

OXFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT Oxford Intermediate School Parental Involvement Plan (2023-2024)



A. PARENT/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT MISSION:

I believe that a partnership must exist between our parents and our school. We promote positive communication between the school and our students' homes. The school will provide a variety of opportunities for parents to be involved in activities supporting our schools. We believe teachers have a responsibility to provide the needed framework for parents to nurture their children's instruction at home. We will provide materials that can successfully be used at home to reinforce the academic success of students. It is our goal to provide an atmosphere where parents are able to express their views and to assist in problem solving. We want parents to understand that we view them as joint policy and decision makers and plan to emphasize their roles as advocates.

B. PARENT INVOLVEMENT PLANNING:

Oxford Intermediate School will:

1. Hold parent/community meetings in which we will provide information regarding the school curriculum, academic assessments, student progress, and the proficiency requirements students are expected to meet in order to progress from grade to grade. Through regular meetings and yearly surveys, parents will have an opportunity to make suggestions and to participate in decisions relating to the education of their children.

Activity/Task (What will be done?)	Staff Responsible (Who will be doing it?)	Timeline (When will it be done?)	Steps (How will it be done?)	Accountability/Evaluati ons (How success will be measured?)
Open House Back to School Data Night	PTO, OIS Faculty & Staff Leadership Team & Admin	Prior to Beginning of School Two-Three weeks after the start of school	PTO & Admin will collaborate and plan. Admin, Counselor, and Core Teachers will collaborate	Sign-In Sheets Studer Survey Results (SSR)
Book Fair & Family Night	Library Personnel	Fall and Spring	and plan. Wendy Daughdrill will collaborate with the vendor(s). She and parents	SSR
Subject Area Parent Nights	Admin and Content Area Teachers	October, November, January, February, & March	will coordinate the night. Each subject area will collaborate to plan what the night will entail.	Sign-In Sheets SSR

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Parent/Teacher Conferences	Admin, Counselor, Teachers	After each nine weeks and as requested by teachers and parents	Teachers will reach out to parents or parents will reach out to the counselor to setup conferences.	measured?) Sign-In Sheets SSR
Spring Semester PTO Meeting	PTO, Admin & Teachers	March or April	PTO and admin will select a date to meet in OIS' Conference Room.	SSR Sign – In Sheets

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C. SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT: SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT:

1. Oxford Intermediate School will:

a. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables students to meet Mississippi's academic achievement standards as follows:

All teachers will meet in content area Professional Learning Communities twice each week. During PLCs teachers will discuss and plan common assessments, review, and discuss test data, students' misconception, and discuss instructional strategies. Teachers will plan collaboratively.

b. Hold parent-teacher conferences during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual student's academic achievement.

Teachers will contact parents of the students in their class who are failing (not on track for promotion) at the end of each 9 weeks period. Teachers will setup parent/teacher conferences with students who are struggling. Parents may reach out to teachers or the counselor to setup a parent-teacher conference as needed. Administrators will be involved in the conference at the request of the teacher, student, or parent.

c. Provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress.

Parents will receive progress reports in October, January, and March. Parents will receive a end of the year report card in May. Parents may check PowerSchool daily to stay updated with their children's progress.

d. Provide parents reasonable access to staff.

Teachers, administrators, and counselor will be available to meet with parents and discuss individual student achievement on non-duty mornings before school and during their planning periods. Parents also have access to staff via school status and email.

e. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer in their child's school and to participate in school activities. (Describe when and how parents may volunteer, participate, and observe classroom activities.)

Parents are encouraged to volunteer in school activities and functions such as classroom activities, AR Celebrations, field trips, parental involvement meetings, PTO, Book Fair, etc. Parents may observe classrooms after the counselor and teacher schedule the meeting.

2. Parents will support our children's learning in the following ways:

Describe the ways in which parents will support their children's learning, such as:

• Parents will ensure students are staying current with assignments and important information

Parents will have their student present and on time for school whenever possible.

