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SCHOOL, PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT POLICY

All check boxes marked in this policy indicate an assurance on the part of the school.

Type of Title I.A program

☒ Schoolwide

☐ Targeted

☒ This school parent and family engagement policy is developed jointly with, distributed to, and agreed on with parents of participating children, including parents of migrant and EL children. *Section 1116 (b)(1)*

Describe how the school seeks and obtains the agreement of parents to the parent and family engagement policy.

School handbook signature page

☒ Parents are notified of the policy in an understandable and uniform format. *Section 1116(b)(1)*

☒ The school parent and family engagement policy is provided in a language the parents can understand. *Section 1116(b)(1)*

POLICY INVOLVEMENT

☒ At the beginning of the school year, the school convenes an annual meeting, at a convenient time, to which all parents of participating children are invited and encouraged to attend. *Section 1116 (c)(1)*

☒ The agenda reflects that the purpose of the meeting is

☒ To inform parents of their school's participation in the Title I.A program

☒ To explain the requirements of Title I.A

☒ To explain the right of parents to be involved.

Section 1116 (c)(1)

☒ The school offers a flexible number of meetings. *Section 1116 (c)(2)*

☒ Using Title I.A funds, to promote parental involvement the school provides (check all that apply)

- ☐ Transportation
- ☐ Child care
- ☐ Home visits
- ☒ Funds will not be utilized for these purposes

Section 1116 (c)(2)

The school involves parents in an organized, ongoing, and timely way:

- ☒ In the planning, review, and improvement of the Title I.A program and if applicable Schoolwide program plan in the school. *Section 1116 (c)(3)*

Describe how parents are involved in the planning, review, and improvement of the Title I.A program and if applicable Schoolwide program plan in the school.

All parents are surveyed at the end of the year to ask for input on elementary programs and parent involvement so that plans can be made for the upcoming school year. Plans are reviewed at the PTSA meeting in the fall. Any recommendations for revision are incorporated into the plan.

- ☒ In the planning, review, and improvement of the school parent and family engagement policy. *Section 1116 (c)(3)*

Describe how parents are involved in the planning, review, and improvement of the school parent and family engagement policy.

All parents are surveyed at the end of the year to ask for input on elementary programs and parent involvement so that plans can be made for the upcoming school year. Plans are reviewed at the PTSA meeting in the fall. Any recommendations for revision are incorporated into the parent and family engagement policy.

The school provides parents of participating children:

- ☒ Timely information about the Title I.A programs. *Section 1116 (c)(4)(A)*

Describe plans to provide information about the Title I.A programs.

Flyers from teachers and principal as well as information shared at Parent Teacher conferences in the fall.

- ☒ A description and explanation of the curriculum in use at the school, the forms of academic assessments that are used to measure progress, and the achievement levels of the MAP assessment.

Section 1116 (c)(4)(B)

Describe methods and plans to provide a description and explanation of the curriculum, academic assessments, and MAP achievement levels.

The elementary newsletter, parent letters regarding MAP assessments, and the school website all provide information on various assessments and curriculum. All students in grades K-5 have a data binder which includes all assessment information as it relates to their grade-level priority standards. Other assessment data and goal-setting information is also included.

☒ Opportunities, as appropriate, to participate in decisions relating to the education of their children. *Section 1116 (c)(4)(C)*

☒ Responses to their suggestions as soon as possible. *Section 1116 (c)(4)(C)*

SHARED RESPONSIBILITY FOR HIGH STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

School-Parent Compact

The School-Parent Compact outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the State's high standards. *Section 1116 (d)*

☒ The school jointly develops with parents of Title I.A served children the school-parent compact.

The school-parent compact will

☒ Describe the ways in which all parents will be responsible for supporting their children's learning. *Section 1116 (d)(1)*

*Make sure they are in school every day possible and on time.
 *Encourage my child to complete all homework assignments.
 *Monitor the amount of television watched.
 *Volunteer in my child's classroom/school.
 *Attend parent-teacher conferences.
 *Be aware of my child's extra-curricular time and activities.
 *Stay informed about my child's education by reading all communications from the school and responding appropriately.
 *Support the school in developing positive behaviors in my child.
 *Encourage my child to read at home and apply all their learning to daily life.

☒ Describe the school's responsibility to provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment. *Section 1116 (d)(1)*

Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables participating children to meet the Missouri Learning Standards by:

Retaining highly qualified principals and teachers; Provide instruction, materials, and high quality professional development which incorporates the latest research; Maintain a safe and positive school climate which promotes active learning in the classroom and establishes high and reasonable expectation for each student.

Hold parent-teacher conferences to: Discuss the child's progress/grades; Discuss the compact as it relates to the child's achievement; Examine the child's achievement and any pending options at the end of the third quarter.

