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2024-2025 Family Engagement Policy

Parent and Family Engagement Policy Reviewed and Revised 04/29/24 through 8/23/24
Updated Parent and Family Engagement Policy posted on Holland ISD's website on or before 09/01/2024

Translation of the Policy in Spanish can be found on Holland ISD's website

La traducción de la Política al español se puede encontrar en el sitio web de Holland ISD

www.hollandisd.org

Title I Family Engagement Program

Holland Elementary School is committed to HISD's vision: All students feel safe, engaged hourly, respected by everyone, and encouraged to develop to their fullest potential. We work hard to provide a high-quality education for all of our students, PK-5th grade, and to develop and maintain meaningful relationships with families and the community. One way we continue to do this is by participating in the Title I, Part A Federal Program. This program provides funding for low socioeconomic schools. In return, we promise to meet the expectations laid out for us by the Texas Education Agency and the United States Department of Education.

Funding

Title I funds will be allocated for the implementation of the parent and family engagement program. Such programs, activities, and procedures will be planned and implemented with meaningful input from the parents and families at our school.

Review

All use of funding and activities can be reviewed by the Texas Education Agency upon request to ensure they meet the needs of the Parent and Family Engagement Program.

Communication is Key!

We welcome any ideas, feedback, and concerns as we want our school to be a place where everyone feels safe and welcome. If you have any ideas, feedback, or concerns about our PFE program or if you would like to volunteer to serve on a committee, <u>click this link</u> or scan the QR code below.



Let us hear from you!

How to Request a Meeting

Parents/Guardians can request a meeting with their child's teacher or an administrator by emailing them, messaging them on Class Dojo, or calling the school's office at 254-657-2525.

How to Get Involved

- Join Holland ISD's PTO, Athletic Booster Club, and Youth Booster Club
- Attend Parent-Family Meetings, Parent-Teacher
 Conferences, and Parent-Family Trainings/Activities.
- Join the Parent Advisory Committee, District/Campus Improvement Committee, School Health Advisory Committee, Title I Committee, or Safety & Security Committee.

Family-School Compact

Holland Elementary School believes that schools, families, and students must all share responsibility for student achievement. Therefore, we will provide all families with a Family-School Compact explaining how each of us can do our part to ensure student success. This compact will be reviewed and revised as needed at the Parent Advisory Committee Meeting at the end of the year. Teachers will revise, if needed, the "goals" section at the beginning of each school year.

Curriculum and Assessment

Holland Elementary School utilizes high-quality, research-based curriculums that teach the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) and support student achievement.

We assess/monitor student progress at the beginning, middle, and end of the year using:

- PK: CIRCLE Progress Monitoring
- K-1: Texas Primary Reading Instrument(TPRI),
 Benchmark Assessment System(BAS), Texas Early
 Mathematics Inventories (TEMI)
- 2: Texas Primary Reading Instrument(TPRI), iReady, and Star (AR)
- 3-5: iReady, Star (AR), and STAAR (State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness)

Expected Achievement Levels on Academic Assessments

The State's Performance Standards can be found on this website or by scanning the QR code: https://tea.texas.gov/student-assessment/student-assessment-results/staar-performance-standards

Student STAAR results are available to students and their parents through the <u>Texas Assessment</u>

Family Portal or by logging in to your <u>Holland ISD parent portal</u>. Parents can see their child's recent test results as well as easy-to-use resources to support learning at home and assist their child in focusing on the skills he or she most needs help with.

Understanding your child's iReady diagnostic results can be found using this link: chrome-extension://efaidnbmnnnibpcajpcglclefindmkaj/https://i-readycentral.com/download/?res=39944&view_pdf=1

Data meetings are conducted three times a year to assess/monitor student progress. Data from the above assessments is reviewed at each meeting. Letters will go home to parents of students who need additional support in math and/or reading.

Family Meetings, Trainings, and Activities	
Date	Event
Aug 8, 2024 @ 5:30 pm	Meet the Teacher
Aug 19, 2024 @ 6:30 pm	Meet the Hornets
Aug 29, 2024 @ 6:30 pm	Family Night
Aug 29, 2024 @ 6:00 pm	Title I Annual Meeting
Sept 4, 2024 @ 8:00 am	Title I Annual Meeting
Sept 9, 2024 @ 2:00 pm	Grandparents' Day (1st grade only)
Oct 7, 2024 @ 6:00 pm	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting
Oct 14, 2024 @ 4:00 pm	Fall Carnival
Oct 28, 2024 @ 6:00 pm	ESL Parent Night
Nov 11, 2024 @ 2:00 pm	Veterans Day Celebration
Nov 20, 2024, during lunches	Thanksgiving Meal
Nov 18, 2024	2nd, 3rd, and 4th Grade Thanksgiving Programs
Nov 18-22, 2024	Fall Book Fair
Dec 12, 2024	PK, Kindergarten, and 1st Grade Christmas Programs
Dec 13, 2024	5th-Grade Bazaar
Jan 6-7, 2025	Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences
February	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting
February	Family Math Night
February	ESL Parent Night
March 3-7, 2025	Spring Book Fair
April 9, 2025 @ 5:45 pm	Transition Night for 5th Grade
April	Pre-K & Kindergarten Round-Up
April	Parent Advisory Committee Meeting
May	Field Day
May 15, 2025	Awards Day

Check our school website, campus newsletters, and district newsletters for new or revised event information.