



Department of Federal Programs and School Improvement

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2025-2026 Parent & Family Engagement Plan

What is a Parent & Family Engagement Plan?	Denton Independent School District is committed to our vision: One District with One Purpose. Our mission is to empower lifelong learners to be engaged citizens who positively impact their local and global community. We provide high-quality education individualized for each student by developing and maintaining relationships with families and the community. One way we continue to do this is by participating in the Title I, Part A Program. This program provides federal funding for low socioeconomic schools. In return, we are committed to meeting expectations of the program laid out for us by the Texas Education Agency and the United States Department of Education.
Funding	Title I funds will be allocated for the implementation of the Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) program. Such programs, activities, and procedures will be planned and implemented with meaningful consultation with parents of participating children.
Review	All use of funding and activities is reviewed within the District Improvement Plan as well as individual Campus Improvement Plans. Title I Parent and Family Engagement funding and activities can be reviewed by the Texas Education Agency upon request to ensure they meet the needs of the PFE Program.
How to be Involved	☐ Attend campus engagement and training events in addition to Fine Arts and extracurricular events ☐ Communicate with teachers and staff at your child's campus ☐ Provide input on Campus Title I Program Plans ☐ Provide input on Campus Parent Family Engagement Plans ☐ Provide input on Campus School-Parent Compacts ☐ Serve on the District Educational Improvement Committee (DEIC) that provides input on the development and monitoring of the District Improvement Plan (contact JDiggs@dentonisd.org if you would like to serve on DEIC) ☐ Join the Parent Teacher Association (PTA) of your child(ren)'s campus ☐ Volunteer at Your Child(ren)'s Campus

