

Title I School-Level Parental Involvement Policy

Deanna Davenport Elementary

2018-2019

Deanna Davenport Elementary has developed a written Title I parental involvement policy with input from Title I parents. The campus held a Parent Policy- Parent Compact Committee meeting to edit and revise the Deanna Davenport Parent Involvement Policy. The committee consisted of parents, parent liaison, administrators, and teachers. Once the Deanna Davenport Parent Involvement Policy is approved, it will be distributed to all the parents of our Title I students during Parent-Teacher Conference Night. In addition, the policy will be uploaded to the campus webpage. This policy describes the means for carrying out the following Title I parental involvement requirements.

Involvement of Parents in the Title I Program

To involve parents in the Title I Program at Deanna Davenport, the following practices have been established:

The school convenes an annual meeting to inform parents of Title I students about Title I requirements and about the rights of parents to be involved in the Title I program.

- Parents are informed about the Title I program and entitlements through meetings held at the campus. Notice of meetings is sent home with students, as well as a phone master call and marquee, to remind all parents about this important meeting.

The school offers a flexible number of meetings for Title I parents, such as meetings in the morning or evening.

- Two meetings are offered on September 27, to inform parents about Title I components and entitlements. There is a meeting held at 8:30 AM and another one at 5:00 PM on the same day.
- Meetings are held both in English and in Spanish.

Deanna Davenport Elementary involves parents of Title I students in an organized, ongoing, and timely way, in the planning, review, and implementation of the school's Title I Program such as:

- Parental Involvement policy
- Parent Compact
- Campus Needs Assessments
- Parent Leadership Team (PLT)
- CATCH
- LPAC
- CIC

The school provides parents of Title I students with timely information about the Title I Program by:

- Providing parents with information on state standards, assessments, requirements of Title I, monitoring their child's progress, and working with educators. Information is provided at parent-teacher conferences, during grade reporting, on the campus website, and through home communications (letters, phone calls, Class Dojo, and notices).
- Deanna Davenport Elementary provides materials and training to help parents work with their children to improve academic achievement through Parent Nights.

- Parent trainings and family education nights will be planned each year based on the school needs assessment, and may include, but not limited to A Welcome Back to School Open House, a Reading Parent Workshop, a Math Parent Workshop, a Science Parent Workshop, Science Fair Workshop for Parents, a Science Fair Display Night, Nutrition class, and Scholastic Book Fairs.
- Deanna Davenport Elementary communicates regularly with parents in clear and understandable terms. This includes opportunities for parents to participate in decision-making roles, volunteer opportunities, a district annual parent survey, creating the Parent-School Compact, and attending parent-teacher conferences. Parent-teacher meetings may be scheduled at any time, as requested. The Campus Improvement Plan is reviewed and approved by the CIC with parent representation and will submit any parents' comments on the plan when the school makes the plan available to the LEA.
- Deanna Davenport Elementary coordinates parent involvement activities in conjunction with other initiatives including, *but not limited to, adult classes for parents, Preventing Violence at Home training, Importance of making a Will, School Health Fairs, and Flu Shot clinics.*
- Deanna Davenport Elementary values its partnerships with all stakeholders and is proud of the many opportunities that are available for parents to be actively involved in the school activities of their children. Below are a few of the opportunities that are available to parents, students, and/or community members:
 1. Open House
 2. Principal's Coffee PAC Meetings
 3. Grandparent Appreciation Day
 4. Music Performances
 5. School Events
 6. Fall Festival
 7. Spring Festival
 8. PE Fun Field Day
 9. Workshops in the content areas
 10. Book Fairs
 11. Folkloric Show
 12. Robotics Show
 13. Science Fair Display Night
 14. Parent-Teacher Conferences
 15. Parent Trainings
 16. Parent Conferences
 17. Awards Assembly
 18. Winter and End of the Year Performances
 19. Project-Based Learning/Genius Hour
 20. Project Lead the Way-Launch Program
 21. Flashback Fridays
 22. Guided Reading
 23. Guided Math
 24. Kids Excel
 25. Fundraisers
 26. No Late Homework Club
 27. Recognition of students every nine weeks
- Deanna Davenport Elementary is committed to reaching out and working with parents as equal partners.

This policy was developed with the support of the campus Parent Liaison and the Parent Compact/Policy Committee. Once a draft of the policy was developed, a meeting was held to revise, edit and approve the document to be distributed to parents during the Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences. This policy document will be uploaded onto the campus webpage by November, 2018 after Parent –Teacher Conferences.