

## **National African American Parent Involvement Day**

"National African American Parent Involvement Day is Monday, Feb. 10, 2020. National African American Parent Involvement Day (NAAPID) was originally inspired by the Million Man March. The day was created to encourage parents to begin practicing the goals of NAAPID, which include promoting parent involvement in their child's education; addressing the serious achievement gap facing African American students; and promoting and providing strategies for parents and students to take full advantage of the educational process at all levels of the educational system. While every parent is welcome at EXPO every day, this day is dedicated to actively welcoming a community that has historically been excluded from the public school system.

How can I get involved? Contact your child's teacher to read a book to the class, join your child for lunch or shadow your child through their school day.