Jacks Valley Elementary School

Parent & Family Involvement Document

At JVES we encourage family involvement through structured policies, community committees, and scheduled school-to-home communication.

Parent & Family Involvement Opportunities

- **Parent Teacher Student Organization (PTSO):** Meets regularly (typically the second Thursday of each month at 3:30 PM with childcare provided) to review school performance plans, Title I information to inform families about program requirements and parental rights, provide feedback, and help organize events.
- **Conferences & Report Cards:** Conducts scheduled parent-teacher conferences at least once a year to discuss academic progress, grade-level expectations, and standards, alongside trimester competency report cards.
- **Family Events & Workshops:** Offers fun events, informational nights, and volunteer programs to help parents support learning at home.
- **Educational Involvement Accord:** Shared the school's Education Accord/Parent Involvement Policy on ParentSquare, with a digital signature to verify receipt to ensure its delivery to solidify the partnership between home and school.
- **School Performance Plan (SPP) Input:** The SPP roadmap is developed and evaluated annually by a team of teachers, the principal, and parents, with regular reviews throughout the school year.

Key Policies & Resources

- **District Policy 226:** Governs parent and family involvement standards across the Douglas County School District. https://webapp-strapi-paas-prod-nde-001.azurewebsites.net/uploads/2026_pife_office_report_fix_4f90a37158.pdf
- **School Performance Plan:** Developed with parent input to track school goals and family connectedness (targeting increased family event participation). The goals in the JVES 2026-2027 school performance plan are geared toward academic achievement in reading and math, teacher training in the science of reading, and student attendance.
- **Communication:** ParentSquare newsletters, PeeChee folders, the Infinite Campus Parent Portal, and parent teacher conferences.