

# The Campaign for Educational Equity

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You're invited to the Equity in Education Forum:

## Reframing Family Involvement: Supporting Families to Support Educational Equity

Thursday, Dec. 3, 2009

3:00 - 4:30 PM

Milbank Chapel

Teachers College, Columbia University

**Presenter:**

**Heather Weiss**

Director, Harvard Family Research Project

**Discussants:**

**Richard Buery**

Chief Executive Officer, Children's Aid Society

**Larry Wood**

Family Council Organizer, Goddard Riverside  
Community Center

**This event is free  
and open to the public.**

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What is the relationship between family involvement and school success? How do we reframe family involvement as a key component of broader comprehensive learning systems in which families, schools, after-school programs, school-based health clinics, and others have a shared responsibility for children's learning? How do we shape public policy to strengthen family involvement efforts? Heather Weiss will present her research findings and discuss these important questions with respondents, Richard Buery, a leader in the community school movement, and Larry Wood, an active parent in the New York City school system.