

Welcome to Nova High School's School Advisory Forum 2022-2023

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Meetings will be held on the following dates and begin immediately following the SAC meetings in Nova High Media Center.

August 29 September 19 October 24 November 28 December 19 Canceled January 30 February 27 March 27 April 24 May 22

What is SAF?

The School Advisory Forum facilitates discussions between parents, students, teachers, administrators, and community members on issues that impact the educational process affecting an individual school. Each school, by school board policy, has a SAF. Everyone in the school community is a member of the School Advisory Forum. There are no membership dues! SAF is open to all members of the school & community, together we will:

- Plan, develop, and implement parent/community programs and training activities.
- Address parent/community concerns; work with administration to solve problems and initiate desired changes.
- Identify and coordinates the use of community resources to improve student achievement and school effectiveness.
- Participate in increasing/sustaining high levels of community support for the school.
- Assist SAC in identifying the educational needs and priorities of the school.
- Participate in the preparation of the budget, and review budget related concerns.
- Advocated for positive change in the school.
- Remain current with school, district, state, and national issues.
- Jointly works with School Board Members, Superintendent, and local Government officials.
- Facilities, Safety, Legislative, ESE, ESOL, Boundaries, Curriculum, Dress code, and Transportation are all issues addressed by SAF. (excerpted from the Broward County Public Parent Involvement website)