

## 24 ways everyone benefits from amazing school-family teams

Benefits for Students	Benefits for Families	Benefits for Schools
Improved health, social and emotional well-being, and social and cognitive skills (Mapp et al., 2022)	Development of leadership abilities and feeling more included and connected to the school (Mapp et. al, 2022)	Educators find more joy in their work and demonstrate improved attitudes and morale (Constantino, 2021)
Lower rates of student anxiety, aggression, and depression (Mapp et al., 2022)	Access to institutional knowledge and resources, improved ability to support their child's academic success (Santana, Rothstein, & Bain, 2016)	Educators are more likely to stay at schools where they have strong partnerships with families (Mapp et al., 2017) and remain in the profession longer (Mapp et al., 2022)
Better grades, attendance rates, test scores, and increased likelihood that students go to college or a postsecondary program (Jargon, 2022)	Provides a community hub and peer network (Flamboyan Foundation, 2019)	Improved relationships with families and community (Mapp & Bergman, 2022)
Reduced drop-out rates and increased graduation rates (Ishimaru, 2019; Mapp, 2021)	School-related needs and concerns are more likely to be addressed (Mapp et al., 2022)	Educators gain insights into students' strengths and can be more effective at motivating and engaging students (Mapp et. al, 2022)
Improved behavior and fewer discipline issues (Epstein and Associates, 2018)	Higher levels of trust (Pondiscio, 2022)	Educators feel less isolated and a sense of shared purpose
Faster rates of literacy acquisition and growth in mathematics (Flamboyan Foundation, 2019).	A greater sense of agency	Schools perform better, have a more positive culture, and develop better reputations (Mapp et al., 2022)
Greater sense of safety and security (Oliveira, 2022)	Access to strategies to support their child's learning at home	Staff develop more multicultural and community awareness and value families more fully (Mapp et al., 2022)
More successful transitions from one phase of education to the next (Epstein and Associates, 2018)	Stronger and more trusting relationships with educators at their school	Community partners become more involved in supporting the aspirations of students, staff, and families