



Kenneth Davis Elementary & Fine Arts Academy



Parent & Family Engagement Policy

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Kenneth Davis Elementary is committed to building strong partnerships between school and families to support student achievement and well-being. This Parent & Family Engagement (PFE) Policy outlines how we will engage families in meaningful ways throughout the school year.

Expectations & Objectives

- Provide assistance to families in understanding state academic standards, assessments, and how to monitor and support their child's progress.
- Foster a welcoming environment that encourages family involvement in all aspects of school life.
- Collaborate with families to improve student achievement and school performance.

Funding

- Kenneth Davis Elementary receives Title I funding and allocates a portion specifically for parent and family engagement activities. These funds support events, materials, and training that promote meaningful family involvement.

Annual Review & Input

- The Parent & Family Engagement Policy is reviewed annually by the Site-Based Decision Making (SBDM) Committee, which includes parents, staff, and administrators. Feedback is welcomed year-round via email to adambender@misdmail.org.

School-Family Meetings

- Title I Parent Meeting – Held annually to explain Title I programs and services.
- PTA Meetings – Held in September, November, February, April, and May.
- SBDM Committee Meetings – Open to parent representatives for policy and program planning.

Opportunities for Involvement

- Meet the Teacher (August)
- Parent Information Night (September)
- Literacy Night / Trunk-or-Treat (October)
- Open House (January)
- Math or Science Night (Spring)
- Field Day (Spring)
- Kinder & 4th Grade Graduation (May)
- VIP Lunches (Each Semester)
- To volunteer or get involved, contact the PTA at kdedolphinspta@gmail.com.

Trainings & Activities

- Kenneth Davis offers family workshops and events focused on literacy, math, science, and social-emotional learning. These are designed to equip families with tools to support learning at home.

Curriculum & Assessments

- Families can access curriculum and assessment information at:
- MISD Curriculum & Parent Central: <https://www.mansfieldisd.org/parents-students>
- Student Handbook: <https://www.mansfieldisd.org/student-central/student-handbook>
- Academic assessments include STAAR, district benchmarks, and classroom-based evaluations. Achievement expectations are aligned with MISD's guiding statements:
- - Read on level by Grade 3 and remain on level.
- - Master Algebra II by Grade 11
- - Graduate life-ready and college/career-ready

Monitoring Progress

- Parents can monitor student progress through:
- Skyward Family Access: <https://www.mansfieldisd.org/skyward>
- Teacher Communication: Email, phone, Canvas, ParentSquare
- Parent-Teacher Conferences: Scheduled throughout the year

School-Parent Compact

- Each year, families receive a School-Parent Compact outlining shared responsibilities for student success. The compact is reviewed annually by the SBDM Committee and includes:
- School Responsibilities: Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction.
- Parent Responsibilities: Support learning at home and communicate with teachers.
- Student Responsibilities: Attend school regularly and complete assignments.

Ongoing Communication & Ways to Request Meetings

- Kenneth Davis Elementary uses multiple platforms to keep families informed:

- ParentSquare
- Email/Text/Phone (via Skyward)
- Dolphin Times Newsletter
- Website: <https://davis.mansfieldisd.org>
- Facebook
- Call 817-299-7840 to schedule a meeting

Translation Clause

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