

School Parent Involvement Policy and Plan

School: Jefferson High School

Plan Updated: October 11, 2024

Completed By: School Leadership Team and Title One Support Staff

We are committed to working together to provide the best education for your children. Please review our current Parental Involvement Policy and Plan. We encourage and need your input in making our school the best it can be. Thank you for staying involved in your child's education. We look forward to a successful year. If you have any questions, please call our school.

Statement of Purpose:

The faculty of our school is committed to providing a quality education for all students and recognizing the essential role of parents and the value of their input.

Goal 1: During the 2024-2025 school year, JHS will provide students and parents with a resource center where they can gain information on topics of importance

- Parents will have an opportunity to use a computer at JHS to check grades and visit educational Web sites.
- We will also provide brochures and pamphlets for parents and students with relevant topics.
- Parents will be encouraged to view the Title I Plan on JHS's webpage and a printed copy at the school.
- A suggestion sheet will also be available for parental input.

Goal 2: During the 2024-2025 school year, JHS will increase transparency by regularly communicating with parents on student success and information about the TItle Program and upcoming events..

- Teachers will routinely contact parents individually to communicate about their child's progress and needs.
- The school's website will be updated regularly to provide relevant information with a calendar of events.
- The school will send mass text messages and letters informing parents of meetings and important events JHS students and parents.

- The school will use the student handbook, website, parent resource center, Facebook, and student binder to share the school's Title I Plan and how to get a copy upon request.
- JHS principal will email a monthly newsletter that provides information about Title services and school happenings.

Goal 3: During the 2024-2025 school year, parents will be invited to collaborate with JHS staff in person at least three times over the course of the school year.

- These meetings will include two parent/teacher conferences where teachers can discuss student achievement and progress. Parents will be given a summary of the student's test scores and an explanation of the intervention teachers are using to assist the student in reaching achievement goals. Parents and educators will discuss how they can support these efforts.
 - Career Night
 - FAFSA and Scholarship Night
 - Parent Teacher Conferences
 - Friday Support
- Parents will be invited to help us develop the parental involvement plan. We will get their input by:.
 - Sharing the plan and gathering input at Parent Teacher Conferences.
 - Inviting parents to participate in planned Community Career Nights.
- We will be available and schedule appointments by phone or in-person to accommodate parents who want to discuss decisions and suggestions about their student's progress and cannot attend evening meetings.

Is there a copy of the district's Parental Involvement Policy in your Student Handbook?

If not, how are you disseminating the policy to parents?

It will be mailed home, emailed, and posted on our page.

Is your Student Handbook available in another language? \boxtimes Yes

No

Will you be holding a parent meeting to disseminate information regarding the school's parent involvement policy and plan, academic programs, federal programs, and to explain effective parent involvement practices?

Yes \square Date of the Meeting: August 27,28,29, October 16th, 17th, November 18th.

What other ways have you disseminated the school's parent involvement policy and plan?

Paper : student handbook Website link: posted on school website other Facebook Post

Please provide evidence that the school-parent-student compact was distributed this year to parents for their signature.

Compacts signed by parents are in each student's binder, shared with their mentor, or located in their blue folder. The compact is also located in the Student Handbook. Samples are available upon request.

Please complete the following table. You need only fill in the areas your school will work on during this school year.

School Activities	Person Responsible	Cost	Date Completed
Parenting – The school will provide a parent resource center for parents (Goal #1)			
The parent support Center	Heather Cooper		
will be in our hallway. It			
will include informational			
brochures and access to a			
laptop where parents can			
check grades and research			
educational websites.			
Communicating – School staff will use various communication strategies to provide additional			
information to parents and increase parental involvement in supporting classroom instruction.			
(Goal #2)		I	1
Use of telephone,	All staff members will play		
internet, mail, text	a part.		
messenger, student			
handbook, parent			
resource center			
Decision Making – Training to help parents participate in the governance/planning of schools.			
The school will hold parent meetings, conferences, and activities regularly throughout the year			
to increase parental involvement and build staff and parent capacity to engage in these efforts.			
(Goal #3)			
Parent/Teacher	All staff members		
Conferences (to be held			
in the evenings and upon			
request to accommodate			
parents' schedules)			
Student Success Seminar			

Please describe how this plan for parent involvement will be disseminated to all parents. Be sure to include how you will provide this information in both English and other languages spoken by parents.

The parent involvement plan will be posted on our school's website, be included in the student handbook, and will be shared with parents at Parent Teacher Conferences.

By signing this document, I assure that this plan was developed jointly by the Parent Advisory Committee and School Leadership Team.

Principal:

Date:

Parent Involvement Policy and Plan Sign-In Sheet (Please attach notes of the meeting onto the sign-in sheet.)

Date of Meeting:

Participants: Angel Wadsworth (Principal) Heather Cooper (Leadership Team) Brooks Strong (Leadership Team) Kelton Fortune (Leadership Team) Sara Billeter (Leadership Team) Shanda Judy (Parent) Taijya Mendoza (Adult Student)