

# Riverdale School 2025- 2026 Parent and Family Engagement Policy

## School Plan for Shared Student Achievement

### **What is Title 1?**

- Federal funds that support state and local school reform to support students, improve teaching and learning for students.

### **What is a Parent Engagement Policy?**

- It is a plan that details ways Riverdale School will support family engagement by providing activities and events for families that promote student learning at school and at home.

### **How is it created and revised?**

- Opportunities for parents to contribute during the Annual Title 1 meeting
- Google form on Title 1 webpage for feedback throughout the school year
- Surveys to collect feedback regarding possible family engagement events & activities

### **Where can the Family Engagement Plan Be Found?**

- Title 1 page of Riverdale's website

### **Who is it for?**

All Riverdale families

### **Want more information?**

Please refer to the Federal Programs link on the GMSD webpage.

You can also attend our Annual Title One Informational Meeting Monday, September 15th @ 5:15 in room A102.

How will Riverdale ensure family involvement in an organized, timely manner during the planning, reviewing, and improvement of Title I programs?

1. Annual Title Meetings
  - In-Person and virtual option
2. Communication
  - Riverdale Folders
  - Weekly teacher and administration emails
  - Forms in other languages when needed
  - School Website
  - Meet the Teacher/Curriculum Nights
  - Parent Surveys
3. School- Parent Compact
  - PTO volunteers
  - Committee volunteers
  - Feedback through website and google form
  - Compacts sent home with students
  - Posted on the Title 1 section of RES webpage
4. Reservation of Funds
  - Determined with admin & staff committees
  - Stakeholder needs addressed by committee
  - Information provided at annual meeting
  - Information on school's webpage
  - Meetings
  - Admin. emails, school & teacher websites, Skyward & Schoology
  - Admin. PLC meetings to discuss school goals
5. Building Capacity of School staff through training focused on
  - Increasing family engagement outside the classroom
  - Increasing content knowledge
  - Increasing pedagogy
  - Learning new digital platforms
6. Assisting parents with training focused on
  - Literacy training
  - Social emotional wellness
  - Digital platforms

