

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.

Lucy Ragsdale High School

Our Plan to meet ESSA Requirements:

ANNUAL MEETING

Ragsdale High School will host our Annual Title I meeting during the fall Open House in the third week of August.

FLEXIBLE MEETINGS

Meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of each month, August 2025 through May 2026.

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

Title I programming will be an agenda item at all flexible meetings, and parent representatives will be invited to provide input at those meetings throughout the year. Title I plans and programming will be incorporated at Family Engagement events.

PROVIDE INFORMATION TO PARENTS

Information is provided to parents through Document Delivery (email), paper mailings, weekly S'more newsletters, school website, social media, Connect Ed phone call messaging, Remind, and Canvas.

ALLOW FOR COMMENTS ON THE PFE PLANS

We will invite input on the plans at the Open House/Annual Title I Meeting, and Family Engagement events. Additionally, parent feedback will be requested through a survey form on the school website.