



KILGORE ISD PRE-K FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN

Kilgore Independent School District believes that all parents, teachers, and community leaders partner in the educational success of all students. We promote the involvement of these key stakeholders by having them take part in the process that allows them to ignite life-long learning in all students. KISD has established a family engagement plan to increase the collaboration between all stakeholders. The active participation of parents, teachers, business and Community leaders in all aspects of our students' education prepares today's students for tomorrow's opportunities.

Components	KISD's Strategic Plan
Facilitate family-to-family support	• PTA meetings • Meet the Teacher • Literacy Night • One Stop Registration • PreK Information Night and Signing Day • Pre-K Parent Information Nights • Parent Conferences • Student Handbook • Book Fair Week • Grandparent's Lunch • Campus Newsletter with Principal's Message • KISD and KPS Facebook pages • District and Campus Websites • School Messenger • Classroom Communication App • Dual Language Program Parent Information Meeting • Hispanic Heritage Community Wide Family Celebration
Establish a network of community resources	• Food Bank Backpack Program • Lions Club vision assistance • Counselor connections • Partnerships with area churches and community health care providers • School supply donations from area businesses • Hearts Anonymous

	• Coats for Kids • Angel Tree Program • Mobile Health Services on campus
Increase family participation in decision making	• Site Based Decision Making Committee • District of Innovation Committee • Parent Surveys • LPAC and ARD meetings • PTA
Equip families with tools to enhance and extend learning	• Class Newsletters • Campus Newsletter with Principal's message • District and Campus Website and Facebook Pages • Quick links on KISD and KPS web pages • Counselor and Nurse communications • Hispanic Heritage Community Wide Family Celebration • CLI Engage Family activities • Student Progress Reports • TAPR (Texas Academic Performance Report) provided
Provide ongoing professional development opportunities for educators on culturally responsive, evidenced-based strategies that support the education of the child	• Family engagement/cultural diversity training • Evidence-based strategies professional development • Region 7 trainings • CLI Engage technology assistance for student assessment and implementation • ELPS training • Three Cheers for PreK Training and Professional Development
Evaluate family engagement efforts and use evaluation for continuous improvement	• Evaluate student assessments for program effectiveness • Parent survey • Circle Progress monitoring on all Prek students • Use parent input to provide information for the planning, development, and implementation of programs in the district • Comprehensive Needs Assessment

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