



HB4 HIGH-QUALITY PREKINDERGARTEN

CISD HIGH-QUALITY PRE-K GRANT FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN

2023-24



Together...
We Build Tomorrow!

**Clint ISD Prekindergarten
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Family Engagement Plan**

Clint ISD, in accordance with the HB4 Grant guidelines, will create a partnership between our families, schools and community for the successful transition into kindergarten. We feel “Together We Build Tomorrow” is the most effective way to promote a culture of learning that is child-centered and family driven.

Definitions of Family and Family Engagement: (HB4)

Family:


Family includes adult and children significant in the child's life who support the early learning and development of the child.

Family Engagement Definition:

Family engagement is the mutual responsibility of families, school, and communities to build relationships to support student learning and achievement and to support family well-being and the continuous learning and development of children, families, and educators. Family engagement is fully integrated in the child's educational experience and supports the whole child and is both culturally responsive and linguistically appropriate.

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Prekindergarten Family Engagement Plan:

Six Components	Evidence of Prekindergarten Department HB4 Family Engagement Plan
<p data-bbox="268 493 840 529">1. Facilitate Family-to-Family Support</p> 	<p data-bbox="1079 493 1839 646">Prekindergarten teachers and teacher assistance will provide parents with opportunities to participate in district and campus initiatives such as:</p> <ul data-bbox="1129 695 1696 730" style="list-style-type: none">• Campus Family Engagement Nights

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<p>2. Establish a Network of Community of Resources</p>	<p>CISD partnerships with community and faith-based organization will create a network of resources that will directly benefit Prekindergarten families as needed: Some resources are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • District Family Support Services • Head Start Collaboration • District and campus Health fairs that include dental and medical
<p>3. Increase Family Participation in Decision Making</p>	<p>Prekindergarten Families will be invited to participate and serve on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • District Level “Pac and Sac” Meetings • District Family Engagement Survey • Invite family feedback after Prekindergarten Family Engagement Workshops & Events

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4. Equip Families with Tools to Enhance and Extend Learning to Increase Student Achievement	<p>Prekindergarten families will be encouraged to attend learning opportunities to enhance and extend learning by providing parents with home activities that are age and developmentally appropriate to help prepare families for kindergarten by but not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Campus Early Literacy, Science & Math Family Workshops• District/Campus Conference Day• Technology: Some Examples - 1:1 Chromebooks, Classroom & Campus Website, Class Dojo<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pre Kindergarten Round Up April 2024

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5. Provide Ongoing Professional Development Opportunities for Educators that Support Families in Meeting their Children's Learning Benchmarks (District Requirement)	CISD will bring awareness to Family Engagement, HB4 requirements and guidelines with emphasis on the value and impact of family engagement by providing Prekindergarten Teachers, Teacher Assistance & staff professional development on the following days: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Frog Street Training for all teachers and instructional aides• Multiple half day CIRCLE trainings for all teachers and instructional aides• ST Math

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6. Evaluate Family Engagement Efforts and Use Results for Continuous Improvement	<p>Trainings, workshops, meetings, and family engagement activities are followed with an evaluation which provides families the opportunity to express their views on the various activities. Campus and district will use some of the following tools:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use survey results to provide valuable information in planning, developing and implementing pre kindergarten activities for the district• Revise/review District Pre Kindergarten HB4 Family Engagement Plan annually
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