

Idlewild Elementary Parent Involvement Policy 2025-2026

The Idlewild Title I School wide program encourages each parent to be involved in their child's education. This policy was developed with input from teachers, administrators and parents and outlines the parent involvement activities that will be conducted during the school year.

- Parents will receive this copy of the Parent Involvement Policy which describes the on-going activities that are held to inform and involve parents in their child's education.
- Parents will receive a copy of the Parent-School Compact – this is an agreement between the home and school outlining everyone's responsibility for supporting student learning..
- A Title I annual parent meeting and Curriculum night was held September 30th and shared on Parent Square. 2025-26 topics that were covered include:
 - Idlewild's Title I program
 - parent involvement opportunities
 - grade level content information for the year
- Teachers will be available to review each child's progress and answer any questions parents may have. Opportunities for parents to visit the school have been scheduled throughout the year:
 - 2nd Grade Journey to Space performance
 - Parent Family Empowerment Committee Meeting- Meet with Student Services
 - Magnet Open Houses
 - Music Concerts and Festivals
 - Parent Conferences will take place at the end of each quarter and throughout the school year: scheduled conference date: November 4th, 2025,

Additional activities include Family Read Night; Family Game and Movie Night; Parent, Family Involvement Nights at local businesses; Spring Job Fair, Spring Carnival, Hot Diggity Dog Night and International Day.

- Weekly newsletters – Information pertaining to school events, instructional information, assessment schedules, and important announcements.

We encourage parents to call the school or send a message through Parent Square to their child's teacher at any time during the year to ask any questions or to schedule a visit or meeting. It is our hope that each child will have a wonderful experience learning at Idlewild Elementary