

East Ridge Elementary
Title I Family Engagement Policy
2018-2019

We at, *East Ridge Elementary*, believe that our families and community are key to student achievement and the success of our school. In order to meet the school's goals we need your input in decision making throughout the school year.

Please join us for the opportunities below:

<p><u>Annual Meeting</u> (Standard 1 Welcoming All Families)</p> <p>August 28, 28, or 31, 2017 at 6:30pm:</p> <p>Families are invited to attend the Annual Meetings in August to learn about our school's <i>Title I</i> programs and requirements. Families will have opportunities to review and provide feedback in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title I School Status • Rights of Title I Parents • Overall School Budget • Overview of Family Engagement Policy 	<p><u>Family Involvement Workshops</u> (Standard 3 Supporting Student Success)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School-Wide Synergy Nights • Pastries for Parents • Parent Meetings for Students enrolled in Tutoring • Leader in Me Parent training events • Creative Discovery Museum Night
<p><u>School-Parent Compact</u> (Standard 3 Supporting Student Success)</p> <p>The School-Family Compact is a communication tool to support achievement for parents, school staff and students. The Compact is an agreement on how each person (including the student) will support each other in ensuring that the student is successful. We have reviewed our Compact.</p> <p>Please review and sign the Compact.</p>	<p><u>Partner Programs</u> (Standard 6 Collaborating with Community)</p> <p>Please join our school community partners for these events that support achievement for our students and families:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership Day • Partners in Education Luncheon • Chick-fil-A Spirit Night
<p><u>Title I Parent Involvement Budget</u> (Standard 5 Sharing Power)</p> <p>As part of our school's Title I program we receive a set amount of money each year to implement our Family Engagement Plan.</p> <p>On April 23, 2018 the East Ridge Elementary Leadership Committee, which includes a parent and a community member met in the East Ridge Elementary Library to decide how to use these funds.</p> <p>This year we will be using the funds to employ a full-time Math Coach, full-time Literacy Coach, full-time Behavior teacher, Title I teacher, 2 Educational Assistants, 3 Interventionists and funds for instructional materials to assist us with furthering our SIP goals.</p>	<p><u>Accessibility</u> (Standard 4 Standing Up for Every Child)</p> <p>We will accommodate families by providing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interpreters and translated documents • Multiple meeting dates and times • After-School Tutoring & Summer School <p><u>Communication</u> (Standard 2 Communicating)</p> <p>We will communicate with all families through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notifying families of upcoming events through flyers, phone calls, school sign, and school website • Parent/Teacher Conferences • School-wide Family Nights and Events • Parent and Community Meetings • Social Media; Class Dojo; email • Constant Contact

	All school documents sent home are provided in both English and Spanish. Also, weekly callouts to parents are recorded in both English and Spanish.
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