Provide parents with frequent reports on their child's progress as follows: Weekly/monthly packets from the classroom teacher; monthly suggestions from the classroom teacher; Mid-quarter progress reports from the school, and quarterly report cards sent home by the school.

Be accessible to parents through:

Phone calls or person-to-person meetings; Scheduled consultation before, during, or after school. Scheduled school visits.

Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class by seeking ways to involve parents in the school program. Examples are listening to children read, helping with classroom art projects, presenting a program on your culture, and assisting with holiday programs, parties, or educational trips.

☒ Addresses the importance of communication between teachers and parents on an ongoing basis through, at a minimum

- ☒ Conducting parent-teacher conferences at least annually, during which the compact shall be discussed
 - ☒ Issuing frequent reports to parents on their children's progress
 - ☒ Providing reasonable access to staff, opportunities to volunteer, and observation of classroom activities
 - ☒ Ensuring regular two-way, meaningful communication between family members and school staff, and, in a language that family members can understand
- Section 1116 (d)(2)(A) (B),(C),(D)*

BUILDING CAPACITY FOR INVOLVEMENT

To ensure effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement, the school

- ☒ Provides assistance to parents, as appropriate, in understanding
- o the Missouri Learning Standards,
 - o the Missouri Assessment Program,
 - o local assessments,
 - o how to monitor a child's progress, and
 - o how to work with educators to improve the achievement of their children.
- Section 1116 (e)(1)*

Describe plans to provide assistance.

The elementary is working to develop grade-level expectation books which will include information regarding essential standards, MAP and local assessments, progress monitoring and parent involvement to improve academic achievement. Many of these resources are now located in various locations on the school website. Parent meetings are held and information provided at family engagement activities.

- ☒ Provides materials and training to help parents work with their children to improve achievement. *Section 1116 (e)(2)*

Describe plans to provide materials and training.

Information regarding parents with their children to improve achievement will be shared in monthly school newsletters. Teachers also share information and tips in weekly newsletters.

- ☒ Educates teachers, specialized instructional support personnel, principals, and other school leaders, and other staff, with the assistance of parents, in the value and utility of contributions of parents, and in how to reach out to, communicate with, and work with parents as equal partners, implement and coordinate parent programs, and build ties between parents and the school. *Section 1116 (e)(3)*

Describe plans to educate school personnel regarding working with parents.

Information regarding working with parents and parent communication is located in the staff handbook. This is reviewed with staff annually and at staff meetings throughout the year.

To ensure effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement, the school

- ☒ To the extent feasible and appropriate, coordinates and integrates parent involvement programs and activities with other Federal, State, and local programs, including public preschool programs, and conducts other activities, such as parent resource centers, that encourage and support parents in more fully participating in the education of their children. *Section 1116 (e)(4)*

Describe plans to coordinate and integrate.

Parents as Teachers and Head Start coordinate activities with the Title I preschool. A Parent Resource Center is available with a multitude of books and activities.

- ☒ Ensures that information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities is sent to the parents of participating children in a format and, in a language the parents can understand. *Section 1116 (e)(5)*
- ☒ Provides reasonable support for parental involvement activities under this section as parents may request. *Section 1116 (e)(14)*

Optional additional assurances

To ensure effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement, the school: (optional; check if applicable)

- ☐ Involves parents in the development of training for teachers, principals, and other educators to improve the effectiveness of parent involvement training. *Section 1116 (e)(6)*
- ☐ Provides necessary literacy training from Title I funds if the local educational agency has exhausted all other reasonably available sources of funding for literacy training. *Section 1116 (e)(7)*

- ☐ Pays reasonable and necessary expenses associated with local parental involvement activities, including transportation and child care costs, to enable parents to participate in school-related meetings and training sessions. *Section 1116 (e)(8)*
- ☐ Trains parents to enhance the involvement of other parents. *Section 1116 (e)(9)*
- ☒ Arranges school meetings at a variety of times, or conducts in-home conferences between teachers or other educators, who work directly with participating children, with parents who are unable to attend conferences at school, in order to maximize parental involvement and participation. Adopts and implements model approaches to improving parental involvement. *Section 1116 (e)(10)*
- ☐ May adopt and implement model approaches to improving parental involvement. *Section 1116 (e)(11)*
- ☐ Establishes a districtwide parent advisory council to provide advice on all matters related to parental involvement in Title I programs. *Section 1116 (e)(12)*
- ☒ May develop appropriate roles for community-based organizations and businesses in parent involvement activities. *Section 1116 (e)(13)*

ACCESSIBILITY

In carrying out the parent and family engagement requirements of the Title I program, the school, to the extent practicable,

- ☒ Provides opportunities for the informed participation of parents and family members, including:
 - ☒ Parent and family members who have limited English proficiency.
 - ☒ Parent and family members with disabilities.
 - ☒ Parent and family members of migratory children.
- ☒ Provides information and school reports in a format and, in a language parents understand. *Section 1116 (f)*

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