Roosevelt Elementary School
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Title I, Part A School Parent and Family Engagement Policy

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This policy describes the means for carrying out designated Title I, Part A parent and family engagement requirements pursuant to ESSA Section 1116(c).

Each school served under this part shall jointly develop with, and distribute to, parents and family members of participating children a written parent and family engagement policy, agreed on by such parents, that shall describe the means for carrying out the requirements of subsections (c) through (f). How are parents notified of the policy in an understandable and uniform format and, to the extent practicable, provided in a language the parents can understand? How is the policy made available to the local community? How and when is the policy updated periodically to meet the changing needs of parents and the school (ESSA Section 1116[b][1])?

School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy is displayed on the bulletin board located at the front office and linked on the school website to provide transparency with our parents and community.
School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy is created/updated jointly with parents and school staff members of School Site Council at the beginning of the school year.
School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy will be distributed to parents and students on or before October 23, 2026 via ParentSquare and School Website.
All students will receive a printed paper copy of the School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy to take home on or before October 23, 2026 during parent teacher conference.

To involve parents in the Title I, Part A programs, the following practices have been established:

Parent Title 1 Annual Meeting occurs yearly during 1st Quarter on or before August 20, 2026.
Monthly SSC/ELAC Meetings on specified days in person.
School Parent Involvement Calendar are sent home monthly through ParentSquare and posted on the school website.

Roosevelt Elementary School convenes an annual meeting to inform parents about Title I, Part A requirements and about the right of parents to be involved in the Title I, Part A program (ESSA Section 1116[c][1]). Add details about the annual meetings in the box below:

Roosevelt School offers an annual informational Title I meeting where parents are informed of the school's participation in the Title I program, what the requirements are, and their right to be involved, held on August 20, 2026. This meeting is offered in English and Spanish Parents and community members are provided with a detailed explanation of Roosevelt Elementary School's Title I program. Title 1 meeting is held in conjunction with the Back-to School Night. Parent and Community involvement is documented through a sign-in sheet.Parents are introduced to new School Site Council members through ParentSquare, Newsletter, and school website, and are invited to attend monthly School Site Council Meetings in person.

Roosevelt Elementary School offers a flexible number of meetings for Title I, Part A parents, such as meetings in the morning or evening (ESSA Section 1116[c][2]). Add details about the meetings in the box below:

School Site Council Meetings (SSC) - Monthly meetings will be held every 3rd Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. on the following dates: 9/23/26, 10/28/26, 11/18/26, 12/9/26, 1/20/27, 2/17/27, 3/10/27, 4/14/27, & 5/12/27.
English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC) – Monthly meetings will be held every 2nd Monday at 10:00 a.m. on the following dates: 10/26/26, 12/7/26, 2/16/27, & 4/12/27.
Annual Title I Parent meeting on 8/20/2026.

Roosevelt Elementary School involves parents of Title I, Part A students in an organized, ongoing, and timely way, in the planning, review, and improvement of the school's Title I, Part A programs and the Title I, Part A parent involvement policy (ESSA Section 1116[c][3]). How does the school involve parents?

Roosevelt School distributes an annual needs survey to all parents to ensure that the changing needs of parents are addressed in the Parent Involvement Policy. The needs assessment is also used to address the improvements needed in our Title I program. Roosevelt School annually reviews and revises the Title I program and Parent Involvement Policy at the School Site Council meetings. All Title I parents are informed of the meeting and encouraged to attend and participate in the decision making.

Parents have the opportunities for parent involvement through the following:
School Site Council (SSC) Monthly Meetings
Monthly Parent Cafes
Fall & Spring Parent Teacher Conferences
Quarterly Family Educational Nights
Title I/Parent Education Workshops
Parents As Leaders (PALs) Meetings
Family Lunch Days twice a year
English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC) Meetings
African American Parent Advisory Council (AAPAC) Meetings
District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) Meetings
District African American Parent Advisory Council (DAAPAC) Meetings
District Advisory Committee Meetings (DAC)
All meetings will be conducted in person.

Roosevelt Elementary School provides parents of Title I, Part A students with timely information about Title I, Part A programs (ESSA Section 1116[c)(4][A]). How does the school provide the information?

As Title I information becomes available, parents are notified by quarterly newsletters, monthly FACE Parent Engagement calendars, Parent Square, fliers or council meetings in both English and Spanish. Roosevelt School continuously updates the marquee with information in both English and Spanish about Title I programs as well as the monthly FACE Parent Engagement calendar and all parent related meetings to encourage parents to stay involved. Also, Roosevelt School establishes communication in both English and Spanish with our parents through the school Site website and school FACE facebook.

Roosevelt Elementary School provides parents of Title I, Part A students with an explanation of the curriculum used at the school, the assessments used to measure student progress, and the proficiency levels students are expected to meet (ESSA Section 1116[c][4][B]). How does the school provide the information?

Curriculum and student proficiency levels are explained to parents from teachers at the 1st Quarter meeting on or before October 23, 2026.
Parent messages with explanations of assessments are sent home prior to administering assessment via ParentSquare.
Parent letters explanations of scores of the assessments are sent home after assessment is administered.

If requested by parents of Title I, Part A students, Roosevelt Elementary School provides opportunities for regular meetings that allow the parents to participate in decisions relating to the education of their children (ESSA Section 1116[c][4][C]). How does the school provide the opportunities?

Parent Teacher Conferences are held twice a year: Fall - October 19, 2026 through October 23, 2026 and Spring - March 30, 2027 through April 2, 2027.
All additional conferences with school staff regarding students can be requested in the front office and scheduled in a timely manner.

