

# Janie Darr Elementary Parent Friendly Summary



Parental involvement is a critical component of a child's success in school.

Janie Darr Elementary is committed to consistent, open, and meaningful communication with our parents including, but not limited to weekly communication folders, class correspondence, and parent/teacher conferences twice per year. We recognize parents as the first, and most, important teacher in each child's life. Our school will seek to support parents in this role through facilitating information on parenting. We will provide opportunities for training in strategies and activities that can be used at home to support academic excellence and social emotional learning. Additionally, we encourage parents to volunteer in a variety of roles and to offer input to procedures, practices, and decisions through the use of surveys and conferences.

Janie Darr Elementary School jointly developed, with stakeholders, the following school parental involvement plan. This plan describes how the school will carry out parental involvement requirements according to Arkansas Act 1002 of 2011. Janie Darr's written parental involvement plan is made available to parents and the local community. Each year, the advisory committee will review and update the Parent Involvement Plan, develop school goals and address specific student needs, reflecting the commitment to facilitating parental involvement.

Parent Base-Level Engagement Requirements	School-Centered Engagement Opportunities	Student-Centered Engagement Opportunities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parent Square Posts</li> <li>● Weekly Folders</li> <li>● Homework Assistance</li> <li>● Attend Parent Teacher Conferences</li> <li>● Supporting Student Attendance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Attend Teacher Meet and Greet and Open House</li> <li>● Attend Grade Level Music Program</li> <li>● Participate in Curriculum Nights</li> <li>● Participate in Fundraising</li> <li>● PTA involvement</li> <li>● Participate in Feedback Surveys</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Volunteer Opportunities : Class Parties, Field Trips, Book Fairs, Events</li> <li>● Lunch Visits</li> <li>● PTA Meetings and Events</li> <li>● Family Events: Fall Kickoff, Holiday Event, Boy's/Girl'sNight, Etc.</li> </ul>

