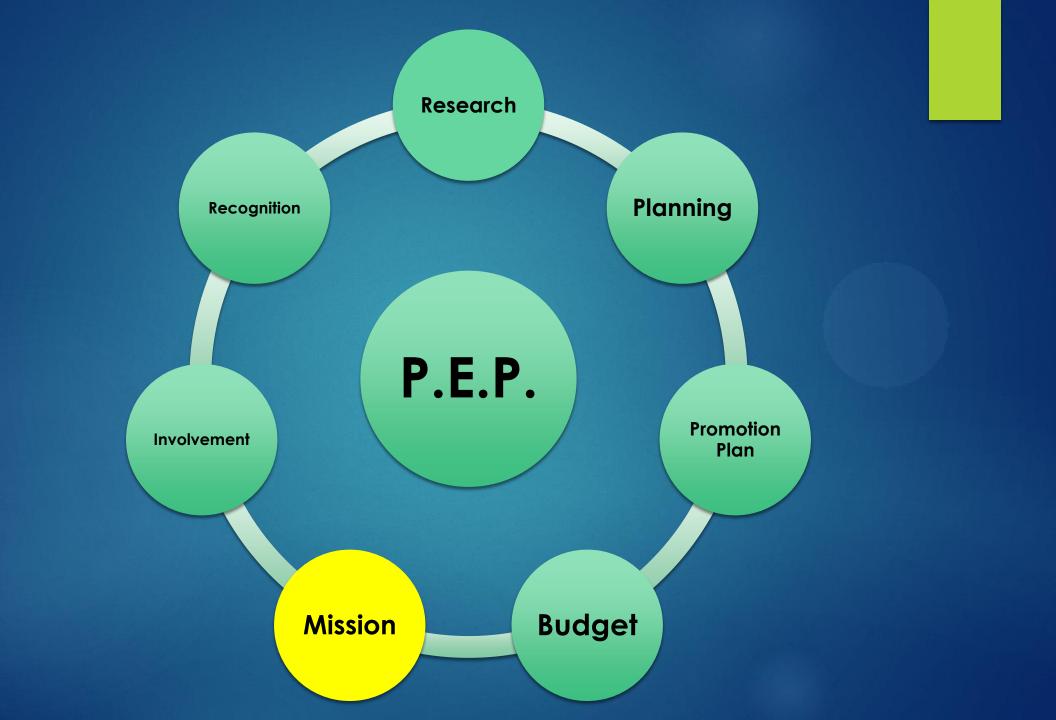
When Parents are Involved

- ► Higher grades, test scores, and graduation rates
- Better school attendance
- Increased motivation, better self-esteem
- Lower rates of suspension
- Decreased use of drugs and alcohol
- Fewer instances of violent behavior









Organization of Meetings

- Agenda
- Informing Parents
 - Lab Exploration
 - Academic Information
- Committees
 - ▶ Educating others about Tolles
 - Student/Teacher Recognition



Educating others about Tolles

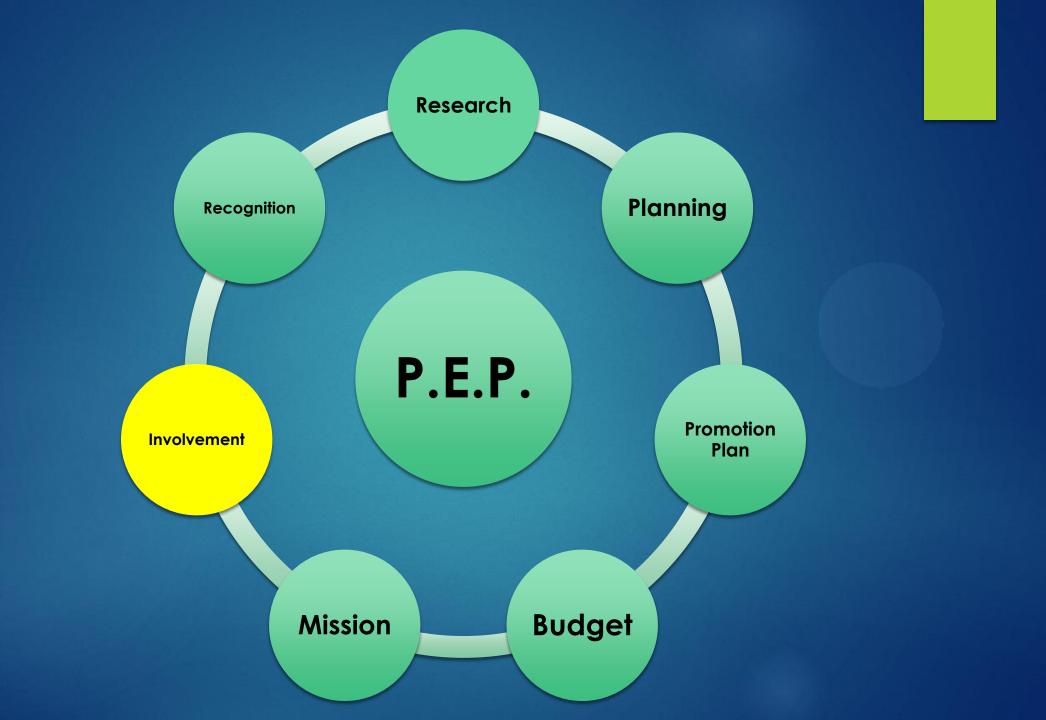
- Booths at Festivals
- Community Meetings
- Parent Panel



