Parents are school stakeholders. They are considered as active members of the school community and they are contributory to the child’s academic achievement.

According to Cole (2017) education begins at home. It is a shared obligation of parents and schools to socialize and educate children. Parents must be involved and participate in the educational process of their child to reach academic achievement.

The visibility of parent in the education of the child serves as an inspirational figure to the child. If the parents are present and visible in the school, the child’s willingness to learn is increased.

The parents who are involved in the school learn much of the child’s strengths and weaknesses. In determining these things, the parents tend to assist the child most especially in improving his or her weaknesses in varied subject areas.

The problems that may arise may easily be prevented if the parents are frequently visiting the children in the school. The parents may easily detect the academic difficulties and challenges being encountered by the children.

The child performs better in academics if parents are always guiding them. The parents who keep on reminding their children to do well in school tend to yield better children who are well-equipped in their studies.
The learners who are supported by their parents in school performance tasks and other activities do better. There are times that the performance tasks need materials in their realizations; the parents should be there to support.

The parents who makes follow up of the pupils’ assigned academic works helps the child to attain higher academic achievement. There are times when assignments are given by the teachers. The parents are expected to make necessary follow up for their accomplishments.

The parents who assist in the enhancement of the skills or competencies produce child-achievers in academics. Reading and writing are basic skills where children are assisted by parents. This scenario helps the children to do better in academic achievement.

Involving parents in school is truly beneficial and healthy in the academic performance of every learner.

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