Adams Elementary School

Family Engagement Policy

Vision

Adams Elementary believes every student should be presented with the tools and given the opportunity to attain his/her full potential. In order to do just that, we believe that parents, teachers, school staff, and the community must be partners in the education of our students. Families play an extremely important role as their child's first teacher and their support to the school is critical to their child's success. The goal of Adams Elementary is to provide a solid partnership with families that will help ALL students to succeed.

Title 1 Part A Funding

Title 1 funding is supplemental funding provided to local and state education agencies that serve large populations of students from low-income homes. These funds are used to attain resources to improve education programs and provide opportunities for these students.

Family Engagement in Developing the Policy

An advisory council will meet annually to review this Family Engagement Policy. At Adams Elementary we will take the following actions in order to engage families in the development and practice of this policy.

- Inform families about the function of Adams Elementary Family Engagement Policy.
- Inform families of meetings through Parent Square, phone calls, e-mail, social media postings, and written communication.
- Actively recruit families to participate in an advisory capacity.
- Make our compact and policy available at all school sponsored events, as well as in multiple languages.
- Offer a flexible number of meetings at varying times of the day.

Adams Family Engagement Events

Adams Elementary will host the following family engagement events:

- Meet the Teacher
- Open House/Title 1 Night
- Literacy Event
- Math & Science Event
- Grade level music nights

We also greatly encourage parents to participate in district wide or community events we participate in as a school.

Family Training/Learning Opportunities & How to be Involved

Adams Elementary is committed to helping grow our students by serving our families. In an effort to provide ongoing training we will host the following events:

- Open House/Title 1 Night
- STAAR Night
- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- VIPS - Volunteers in Public Schools
- PTA

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Curriculum

Adams Elementary ensures the use of high quality curriculum, and continual efforts to grow our instructional staff in both familiarity of the state standards and optimal instructional strategies.

Our main curriculum derives from the following resources:

- Bluebonnet Math
- Amplify
- HMH- Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
- Gifted and Talented Program

Academic Assessments

Adams Elementary will monitor progress of all students by collecting academic data through assessment. Students will participate in the following assessments:

- Common Based Assessments- district assessments, given 5 times per year
- MAPs – A diagnostic assessment to measure math and reading ability

Our school expectation at Adams Elementary is that students work diligently on these assessments and take them seriously. In an effort to get the most accurate results, we will inform parents of when high-stakes tests will be given so that we can partner in ensuring students are provided the best testing experience. Our hope is that we see growth from each student at their individual level and pace.

Requesting Regular Meetings or Information

In order to request a meeting regarding your individual student, by phone or in person, please contact your child's teacher or the front office at **(817) 202- 2000.**

If you would like to request more information about our family engagement program please reach out to our parent and family liaison, Jessica Hyatt, at (817) 202-2017, or email her at jhyatt@c-isd.com.

We are beyond excited to partner with each of our families in order to enhance the lives and education of our students.