Student/Teacher Recognition

- LIFT Award Ceremony
- Teacher Appreciation Week





Why I chose to be a member

- Being a part of my child's education
- Educating others about Tolles
- Watching students "find" themselves and grow



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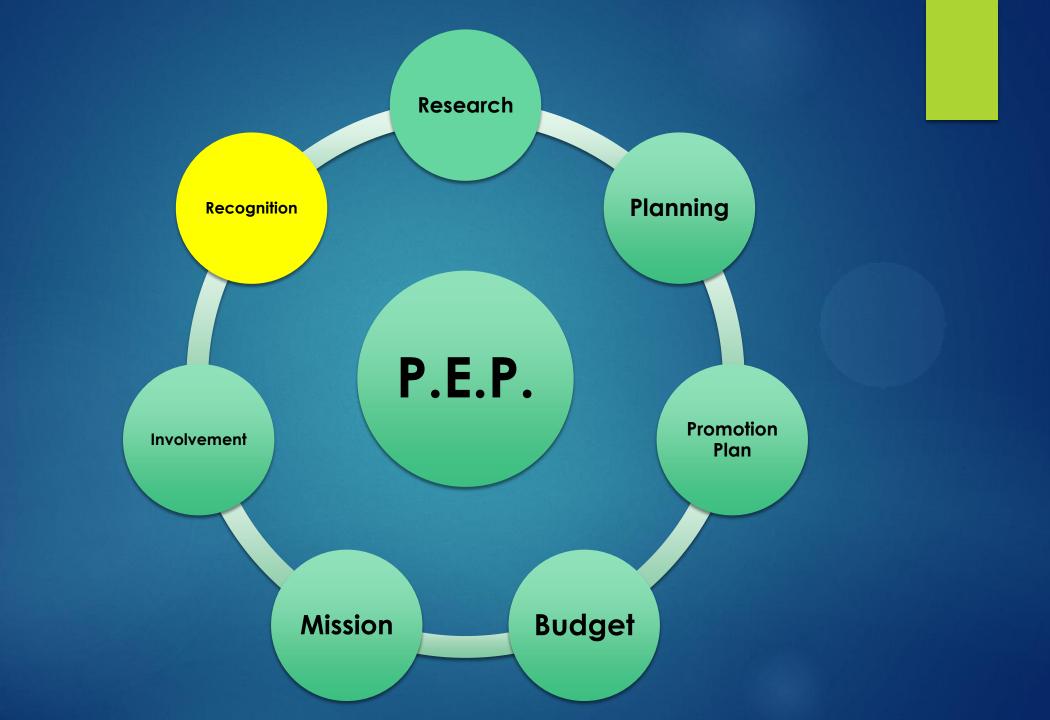
- Schools which are most successful have a variety of ways for parents to be involved
 - Flexibility
 - Willingness



Volunteer Opportunities

- Open House
- College Fair
- Veteran's Day provide dessert
- Parent/Teacher Conferences provide dessert
- Tour Days
- Principal Meeting Guest Speakers
- First Chance Application Night
- Tolles U (Open House)
- LIFT Award
- Certification Ceremony
- Prom
- Teacher Appreciation





Parent Dinner



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