



Principal Selection Interview Committee

As many of you know, Principal Mary Tavegia is retiring at the end of this school year. The process of selecting her replacement will begin on November 1, 2011, when the district begins advertising the position. At that time, an online survey of Cossitt parents will be conducted to gather data regarding the personal and professional characteristics the parent community identifies as important for the Cossitt Principal. Candidates will then be screened by three committees: a Cossitt Staff Committee, a District Administrator Committee and a Parent Committee comprised of three PTC Executive Board members and seven parents.

The PTC will select the seven parents for the Principal Selection Interview Committee. Those parents wishing to serve on the parent committee must be available to meet during the school day and must be reasonably flexible with regard to the candidates' schedule and availability. The first round of interviews is expected to take approximately one-half day and is tentatively scheduled to take place some time during the week of December 12-16 -- though these dates are subject to change. Parents will be selected for this committee by compiling all applicants into groups of new and experienced parents and randomly selecting parents from each group.

If you are interested in learning more about this important process or serving on the parent committee, please email me at sharonvolz311@comcast.net by Wednesday, November 2, 2011.

Thank you,
Sharon Volz
PTC President