



COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOLS®

EAGLE South Mountain Charter
Title I Parent Engagement Plan

In collaboration with parents, teachers, administration, and staff, EAGLE Prep Schools have created a Parental Engagement Plan to foster a strong, school-wide culture of parents, teachers, and community working together for student success. To reach this goal, EAGLE Prep Schools will provide parental engagement opportunities in the following areas:

- **PARENTING-** To assist families with parenting skills, family support, understanding child and adolescent development, and setting home conditions to support learning at each age and grade level, EAGLE Prep Schools will offer resources in the community.
- **COMMUNICATING-** To better communicate with families about school programs and student progress using school-to-home and home-to-school communication, while creating two-way communication channels so families can easily connect with teachers and administrators. EAGLE Prep Schools will provide curriculum nights, maintain the school website, utilize student agendas/planners, utilize Class Dojo, phone calls, texts, and teacher emails.
- **VOLUNTEERING-** To improve recruitment, training, activities, and schedules to involve families as volunteers and audiences at the school to support students and the school's programs, EAGLE Prep Schools will provide programs for parents such as Rosetta Stone, parent engagement resources, Love and Logic parenting classes, and chaperoning of school activities.
- **LEARNING AT HOME-** To involve families with their children in academic learning activities at home including homework, goal setting, and other curriculum-related activities and decisions, EAGLE Prep Schools will work with families throughout the school year, at parent-teacher conferences, parent curriculum nights for goal setting and to develop at-home learning activities to include families as partners in progress and success.
- **DECISION MAKING-** To include families as participants in school decisions, governance, and advocacy activities, EAGLE Prep Schools will actively seek to include parents and family members on committees and teams that influence student achievement and school improvement such as the Continuous Improvement Team and school-wide goal teams.

COLLABORATING WITH THE COMMUNITY- To coordinate the work and resources of community businesses, agencies, and cultural, civic, and other organizations to strengthen programs, family practices, and student development, while enabling students, staff, and families to contribute service to the community, EAGLE Prep Schools will work with community organizations and businesses to provide needed resources to families.

Title I is short for Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965. It is the largest federal assistance program for schools. The federal government provides funding to the state. The state sends the money to school districts based on the number of families below a



set income level. Local districts use the funding to provide instructional services and activities which support students in meeting the state's performance standards.

EAGLE Prep Schools receive federal funds to provide a schoolwide program. A schoolwide program serves all children in the school by providing staff and/or other resources to assist in classrooms in the areas of reading and math.