



## Parent & Family Engagement Policy 2024-2025

### What is Title I?

Title I, Part A (Title I) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESEA) provides supplemental financial assistance to school districts for children from low-income families. Its purpose is to provide all children significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education, and to close educational achievement gaps by allocating federal funds for education programs and services.

### MISSION

Woodlake Hills College Prep's mission is to empower students with the knowledge and skills needed to excel in high school, college, and their careers. Our focus on college readiness skills and strong research-based instructional strategies ensure students are equipped for higher education. Through college and career exploration, enrollment in accelerated core courses, and access to high school credit courses, students will gain the academic and college-readiness skills that will prepare them for future college success.

Woodlake Hills College Prep is committed to fostering a strong partnership between parents and teachers to maximize student learning and achievement. This policy outlines the framework for ongoing communication, collaboration, and meaningful involvement of parents in their child's education.

#### Shared Responsibility:

Parents and teachers share the responsibility for a student's academic success and overall well-being.

#### Open Communication:

Regular and accessible communication channels will be maintained to keep parents informed about their child's progress and to address concerns promptly.

#### Respectful Dialogue:

All interactions between parents and teachers will be conducted with mutual respect and understanding.

#### Diverse Engagement Opportunities:

The school will provide various avenues for parent involvement, catering to different needs and schedules.

#### Key Components of Parent-Teacher Engagement:

## HOW CAN PARENTS PARTICIPATE?

- **Attend parent-teacher conferences:** Parents can learn about their child's progress and discuss strategies with teachers
- **Volunteer:** Parents can help with daily activities or special projects in the classroom
- **Participate in school activities:** Parents can attend school events, sports, and arts programs
- **Join the PTA or PTO:** Parents can contribute to school events and fundraising
- **Communicate regularly:** Parents and teachers can keep in touch to ensure everyone is informed about a student's progress
- **Support learning at home:** Parents can help with homework and provide educational resources
- **Engage on social media:** Teachers and parents can communicate with each other on social media
  - **Send positive feedback:** Teachers can send home positive feedback to parents

### Communication Methods:

**Regular Progress Reports:** Parents will receive timely updates on their child's academic performance through standardized reports and teacher feedback.

**Parent-Teacher Conferences:** Scheduled conferences will be held at least twice a year to discuss student progress, goals, and areas for improvement.

**Digital Platforms:** Utilizing online platforms to share important information, assignments, and updates.

**Class Newsletters:** Regular newsletters informing parents about upcoming events, curriculum highlights, and school-wide initiatives.

**Telephone/Email Contact:** Teachers will be readily available to answer questions or address concerns via phone or email.

### Parent Involvement Opportunities:

**Volunteer Opportunities:** Parents can volunteer in the classroom, assist with special events, or support school-wide initiatives.

**Family Literacy Nights:** Events promoting reading and learning activities for families at home.

**Workshops and Training:** Opportunities for parents to learn about educational topics

# Implementation and Review:

## Annual Review:

The school will conduct annual reviews of this policy to ensure it remains effective and aligned with the needs of the community.

## Parent Feedback:

Parents will be actively involved in providing feedback on the effectiveness of parent-teacher engagement strategies.

## Staff Training:

All staff will receive ongoing training to support effective parent communication and engagement practices.

## 2024-2025 JISD District Goals:

- ◆ Effective Instruction
- ◆ Involving families and communities
- ◆ Positive School Culture
- ◆ Leadership
- ◆ Customer Service

## 2024-2025 Campus Goals:

Improve our STAAR scores by:

- ◆ 10% Approaches
- ◆ 6% Meets
- ◆ 2% Masters