

**<<Program name/program year>>
Partnership Questions for Supervisors**

1. What are the top two or three things the VISTA has been able to accomplish to improve family-community partnerships in your school this year?

2. Was your VISTA able to carry out the following program expectations concerning the Partnership Action Team:
 - Creating the Action Team?
 - Conducting monthly or bimonthly meetings?
 - Planning partnership activities?
 - Carrying out the activities?
 - Evaluating the activities?
 - Working with school staff on partnerships?
 - Working with parents on partnerships?
 - Other:

Comments

3. What were the most challenging aspects of encouraging the VISTA in your school to create and improve **partnerships**? Why?

4. What could have made your job (or your VISTA's job) easier in meeting expectations concerning **partnerships**?

5. What advice would you give a new VISTA supervisor about making **partnerships** successful with the VISTA?

Partnership Questions for VISTAs

1. What partnership-related aspects of your position were you able to accomplish in your school? Please rank your ease of ability to do each of the actions below (4 **easy to do ...1 unable to do**). Add your own observations under “Other.”

Easy 4	Able to do with some effort 3	Difficult 2	Unable to do 1	Does Not Apply 0
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Set up an Action Team ■ Meet regularly with Action Team members ■ Get the support and/or help you needed from your supervisor ■ Get the cooperation and encouragement you needed from other school staff ■ Get the help/support you needed from our staff ■ Plan partnership activities ■ Conduct or carry out partnership activities ■ Evaluate partnership activities you have done ■ Involve parents/families in helping to plan and make decisions about partnership efforts ■ Getting parents to attend/participate in your partnership activities ■ Other: 				

Comments:

Did you feel well-prepared to plan and do partnership activities in your school? Why or why not?

If there were one or two things that might have made doing **partnership-related** activities of your job easier, what would they have been, i.e., more training, more support, more information, etc.?

What do you think you were **most successful at** in making partnerships happen at your school?

Name one or two **challenges or hurdles** you faced in carrying out partnership-related expectations in your school?

What advice would you give a new VISTA about **making partnerships successful** at your school?