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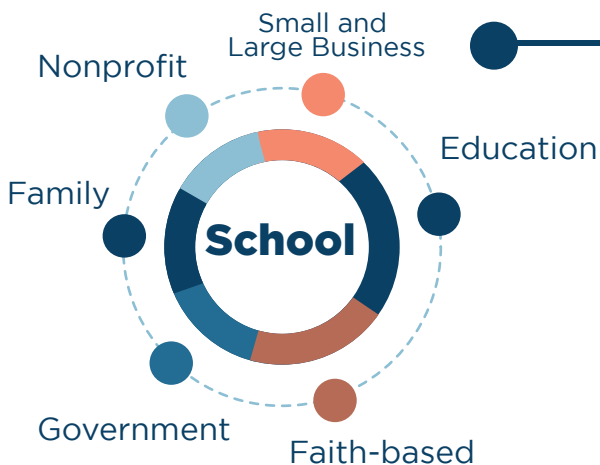## Connecting Schools to Community

School Connect is a way to bring diverse networks together to serve OKCPS schools, students and teachers. We focus on improving teacher retention, student and staff attendance, and their learning environments by offering support and resources in these areas to ensure student and teacher success in Oklahoma City Public Schools.

- PBIS
- Classroom Support
- Supplies and Resources
- Mentors
- Teacher Appreciation

What are the results for our schools?

Teacher Retention

By creating a supportive and conducive work environment that encourages educators, we can positively impact the quality of education our students receive and maintain stability in a school or in our district.

Student & Staff Attendance

High attendance rates are crucial for effective teaching and learning. For students, consistent attendance is linked to academic success, while for staff, it promotes a healthy and stable work environment.

Learning Environment

We believe the learning environment encompasses the physical, social, and emotional conditions in which teaching and learning takes place. It plays a pivotal role in shaping students' academic progress and overall well-being and fosters engagement, motivation, and achievement for both students and staff.

- Nonprofit
- Small and Large Business
- Family
- School
- Education
- Government
- Faith-based

Diverse Partners Come Together to Support Our Schools

Schools understand the strengths and needs of the students and families in their community. School Connect CAFE (Community and Family Engagement) events bring together key stakeholders in the community and create strategically networked leadership teams that work to achieve key goals and fulfill needs for OKCPS schools.