

2024-2025 SCHOOL-PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN



Title I School – Parent and Family Engagement Plan

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) is a federal program to provide all children significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education, and to close educational achievement gaps. A requirement of ESSA is that each school shall jointly develop with, and distribute to parents and family members a written plan that describes how the school will meet legislative requirements.

This document outlines how our school will meet the ESSA requirements listed below:

- Convene an annual meeting at a convenient time, to inform parents of the school's participation in and requirements of Title I and the parents' right to be involved.
- Offer a flexible number of meetings (morning, evening, weekend, etc.)
- **Provide parents:**
 - Timely information about programs;
 - A description and explanation of the curriculum in use at the school, the forms of academic assessment used to measure student progress, and the achievement levels of the challenging State academic standards.
- Allow for parent comments on the schoolwide plan.
- Involve parents in an organized, ongoing, and timely way, in the planning, review, and improvement of programs, including the planning, review, and improvement of the school parent and family engagement plan and the joint development of the schoolwide program.
- If requested by parents, opportunities for regular meetings to formulate suggestions and to participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to the education of their children, and respond to any such suggestions as soon as practicably possible.

Vandalia Elementary School Our Plan to meet ESSA Requirements:

ANNUAL MEETING

TBD August 2024

FLEXIBLE MEETINGS

Vandalia will offer monthly meetings virtually as well as in-person to accommodate parents' schedules.

INVOLVE PARENTS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF PFE PLAN AND THE TITLE I PROGRAM

Annually, we will conduct a joint evaluation with parents of the PFE Compact and Plan. Monthly meetings will be held to monitor the school's progress in meeting the goals of the school-wide program.

Information will be shared on Vandalia Elementary School's website, through ClassDojo messaging, and via email. Parents may contact the principal in-person, by phone, or through email with feedback, questions, or concerns. In addition, weekly phone messages with emailed transcripts will be sent on Sunday's to the school community.

ALLOW FOR COMMENTS ON PLANS

A feedback form will be sent to all families via email. Parents may also access the feedback form via Vandalia Elementary School's website and through ClassDojo messaging. Parents may contact the principal in-person, by phone, or through email with feedback, questions, or concerns.