

Lindeneau Elementary School
Edison Township Public Schools

Title 1 Parent Involvement Policy
2019-2020

Below is a description of how the district will implement or accomplish each of the following components outlined below (Section 1118(a) (2), ESEA):

- 1) Lindeneau School will take the following actions to involve parents in the joint development of its district wide parental involvement plan under Section 1112 of the ESEA:
 - a) Parents are members of the committee
 - b) PTO meetings will be a sounding board for discussions

- 2) Lindeneau School plan will take the following actions to involve parents in the process of school review and improvement under section 1116 of the ESEA:
 - a) PTO Meetings
 - b) Parent Orientation
 - c) Back-to-School Night
 - d) Parent-Teacher Conferences
 - e) Yearly Science Fair
 - f) Parent Workshops
 - g) Stakeholder Committee

- 3) Lindeneau School will provide the following necessary coordination, technical assistance, and other support to assist Title 1, Part A schools in planning and implementing effective parental involvement activities to improve student academic achievement and school performance:
 - a) Parent-Teacher Conferences
 - b) School Website

- 4) Lindeneau School Plan will take the following actions to conduct, with the involvement of parents, an annual evaluation of the content and effectiveness of this parental involvement policy in improving the quality of its Title 1, Part A schools. The evaluation will include identifying barriers to greater participation by parents in parental involvement (with particular attention to parents who are economically disadvantaged, are disabled, have limited English proficiency, have limited literacy, or are of any racial or ethnic minority background). The school district will use the findings of the evaluation about its parental involvement, and to revise, if necessary (and with the involvement of parents) its parental involvement policies.
 - a) Make information available on website and at PTO meetings
 - b) Notices in multiple languages
 - c) Translators provided for events

5) Lindeneau School Plan will build the school's and the parents' capacity for strong parental involvement, in order to ensure effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school involved, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement, through the following activities specifically described below:

a) Lindeneau School will, with the assistance of its Title 1, Part A schools, provide assistance to parents of children served by the school district or school, as appropriate, in understanding topics such as the following, by undertaking the actions described in this paragraph-

- The State's academic content standards,
- The State's student academic achievement standards,
- The State and district academic assessments including alternate assessments,
- The requirements of Part A,
- How to monitor their child's progress,
- How to work with educators:
 - Science Fair
 - PTO Meetings
 - Report Cards
 - Parent/Teacher Conferences
 - Parent Orientations
 - Information Packets

b) Lindeneau School Plan will, with the assistance of its schools and parents, educate its teachers, pupil services personnel, principals and other staff, in how to reach out to, communicate with, and work with parents as equal partners, in the value and utility of contributions of parents, and in how to implement and coordinate parent programs and build ties between parents and schools by:

- Staff Development Days
- PTO Events
- PTO Activities
- Community Involvement
- Workshop
- Conferences
- In-Service Days

c) Lindeneau School Plan will, to the extent feasible and appropriate, coordinate and integrate parent involvement programs and activities with Extended Day Program and conduct other activities, such as parent resource centers, that encourage and support parents in fully participating in the education of their children, by:

- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- PTO Meetings
- I&RS Meetings
- Parent Workshops

d) Lindeneau School Plan will take the following actions to ensure that information related to the school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities, is sent to the parents of participating children in an understandable and uniform format, including alternative formats upon request, and, to the extent practicable, in a language the parents can understand:

- Parent Notices
- Event Flyers
- Phone Blast/Text Messages