

Justice Raúl A. González Elementary



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PARENT & FAMILY ENGAGEMENT POLICY 2025-2026



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of **Justice Raul A. Gonzalez School** is to provide an educational environment in which every student is given the opportunity to learn and grow to their full potential both academically and socially.



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Gonzalez Elementary acknowledges that our students success is highly attributed to a team effort between school administrator, teachers, staff and most importantly parental involvement. In knowing so, we strive to strengthen and educate our parents and caregivers in this ever changing world, showing them the importance of having a relationship with their child's school. We hope to help guide our parents with methods in educating their children in any type of educational environment and situations. So they may become leaders and excel in all they do. It is the plan of this school to implement educational and meaningful programs, procedures and activities for which the parents can be involved alongside teachers and administrators in **Title 1 programs**, that will help promote the educational success of their children thus compiling with the **ESSA/Act**.

THE FOLLOWING WILL BE IMPLEMENTED FOR PARENTAL & FAMILY ENGAGEMENT.

An annual meeting will be conducted at a convenient time to explain the parental program to the parents, which includes its requirements and their rights to be involved in the children's education.

*A updated school Parent & Family Engagement Policy will be shared with parents and the local community, in both english and spanish by:

- *School webpage, facebook page, handouts at school meetings or events
- *Posted on parent information bulletin board in front of school and at a local business for public viewing.



*Offer meetings at a flexible time and home visits to encourage parental involvement.

* Have parents involved in the planning and improvement of parental involvement programs and other programs that they may assist with school wide.

*Supply information to parents about Title 1 programs, school performance profiles, as required by law, individual students assessment results, along with an interpretation of their child results.

*Give the parents a system that will allow them to make inquiries, suggestions and complaints.

*Discuss how communication between teachers and parents on a ongoing basis is important and how annual parent-teacher conferences, progress reports and opportunities to volunteer can help their child's education.

*Give parents the (Parent/Teacher/Compact), which outlines how parents, staff and students will share the responsibility for improving student achievement.

*Maintain an effective involvement with school, parents, and community by working with organizations and businesses to build a relationship between them and the school and educating school staff on the value of parental involvement and how to work with each other as partners in education.

*Provide training such as literacy classes, academic workshops, parenting and nutrition classes to assist parents on how to help their children's development.

*Help parents understand national and state goals and student performance standards assessments and information related to the education of their children.

*Ensuring all information regarding school and parent meetings, programs and activities is available in the language used in their home.

*Enhance the "Leader in Me" process through parent meetings, trainings, resource material and school beautification.

*Provide equipment needed for at home learning, if needed, as well as educational guidance for both parent and student.



VISION STATEMENT

Justice Raul Gonzalez in partnership with parents and the community, will encourage children to achieve their full potential and become responsible citizens and lifelong learners.