

School Parent and Family Engagement Policy

2025-2026

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DEVELOPED

Bethpage Elementary School will involve families in an organized, ongoing, and timely manner in the planning, review programs, including opportunities for regular meetings.

TITLE I MEETING

Bethpage Elementary School will conduct an annual meeting, at a convenient time, and encourage and invite all families to attend to inform them about the school's Title I program, the nature of Title I programs, the families' required family engagement policy, the schoolwide plan, and the school-parent compact.

INDICATIONS

Bethpage Elementary School will provide families with participating children with the following:

Timely information about Title I programs.

Flexible number of meetings, such as meetings in the morning or evening, and may provide with Title I fund childcare or home visits, as such services relate to parent and family engagement.

Information related to the school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities, is sent to the families in an understandable and uniform format, including alternative formats upon request and, to the extent possible, in a language the families can understand.

PARENT COMPACT

Bethpage Elementary School will jointly develop with families of participating children a school-parent compact that the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student achievement and how they will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the state's high standards.

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS

Bethpage Elementary School will involve the families of children served in Title I, Part A schools, in decisions about how the Part A funds reserved for parent and family engagement is spent.

COORDINATION OF SERVICES

Bethpage Elementary School will, to the extent feasible and appropriate, coordinate and integrate parent and family engagement activities and activities with other Federal, State, and local programs, including public preschool programs, and community parent resource centers, that encourage and support families in more fully participating in the education of their children.

EXPANDING CAPACITY OF SCHOOL STAFF

Bethpage Elementary School will provide training to educate teachers, specialized instructional support personnel, paraprofessionals, and other staff, with the assistance of families, and in how to reach out to, communicate with, and work with parents, implement and coordinate parent programs, and build ties between families and the school.

Bethpage Elementary School will provide other reasonable support for parent and family engagement activities under