The School at St. George Place
Parent and Family Engagement Policy 2026 - 2027

Our Mission: Our mission is to cultivate internationally minded students who are compassionate, inquisitive, and confident learners.

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What is it?	The School at St. George Place is committed to our mission: cultivate internationally minded students who are compassionate, inquisitive, and confident learners. A way to do this is to continue participating in the Title I, Part A State Program. This program provides funding for low socioeconomic schools. In return, we promise to exceed the expectations laid out for us by the Texas Education Agency and the United States Department of Education.
Funding	Title I funds will be allocated for the implementation of the parent and family engagement program. Such programs, activities and procedures will be planned and implemented through meaningful consultation with parents of participating children.
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. Most of these meetings will take place in the library at 7:45 a.m. once a month. You can enter through the main office door. Annual Title I meetings: Monday, October 26 at 4:00 p.m.; Thursday, October 29 at 7:45 a.m. Additional meetings at 7:45 a.m.: 11/19, 1/29, 2/26, 3/25, 4/30, 5/21.
How to Be Involved	• Become an active member of The School at St. George Place Engagement Committee. • Attend family meetings and trainings listed throughout the year. • Talk to your child's teacher about how to help or volunteer in the classroom. • Become a volunteer to support activities and events by completing the district VIPS application. • Participate in programs, activities and workshops offered throughout the year by Family and Community Engagement (FACE) and Sunrise Centers.

Family Trainings / Activities

Family trainings are opportunities for family members to learn new knowledge and skills from other parents, community members, and educators. The schedule and locations for these meetings will be posted on Parent Square. Any changes made will be communicated via email, Parent Square, or through the school website.

Events and Topics

- Meet the Teacher
- Open House
- Literacy Night
- Math Without Tears
- Attendance Matters
- Homework & Study Skills
- School Choice
- Family-School Partnership & ESSA Requirements
- Campus Improvement Plan (CIP) Overview
- Social-Emotional Learning & Student Wellness
- Technology & Digital Literacy

We look forward to partnering with every family to support student success.

Academic Programs & Family Communication

Curriculum	The School at St. George Place uses the curriculum slides created by the HISD Curriculum Department. Additionally, The School at St. George Place uses the following resources to support the district's curriculum: • Amplify • TEKS Resource System - Lead4ward • Digital resources through the Clever App (Zearn, Amira, Summit K-12, etc.).
Forms of Academic Assessments	The School at St. George Place uses the assessments that the district provides. Some of those assessments are: Circle, DIBELS, Unit Assessments, DOLs, BOY, MOY, and EOY NWEA MAP assessments. The School at St. George Place also administers state tests: STAAR (Grades 3-5) and TELPAS (Grades K-5).
Expected Achievement Levels on Academic Assessments	The State's Performance Standards can be found at: https://tea.texas.gov/student-assessment/testing/staar-performance The School at St. George Place tracks each child's growth throughout the year via local and state assessments (mentioned above). Students have tracker cards where they track their learning and growth.
Ways to Request Regular Meetings	Guardians can bring any suggestions, ideas, or concerns to the meetings listed above. However, if they need to meet with an administrator or their child's teacher at another time, they can email that individual person or use Parent Square to schedule a conference when needed. We welcome all ideas, feedback, and concerns because we want everyone to feel safe and welcome.
School-Parent Compact	Please see the separate School-Parent Compact for shared school, parent/guardian, and student responsibilities.