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Arbor Creek Elementary

Campus Family Engagement Policy

Distribution Method: Hard copies handed out/delivered virtually through Title I Parent Conference. A copy was also shared in the school family newsletter as well as in email.

Welcome to Arbor Creek Elementary! Our mission at Arbor Creek is: Arbor Creek Elementary welcomes diversity, fosters growth and creativity, and inspires students to become lifelong learners. Arbor Creek serves Pre-Kindergarten through 6th grade students and we are committed to providing a positive learning environment for our diverse population in order to guide the students towards growth and success. We also remain dedicated to engage our families in their student's education in order to meet or exceed academic standards.

Statement of Purpose:

The Title I Family Engagement section of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires Title I schools to jointly develop with and distribute to families of participating children a written family engagement policy. This policy will be reviewed annually.

Family Engagement Policy Review:

Annually, parents and school staff will work to review, revise and improve the Family Engagement policy as needed. The policy will also be posted on our campus website.

School Compact:

Our campus, along with parents, developed a learning compact that explains the shared responsibilities of students, parents and staff members. These shared responsibilities are necessary for student academic success. Compacts are explained and distributed each year at the Title I Parent Conference. Our Compact is reviewed annually with families, as well as redistributed throughout the year. The Family Engagement Compact can be found on the school's website in both English and Spanish.

Arbor Creek Elementary uses Title I funds to provide school-wide services for students. An annual Title I meeting is held each year in August to review Title I, Part A guidelines and services offered at our school.

Family Engagement Opportunities:

Arbor Creek will build capacity for strong parental involvement/engagement by encouraging parents to participate in the following opportunities including, but not limited to:

Content Specific Family Nights, Grade Level Meetings, Establishing our ACE PTA

In addition, we will provide resources that encourages and supports parents in the education of their student. **Staff/Parent Communication:**

Our campus welcomes two-way communication throughout the school year. Newsletters, the MOOSE Notebook, family conferences, phone calls, emails, Social Media announcements and/or written notes will be utilized to maintain open lines of communication. Families are strongly encouraged to contact their student's teacher(s) when there is a concern with their academics or behavior. We truly believe that it takes a partnership between families and the school to achieve the best for the students.

Evaluation:

An annual parent survey will be conducted to review the content and effectiveness of parent involvement at Arbor Creek. The campus will revise our policy based on the needs shown from this annual review.

This family Engagement Policy was developed by Arbor Creek Elementary staff and parents in accordance with Title I, Part A; ESSA Federal Act.

Annual Campus Title I Meeting: August 2021