

**Joan Y. Ervin Elementary School Parental Involvement Policy  
2018-2019**

*The Title I Parental Involvement section of the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) requires each Title I school to jointly develop with and distribute to parents of participating children, a written parental involvement policy. The purpose of Title I is to provide activities and services which support students in meeting the state's academic standards.*

<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Activities/Strategies</b>
<b>Parental Involvement Policy Requirements</b>	
<i>The school will involve parents in the joint development and joint agreement of its School Parental Involvement Policy and its school wide plan, if applicable, in an organized, ongoing, and timely way under section 1118(b) of the ESEA.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Campus Parental Involvement Meeting</li> <li>Written School/Parent Compact</li> <li>Parent Survey</li> <li>PTA Meetings</li> </ul>
<i>The school will distribute to parents of participating children and the local community, the School Parental Involvement Policy.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CPOC</li> <li>Parent Survey/Distribute copies of plan/post on website</li> <li>Parent/Teacher Goals Conferences</li> <li>PTA Meeting</li> </ul>
<i>The school will convene an annual meeting to inform parents of the following:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parent Involvement Policy</li> <li>Open House</li> <li>PTA Board Meetings</li> <li>Annual Title 1 Requirements</li> <li>Title 1 Budget Expenditures</li> <li>Inform about Title 1 school's federal funding</li> </ul>
<i>The school will provide to parents of participating children a description and explanation of the curriculum in use at the school, the forms of academic assessment used to measure student progress, and the proficiency levels students are expected to meet.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open house, home visits, and parent meetings</li> <li>To give parents information on curriculum, testing and testing results</li> <li>Graded papers will be sent home every Tuesday</li> <li>Weekly folders</li> <li>Student Report Card/Progress Reports</li> <li>Report card night will be held at the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> six weeks</li> <li>SSI Student Success Initiative information</li> <li>GPC- Grade Placement Meetings</li> <li>Parental Involvement Policy Meetings</li> <li>STAAR Talks//PK &amp;K Orientation Survey</li> <li>PTA Meetings &amp; Executive Board Meetings</li> </ul>
<b>Shared Responsibilities for High Student Academic Achievement</b>	
<i>The school will build the schools' and parent's capacity for strong parental involvement, in order to ensure effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school involved, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Goals Conferences (parents/teachers)</li> <li>Weekly Newsletters</li> <li>Parents will be contacted through automated calling system. Report card night to help parents have a deeper understanding of STAAR objectives and techniques for learning strategies.</li> <li>Teachers will update their fusion pages weekly to update parents on what the students are learning.</li> <li>STAAR Talks/Grades 3,4 and 5</li> <li>Building Strong Families Conference</li> <li>Home to School Enrichment Projects/Explore Project Based Learning</li> </ul>
<i>The school will, with the assistance of its district, provide materials and training to help parents work with their children to improve their children's academic achievement, such as literacy</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parents will receive instruction on how to set up an account on grade book/LISD App</li> <li>Access to computers</li> </ul>

<p><i>training, and using technology, as appropriate, to foster parental involvement.</i></p>	<p>PBIS Expectations          STAAR Talks-grades 3,4, and 5          PK &amp; Kindergarten Orientation          Parent Involvement Conference          PTA Meetings          Title 1 Meetings          Literacy, Technology Awareness          Staff Liaison Meetings</p>
<p><i>The school will, with the assistance of its district and parents, educate its teachers, pupil services personnel, principals and other staff, in how to reach out to, communicate with, and work with parents as equal partners, in the value and utility of contributions of parents, and in how to implement and coordinate parent programs and build ties between parents and schools.</i></p>	<p>CPOC and the Parent Advisory Board          Building Strong Families Conference          PTA /Title 1 Meetings(performances          PK &amp; K orientations          STAAR Talks          Weekly Newsletters          Access to Gradebook          Update teacher profile pages on website          PBIS Expectations</p>
<p><i>The school will, to the extent feasible and appropriate, take the following actions to ensure that information related to the school and parent-programs, meetings, and other activities, is sent to the parents of participating children in an understandable and uniform format, including alternative formats upon request, and, to the extent practicable, in a language the parents can understand.</i></p>	<p>LISD Notification System/LISD Website/Ervin Marquee, LISD TV          PBIS Expectations          Report Cards/Progress Reports/Access to Gradebook          Folders/Planners/Newsletters          Parent Involvement Conference/Building Strong Families          Professional Development for Parental Engagement          Automated phone calls          Emails          School fusion and teacher website pages          Yearly/Monthly Calendars          PTA/Title 1 Meetings          CPOC &amp; Parent Advisory Board          STAAR Talks and PK &amp; K Orientation          School Calendars</p>
<p><b><i>Building Capacity for Involvement</i></b></p>	
<p><i>The School Parental Involvement Policy may include additional discretionary activities that the school, in consultation with its parents, chooses to undertake to build parents' capacity for involvement in the school to support their children's academic achievement.</i></p>	<p>Health Fair          Holiday Meals for Parents/Students          Various cultural celebrations/Fall Festival          PTA Meetings/ Principal 200 Club          Field trips/Class parties/Play Day/Awards Assembly          5<sup>th</sup> Grade Banquet          Community Mentors/Volunteers/ Father's Group</p>