The Conservatory School
FY27 Parent and Family Engagement Plan Summary

Parent and Family Engagement Mission Statement

The families and staff of The Conservatory School will work hand-in-hand to promote parent involvement and engagement through active volunteering and participation in school events. Parents, staff, community partners, and other stakeholders will collaborate to make decisions that will empower our students with the skills, courage, optimism, and integrity to pursue their dreams.

Annual Title I Meeting

Each year, families are invited to attend this meeting at the beginning of the school year to learn more about our schoolwide Title I Program and the requirements of Title I. Our meeting will be on Wednesday, August 26, 2026 at 9 am in the cafeteria.

Parent and Family Engagement Trainings

Based on family survey input, we will provide the following activities to assist families in understanding the state curriculum and assessments to help families support their children's academic achievement:

- *Middle School Survival Guide* to support parents as they and their students go through the transition to middle school. Parents will have a better understanding of how grades work, what the expectations are for their children, and how to contact teachers for extra support. Parents will be able to utilize various tools such as Google Classroom and SIS to help monitor their child's academic progress at home. (September 2026)
- *TCS Fun with STEM Night* to inform parents on a variety of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) related skills and benchmarks to help their children practice these skills at home. These skills can be implemented and practiced at home depending on when they are covered in the classroom. (October 2026)
- *Ready to Shine - Understanding State Testing and What to Do With the Results* where parents will learn how to analyze the scores from the PM2 test that the students took in December. From these scores parents will better understand what support they need to provide their students as they are preparing for PM3. We will also teach the parents what specifically will be assessed on PM3 and the impact of those scores. This will help parents to plan for extension and remediation activities as students transition to the next grade level to avoid the dreaded summer slide. (January 2027)

Shared Decision-Making

Families will be invited to many meetings throughout the year to receive academic information, reports, and provide input on ways the school, families and students can share responsibility for student success. We hope you will join us for SAC meetings, parent conferences, Title I meetings, and parent trainings.

Communication

Based on your input, we will provide flexible meeting dates and times to accommodate work schedules. We will also communicate in an ongoing and timely manner using a variety of methods including our school website, social media, emails, phone calls from teachers, and school administration; by flyers sent home with your student, school newsletter/calendar, and academic reports. If you find that communication does not seem to be getting home, please let us know.

Accessibility for All Families

We encourage all families to attend meetings and events. School staff will provide supports needed for all families to be able to participate and be engaged in their child's education. We provide translated documents and interpreters (academic reports, flyers), accessible meeting space, and multiple meeting days and times. Please notify the school if other assistance is needed. We want all families to be a part of their child's education!

Volunteers

Families are encouraged to volunteer at our school to help students and teachers be successful. To find out more about volunteer opportunities, please call our school's volunteer coordinator Dr. Lexande at ismaelle.lexande@palmbeachschools.org . We would love to have your help.

Our Plan

This plan was written in partnership with families, staff, and members of our school community. We welcome your suggestions to improve our family engagement practices. You are also encouraged to attend our annual Stakeholder Input Meeting in the spring and complete training evaluations, and Parent and Family Engagement Survey sent home each year.