



Sweeney Elementary School Title 1 Family and Parent Engagement Plan 2025-2026

Shakopee Public Schools mission states that we will, in partnership with our community, educate lifelong learners to succeed in our diverse world.

We believe that strong family-school connections enhance student learning, promote positive attitudes towards school, and contribute to an inclusive educational environment. Our goal is to build strong partnerships with our parents/families that strengthen achievement. This plan outlines our commitment to meaningful family engagement practices that empower families as partners and that will support effective parent and family engagement throughout the year.

In order to create robust family engagement opportunities, we commit to the following plan and action steps:

Open Communication

Parent/Teacher Conferences
Available via Seesaw, Email, or Phone calls
Drop in visits
Progress reports every quarter

Family Engagement Activities

Breakfast & Books (Oct. 29, 2025)
Book Bags (TBD)
Summer Literacy Kits (June 2026)
Sweeney Literacy Night (TBD)
PTO Gingerbread Night (Dec. 11, 2025)
School Dance (Jan. 30, 2025)
PTO Movie Night (Winter 2025)
PTO Carnival (Oct. 3, 2025)
Parent/Teacher Conferences (Fall: Oct 7, 9, & 14th, & Spring: Feb. 4, 10, & 12)
Sweeney Family Fun Night (May 19, 2026)
Fun Run (Sept. 25, 2025)
Track & Field Days (May dates)

How can families support students at home?

Read - with and to your student!
Play Games
Family Dinners
Consistent routines at home
Visit the local library
Adequate sleep each night
Attend Parent/Teacher conferences
Healthy meals

Thank you for your continued support and partnership. It is greatly appreciated as we work together to provide the best possible educational experience for our students.