

**Goal:** Identify and discuss positive, student-centered interactions between school staff and family members.

Time: 10 minutes

## Directions:

Turn to your neighbor (s) and share a positive interaction you've had with a parent (if you're a teacher or administrator) or a teacher/administrator (if you're a parent).

## Answer the following questions:

- Where did the positive interactions happen, i.e., in/during school or in the community?
- How did students benefit from the positive interaction?
- Did you resolve or decide to do anything as a result of the interaction?
- What could school do to "spread the positive," or to benefit more families, staff members, and students?