

**DCSD District Accountability Committee  
Membership Recommendations  
May 9, 2023**

**Individuals Recommended to Fill Current Vacancies**

**The District Accountability Committee (DAC) recommends membership for three (3) Parent Representatives and one (1) Community Representative. Individuals Recommended to Fill Vacancies.**

Parent Representatives

**Allison Fox**

Legend High School Feeder Area  
First Term: June 2023-June 2025

“I recently moved to Colorado with my young family in June and am hoping to grow deep roots in the community. I believe in the power of community and strongly believe that all children deserve a quality education. I am a good listener, enthusiastic, optimistic and can communicate with others in a respectful manner. I have been a social worker for 8 years with a passion for serving others, as well as have robust experience working with childhood and adolescent mental health. In addition, I also have a willingness to learn and I excel at teamwork. I’m interested in serving my community and working to maintain the positive attributes of Douglas County Schools. I believe in the power of a well educated community and believe in the strong opportunities afforded to all children through the public school system. I firmly believe that our children are our future and I hope to be a part of continuing a legacy of growth and opportunity for Douglas County.”

**Jennifer (Jenny) Brown**

Douglas County High School Feeder Area  
First Term: June 2023-June 2024 (completing an existing term)

“I am a parent of a current 5th and 4th grader in a Douglas County Elementary School. Professionally I am a Cardiology Physician Assistant, and though I am not currently practicing, I will return once my children are a little older. I have strengths in interpreting data, keeping an open mind, and approaching problems headfirst. I typically try to see situations from all sides, and strive to keep a balanced and unbiased opinion. I think I can be a strong addition to the DAC and look forward to working with the school district. My son started school here in 2018 mid year following a move. I was a part of his school PTO, but did not know much about the district. In 2020, I began following all BOE meetings and made it a goal to learn more about our district - both strengths and challenges. I took a more active role as a board member on our elementary PTO, as well as a board role of our SAC. I’ve developed relationships with our school leadership as well as local businesses that support our school/district. I would like to continue to play an active role in supporting our district. Thank you for your consideration.”

**Jennifer (Jenn) Spykerman**

ThunderRidge High School Feeder Area and Charter Parent  
First Term: June 2023-June 2025

“I am a parent of two kids at Ben Franklin Charter school and a long time Highlands Ranch Resident. I have a background in business strategy and technology strategy. I excel at communicating vision while connecting that vision to key tactical activities that support long term strategies. I understand budget planning and how this also fits into long term strategic development. I am interested in being involved in my community so that our kids can grow and can continue the growth that our district and county has enjoyed for the past few decades”

Community Representative:

**Sammye Wheeler-Clouse**

First Term: June 2023-June 2025

“I have 36 years in public education across several districts in Colorado. I have worked as an educational consultant nationally and internationally focused on school improvement, best practices in the classroom and effective leadership. I understand Colorado law around education accountability. I am a grandmother of three DCSD students. I care about supporting all educators in creating a positive and successful learning environment. I have volunteered at Coyote Creek Elementary, Ranch View Middle School, ThunderRidge High School, and Lone Tree Elementary. I believe in public education. I have the time and commitment for the District Accountability Committee.”