

Parent and Family Engagement Policy

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Marshall Middle School

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Marshall Middle School Vision Statement

We will be the school of choice for scholars and families that are **committed** to **achieving excellence** in the **academics** and **arts**.

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What is it?	Marshall Middle School is committed to our mission: To develop 21st century problem solvers & cultivating well-rounded scholars through personalized, authentic learning opportunities, in a safe environment, with the support of families and community partners. One way to achieve this goal is by continuing our participation in the Title I, Part A State Program. This program provides essential funding to schools serving a high percentage of students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds. In return, we remain committed to meeting and exceeding the expectations and requirements established by the Texas Education Agency and the U.S. Department of Education.
Funding	Title I funds will be allocated to support the implementation of the Parent and Family Engagement Program. Programs, activities, and procedures funded through Title I will be developed and implemented in collaboration with parents and families of participating students. Meaningful consultation and ongoing input from families will help ensure that engagement efforts effectively address the needs of students, parents, and the school community
Review	The use of funding and activities can be reviewed by the Texas Education Agency upon request to ensure they meet the needs of the Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) Program.
Family Meetings	Parent meetings offer a time for the school and family to communicate necessary information. These meetings will take place in the MMAFA Library or Cafeteria. You can enter through the main parking lot door. The meeting will be offered in person on the following dates: *Annual Title I Meeting: Thursday, 8/6/2026 @4:45PM *Annual Title I Meeting: Monday, 9/14/2026 @5:00PM

	*September Title I Meeting(Coffee with the Principal): Friday 9/11/2026 @9AM * October Title I Meeting. Thursday, 10/1/2026 @5:30PM *November : TBD *January: TBD *February: TBD * April/ May: TBD
How to be Involved	We encourage all families to take an active role in their child’s education and school community. Families can get involved by: ● Becoming an active member of Marshall MS ● Attending family meetings, trainings, and workshops offered throughout the school year. ● Becoming a school volunteer by completing the VIPS (Volunteers in Public Schools) application and supporting school activities, programs, and special events. ● Participating in programs, activities, resources, and workshops offered throughout the year by the Family and Community Engagement (FACE) Department and Sunrise Centers.
Family Trainings/Activities	Family trainings provide Marshall MS families with opportunities to gain insightful resources, and skills from community partners such as FACE/Sunrise Center. These trainings are designed to strengthen the partnership between home and school and provide families with resources to support their child’s success. The dates, times, and locations listed below are subject to change. <i>Any updates or changes will be communicated to families through ParentSquare.</i> Open House Date: 9/14/2026 Time: 5PM Location: Marshall MS Family STEM Night Date: To Be Announced Time: To Be Announced Location: Marshall MS Families are encouraged to participate in these events and additional family engagement opportunities offered throughout the school year.
Curriculum	Marshall MS uses the curriculum slides provided by the HISD Curriculum Department. Additionally, Marshall MS uses the following resources to support the district’s curriculum and campus interventions. <i>*Amplify, ZEARN, Summit K-12, Khan Academy</i>
Forms of Academic Assessments	Marshall MS uses the assessments provided by Houston ISD.. Some of those assessments are: DOLs, Unit Assessments, BOY, MOY, EOY NWEAMAP assessments. Marshall MS also administers state tests: TELPAS (6-8) and STAAR test (6-8) ; Math/RLA (6-8)/ Science 8, Social Studies 8

Expected Achievement Levels on Academic Assessments	The State’s Performance Standards can be found on this website: https://tea.texas.gov/curriculum-and-instruction/texas-essential-knowledge-and-skills-teks Marshall MS tracks each child’s growth throughout the year. Marshall MS students have data cards where they track their learning and growth from NWEA/STAAR Assessments.
Ways to Request Regular Meetings	Parents and guardians are encouraged to share suggestions, ideas, feedback, or concerns during any of the meetings listed above. Families who wish to meet with an administrator or their child’s teacher at another time may contact the appropriate staff member by email or through ParentSquare to schedule a conference. Marshall MS values open and ongoing communication with our families. We welcome your input and are committed to creating a safe, welcoming, and inclusive school environment where every student and family feels heard, respected, and supported.