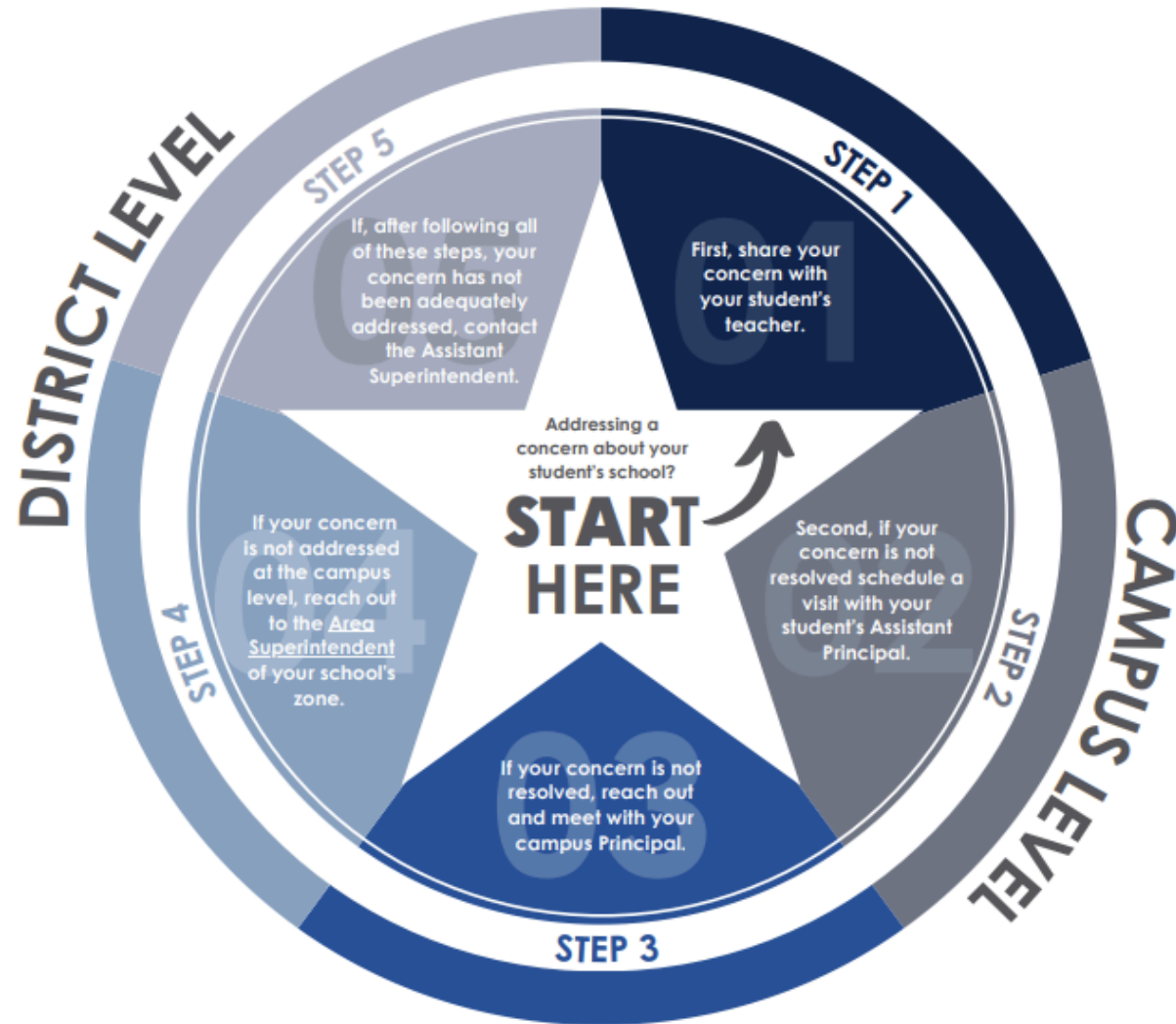
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Family Trainings / Meetings / Activities	Family training events are opportunities for family members to come learn new knowledge and skills, learn about our Title I Program, and learn ways to support your child(ren) in their learning journey. The events listed below are subject to change. Any changes made will be communicated via your child's campus. ☐ Attend Campus Title I Meeting(s) ☐ Attend Campus Curriculum Engagement Events (i.e. Curriculum Nights, Open House, STEM Events, Literacy Events) ☐ Attend Parent-Teacher Conferences ☐ Attend Transition Meetings (i.e. Kindergarten Round Up, 5th Grade Transition Events, Middle → High School Transition Events) ☐ Attend College, Career, Military Readiness Informational Meetings and Events ☐ Attend District Educational Improvement Committee (DEIC) Meetings (Contact JDiggs@dentonisd.org for DEIC meeting schedule and locations)
Curriculum	All Denton Independent School District campuses follow the Denton ISD Curriculum. Denton ISD uses high-quality curriculum that supports student success. More information on Denton ISD's Curriculum can be found on the Teaching & Learning website at https://www.dentonisd.org/our-district/departments-services/teaching-learning.
Forms of Academic Assessments	All students take common district assessments to routinely measure student progress. Students are given report card assessments that are aligned with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). Students in grades 3-5 are assessed on the State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness or STAAR tests in Reading/Language Arts, Math and Science (grade 5). Students in grades 6-8 are assessed on STAAR Reading/Language Arts, Math and Science (grade 8). High school students are assessed using STAAR End-of-Course (EOC) assessments in the following subjects: Algebra I, English I, English II, Biology and U.S. History.
Expected Achievement Levels on Academic Assessments	The State's Performance Standards can be found on this website: https://tea.texas.gov/student-assessment/student-assessment-results/taar-performance-standards Each Denton ISD campus monitors the progress of each child's learning and growth throughout the year via local assessments (mentioned above). Additionally, campus administrators develop campus progress monitoring plans and work with teachers to monitor student progress using common assessments.
Ways to Request Meetings	In Denton ISD, we believe our schools are a reflection of our community. Our mission to empower life-long learners to become engaged citizens who positively impact our local and global community can only be accomplished through open and honest conversation between our families and staff. To efficiently address any concern families may have, we strongly encourage all communication to begin at the level closest to the concern.

COMMUNICATION STARTS HERE

<https://www.dentonisd.org/starthere>



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