SUN AREA TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

SECTION: COMMUNITY

TITLE: CLASSROOM VISITATION BY

PARENTS/GUARDIANS

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907.1. CLASSROOM VISITATION BY PARENTS/GUARDIANS

1. Purpose

In order to maintain effective educational programs for all students in the Center, it is essential to eliminate as many distractions from instruction as possible. This policy applies to the Center classrooms.

2. Definition

A **parent** is defined as the person or agency legally responsible for the well-being of the child.

3. Guidelines

Parents/Guardians may visit their child in a Center classroom at any time after they have identified themselves to the building principal and the classroom teacher, unless there are legal visitation restrictions.

If the visit is for an inquiry about their child's educational program, parents/guardians should make an appointment with the teacher prior to the visit.

If the purpose of the visit is to observe their child, the parents/guardians shall contact the building principal to schedule the observation with a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours' notification.

Classroom visitations by parents/guardians shall be limited to a maximum of one (1) hour unless the building principal approves arrangement for extended time and are contingent upon completion of the Parent Classroom Visitation Instructions.

The classroom teacher reserves the right to terminate any classroom visitation; if the visitation is substantially affecting normal classroom procedures, or is disruptive to the educational programming of the children.

Parents/Guardians of children currently or potentially assigned to a classroom shall be made aware of the Center's confidentiality policies by the building principal verbally or in written form.