

# About ADVISORY GROUPS

## GUIDING FORCE — ADVISORY COUNCILS

TO FULFILL THE GOAL OF MORE INVOLVEMENT IN THE SCHOOLS, THE AREA AND DISTRICT ADVISORY COUNCILS WERE CREATED FOR DoDDS DURING 1997-1998. LISTED BELOW ARE DESCRIPTIONS OF THE ADVISORY COUNCILS.

### ADVISORY COUNCIL ON DEPENDENTS' EDUCATION (ACDE)

The ACDE advises the Secretary of Defense and the DoDDS director about issues essential to maintaining a quality educational system. The Council is composed of 12 members jointly appointed by the Secretary of Defense and Secretary of Education to include school administrators; members of education associations, institutions, or agencies; members of professional employee organizations or unions; representatives from the military command, parents, and a DoDDS student.

### DEPENDENTS EDUCATION COUNCIL (DEC)

Through the Dependents Education Council, a consultative relationship exists between the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Force Management Policy, and the Director of DoD Dependents Schools (DoDDS) and the Commanders of Unified Combatant Commands, major Service Commands and the Military Services. Through this forum, General or Flag Offices representing each of the member commands exchange information and make recommendations on policy matters relating to facilities, logistics, and administrative support provided to DoDDS by the Military Services. Additionally, this Council provides a forum to dis-

- discuss a broad range of issues related to the administration of the DoDDS and the delivery of high quality education services.

### AREA ADVISORY COUNCIL (AAC)

- The AAC advises the area superintendent on matters of concern to the superintendent and a majority of the advisory committee. These matters may include issues that have arisen from School Advisory Committees or District Advisory Committees that have been elevated to the military's theater advisory committee level.

### DISTRICT ADVISORY COUNCIL (DAC)

- The DAC advises the district superintendent on matters of concern to the superintendent and to a majority of the advisory committee. These matters may include issues that have arisen from School Advisory Committees and that have been elevated to the military's district advisory committee level.

### School Advisory Committee (SAC)

- The SAC is composed of an equal number of locally elected parents of students enrolled in the school and full-time professional employees of the school. A senior high school student enrolled in the school may also be a voting member. The committee advises the school principal about all local school related matters to include budget, curriculum and instruction, policies, and support functions.

# 1998-1999 ADVISORY COUNCIL on Dependents' Education

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# Where *w e ' r e* going

DoDEA's efforts to prepare all students for success in the new millennium are guided by the Community Strategic Plan. Developed in 1995, the Strategic Plan sets forth goals and benchmarks for schools and students through the year 2000. It is now time to assess our progress and craft the next phase of the DoDEA Strategic Plan, the framework that will guide our schools for the first five years of the next century.

Parents, military commands and educators will work together as advocates for continued educational excellence as they set the revised benchmarks. As the annual DoDEA Accountability Report indicates, great progress has already been made. The focus now must be on the strategies and interventions that will accelerate learning, enhance achievement, and ensure the optimal performance of every student. Only those prepared to function independently in a rapidly evolving, highly complex global marketplace will successfully meet the challenges of the next century.

DoDEA is creating the learning environments that will educate students for that future success.

We would like to thank you for your continued expressions of support and appreciation for the work that is being performed by our staff and students worldwide.

In the many letters we have received recognizing the staff's dedication and commitment, it is apparent that you, the stakeholders, sense the constancy of purpose from which that dedication grows. We will continue to strive to merit your trust and confidence.



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