



Parent and Family Engagement Policy – The Math and Science Academy of Apex

At The Math and Science Academy of Apex, we believe that parents and families are essential partners in student learning and success. We value the unique contributions of families in supporting children’s growth, and we recognize that meaningful family engagement strengthens academic programs, improves student achievement, and builds stronger school communities.

This Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) Policy outlines our shared commitment to fostering ongoing collaboration, effective communication, and opportunities for families to take part in their child’s education.

1. Annual Meeting

- Host an annual meeting at the beginning of the school year to share information about the Title I program, requirements, and parents’ rights.

2. Flexible Engagement Opportunities

- Offer meetings at different times and in various formats (in-person, virtual, in-home if necessary).
- Provide materials and information in clear, family-friendly language and in multiple languages when needed.

3. Parent and Family Participation

- Involve families in planning, reviewing, and improving the Title I program and this policy.
- Invite parents and families to take part in school improvement planning, decision-making, and the use of PFE funds.

4. Building Capacity

- Provide professional development for teachers, leaders, and staff on effective, evidence-based family engagement strategies.
- Coordinate PFE strategies with other school programs and community services.
- Train and equip families with tools and resources—such as literacy, math, and technology workshops—to help children succeed at home and at school.

5. Information and Support for Families

- Provide timely updates on curriculum, assessments, academic standards, and student progress.
- Offer guidance to parents on monitoring their child’s progress and working collaboratively with educators.
- Share opportunities for family workshops, conferences, and events that encourage active learning and leadership.



6. Accessibility and Inclusion

- Ensure meaningful engagement for all families, including those with limited English proficiency, disabilities, or who are economically disadvantaged.
- Provide information and reports in languages and formats families can understand.

7. Evaluation and Continuous Improvement

- Conduct an annual evaluation, with input from parents and families, on the content and effectiveness of this policy in improving student achievement.
- Identify barriers to participation and design strategies to improve engagement across all families and communities.
- Use evaluation findings to strengthen school-family partnerships and revise this policy when needed.

8. Commitment to Partnership

The Math and Science Academy of Apex is committed to working side by side with families and the community to ensure that every student reaches their highest potential. Families are invited to share input and ideas throughout the year, and the school will use those ideas to guide policies, practices, and programs