- Encourage students to read at least 20 minutes per day
- Parents will attend, or request teacher-parent conferences as needed.
- Read Weekly Agendas
- Participate in Parental Involvement Nights
- Participating, as appropriate, in decisions relating to my children's education
- Parents will access standards-based assessment to use and help students clear up misconceptions and study
- · Understanding and supporting grading and teaching
- Check Schoology daily to stay updated on announcements and assignments
- **3. Students** will share the responsibility to improve academic achievement:

Describe the ways in which students will support their academic achievement, such as:

- Read at least 30 minutes every day outside of school time
- * Complete homework and assignments
- Attend Class
- Check Schoology for important teachers and school announcements
- Students will review missed questions on assessments

D. BUILDING CAPACITY FOR PARENT INVOLVEMENT AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT:

Oxford Intermediate School will:

Foster parental involvement and community engagement by providing information regarding curriculum standards and student achievement within the school and district. **Oxford Intermediate School** will provide materials and training as applicable. Trainings will focus on helping parents to prepare and assist their children for learning at school and at home. Trainings will also focus on building community partnerships. To the extent practical, information regarding trainings, meetings, and activities will be provided in a language parents and community members can understand.

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Back to school Data Night	Teachers & Admin	Within the first month of school	Subject area teachers will explain standards-based grading and platforms	Sign – in sheet SSR
Reading Fair	Librarian	Fall & Spring 2023	Parents and students will talk about and purchase books	Student Reading Log IRL Levels
Subject-Area Parent Night	Subject – Area Teachers	Fall and Spring October, November, January, February, and March	Subject area teachers will collect students' artifacts to discuss and display on subject area night	Sign in Sheet SSR

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Social Media posts about meetings, activities, and trainings.	OIS Social Media Administrators	As event and meetings arise	Teachers and staff will communicate upcoming dates and events to social media administrations to be posted	Sign-in Sheets Studer Survey Results

2. Educate teachers, administrators, and other staff concerning the value of parent and community contributions. The school will also train staff how to work with parents as equal partners and build community partnerships.

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Faculty/Staff training to enhance school/home partnerships	Administration	August 2023 - May 2024	Administration with the assistance of Instructional Coaches will use PLC Meetings to discuss ways teachers can work with parents and build community partnerships.	Feedback on Studer Parent Surveys.

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E. ACCESSIBILITY:

1. (School Name) will provide full opportunities for parental involvement for parents of children who are homeless, limited English proficient, have disabilities, or migratory status Information provided to parents will, to the extent practical, be offered in a language they can understand.

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Special Populations Parent Night	Central Office EL, Special Education Department Representative, OSD Homeless Liaison, and OIS Teachers and Administrators	Fall & Spring 2023	Face to Face Meetings	Sign In Sheets Feedback on Studer Parent Surveys.

F. ADOPTION:

Parent Involvement Statement of Adoption	Effective Date of Plan	Distribution on the Parent Involvement Plan	Parents, Staff, and Community Members who Participated in the Development of the Plan
This Parental Involvement Plan has been developed jointly with and agreed upon by parents of children at (Oxford Intermediate School), as evidenced by meeting minutes located at https://docs.google.com/document/d/103t7MTQ8NcAKj1lyp NNPjfSvpQkrgSTULeGJGLKEJe4 /edit?usp=sharing.	The Parental Involvement Plan was developed by Johnnie Dudley on October 5, 2023, and will be in effect for the period of the 2023-2024 school year.	Oxford Intermediate School will distribute this Parental Involvement Plan to all parents and will make it available to the community on or before October 31, 2023.	Tara Denevan Brooke Driskel Kristie Willet Katherine Thornton Jenny Addy Natasha Bankhead Emily Brown Audra Goolsby Christy Green Ginger Flanagan

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			Lauren Hill Ramey Hardin Johnnie Dudley Chase Goolsby

Signature of Principal Date