

Family Involvement Policy

GDSP welcomes family involvement in our ski program. Parents have been successful as teachers and siblings have been excellent in fulfilling the role of peer support.

The intent of family involvement is to enhance the athlete's experience.

Parents are always welcome to participate as volunteers and can be paired with their child or another athlete.

Siblings are welcome as peer support for their family members when they are skiing with their sibling(s) but we ask the family to limit it to one or two siblings. GDSP may require a parent to help supervise the sibling.

Neurotypical siblings are invited to join the program as athletes when space is available, and the family's goal is to eventually ski together. Typically this is most effective when the siblings join after the athlete makes progress.

GDSP's Board reserves the right to use their discretion when defining what will enhance the athlete's experience.