Roosevelt Elementary School engages Title I, Part A parents in meaningful interactions with the school. The Compact supports a partnership among staff, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement. To help reach these goals, Roosevelt Elementary School has established the following practices:

Roosevelt Elementary School provides Title I, Part A parents with assistance in understanding the state's academic content standards, assessments, and how to monitor and improve the achievement of their children (ESSA Section 1116[e][1]).

School Parent Compact is displayed in a bulletin board located in the hallway of the school, front office, and linked on the school website to provide transparency with our parents and community.
School Parent Compact is created/updated jointly with parents and school staff members of the School Site Council at the beginning of the school year.
School Parent Compact will be linked on the school website and shared with parents through ParentSquare to provide transparency with our parents and community.
All students will receive an additional printed paper copy of the School Parent Compact to take home on October 23, 2026 and posted on ParentSquare and the school website.

Roosevelt Elementary School provides Title I, Part A parents with materials and training to help them work with their children to improve their children's achievement (ESSA Section 1116[e][2]).

Roosevelt School will promote Parent University classes provided by Bakersfield City School District Family and Community Engagement Department to help parents work with their students. Roosevelt Elementary School provides Title I, Part A parents with materials and training to help them work with their children to improve their children's achievement with the following parent engagement opportunities:
Monthly Parent Café
Fall & Spring Parent Teacher Conferences
Quarterly Family Educational Nights
Title I/Parent Education Workshops
Parents As Leaders (PALs) Meetings
School Site Council (SSC) Meetings
English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC) Meetings
African American Parent Advisory Council (AAPAC) Meetings
District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) Meetings
District African American Parent Advisory Council (DAAPAC) Meetings
District Advisory Committee (DAC) Meetings

With the assistance of Title I, Part A parents, Roosevelt Elementary School educates staff members in the value of parent contributions, and in how to work with parents as equal partners (ESSA Section 1116[e][3]).

Roosevelt staff is provided with professional development on the importance of establishing positive relationships with their students and parents as equal partners.
At staff meetings and Late Start PDs, the staff is provided professional development on working with students and families in poverty, increasing parent/school partnerships through ongoing communications, providing ideas to educate teachers regarding parent contributions and how to work with parents as equal partners.
At Leadership Meetings, Team Collaboration Meetings and Academic Conferences staff are educated in working with parents.
Parents are asked at SSC meetings and other meetings to provide input on ways the school can help work with parents more effectively.

Roosevelt Elementary School coordinates and integrates the Title I, Part A parent and family engagement program with other programs, and conducts other activities, such as parent resource centers, to encourage and support parents in more fully participating in the education of their children (ESSA Section 1116[e][4]).

Roosevelt School Parent resource center coordinates our Title I parent involvement program with our Pre-K program and parent education sessions. Parents are also encouraged to attend the SSC meetings or other advisory committees throughout the school year.
Roosevelt School shares all information for classes offered by the school site and Bakersfield City School District on Parent Square. A monthly Parent Engagement calendar is shared on ParentSquare.

Roosevelt Elementary School distributes Information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities to Title I, Part A parents in a format and language that the parents understand (ESSA Section 1116[e][5]).

Roosevelt School distributes all parent communication in English and Spanish. All information sent home is translated by District translators or by staff translators.
Roosevelt School ensures that parents know there is at least one person that can translate when visiting the school.
Parent Square notices are announced in both English and Spanish.
Parent Sessions, SSC meetings, Parent classes, etc. are provided in both English and Spanish.

Roosevelt School communicates to parents through the following in both English and Spanish:Fliers - Printed Paper Copies/ParentSquare/School website
School Site website
ParentSquare
Marquee
Posted on a Bulletin Board located in the front office

Roosevelt Elementary School provides support for parental involvement activities requested by Title I, Part A parents (ESSA Section 1116[e][14]).

Roosevelt School has a Family and Community Engagement Parent Center designated to provide our parents opportunities to participate in parent involvement activities and is available for use during regular school hours and before/after school for meetings.
Roosevelt School invites parents to participate in school activities, committees, and councils. Roosevelt School has a school volunteer program where parents are encouraged to volunteer on the school campus and the FACE Parent center.
Roosevelt School has many opportunities for parents to become involved: Back to School Night, Parent classes, parent/teacher conferences, SSC, ELAC, AAPAC, and parent sessions. Parents may request support/activities through parent session meetings, parent cafes, phone calls to the school office, messages through Parent Square, or structured formal meetings for needs assessments.
The following are some of the parental involvement opportunities for parents to participate: Monthly Parent Cafes, Parent Teacher Conferences , MTSS/TSS meetings, Quarterly Family Educational Nights and Title I/Parent Education Workshops.
Roosevelt Home-School Compact is developed collaboratively with School Site Council members to support parent involvement as well. Roosevelt Home-School Compact: https://acrobat.adobe.com/id/urn:aaid:sc:VA6C2:55bf1ab6-bdc4-4223-a2ef-a9735100ac97

Roosevelt Elementary School provides opportunities for the participation of all Title I, Part A parents, including parents with limited English proficiency, parents with disabilities, and parents of migratory students. Information and school reports are provided in a format and language that parents understand (ESSA Section 1116[f]).

Home School Compact link:
https://acrobat.adobe.com/id/urn:aaid:sc:VA6C2:55bf1ab6-bdc4-4223-a2ef-a9735100ac97

This policy was adopted by the Roosevelt Elementary School on April 21, 2026 and will be in effect for the period of 2026-2027.

Roosevelt Elementary School will distribute the policy to all parents of students participating in the Title I, Part A program on, or before: October 23, 2026.Parent-teacher conferences in elementary schools, at least annually, during which the Compact shall be discussed as it relates to the individual child’s achievement (ESSA Section 1116 [d][2][A]).

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Name and Title of Authorized Official

4/21/2026

Date