



*The Local Decision-Making Committee is the primary governing body for each school.*

### **LSDMC RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. Secure membership of parents, community members, teaching and non-teaching staff, students, and Partner-in-Education and submit roster to CPS by September 10.
2. Assess the needs of your school by reviewing the State Report Card.
3. Develop a vision and mission statement for your school.
4. Set goals for the school consistent with the district strategic plan and based upon your needs assessment of your school to become part of the OnePlan.
5. Develop OnePlan to implement goals and measure progress.
6. Approve by-laws for the LSDMC to be submitted to CPS by November 1.
7. Monitor ongoing progress including academic performance through reports from principal and staff.
8. Approve the school budget and seek additional resources as needed.
9. Approve any locally initiated change in school program or focus, e.g. neighborhood to magnet, new curriculum, and uniforms.
10. Participate in the principal selection process.
11. Make recommendations to the principal on other issues.
12. Act on requests from groups and committees in the school community and report back to constituent groups.