

## **TITLE I PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT**

The Board recognizes that parent engagement helps students participating in Title I programs achieve academic standards. The Board views the education of students as a cooperative effort among school, parents and community. To promote parent and family engagement, the board adopts the following policy, which describes how the district and Title I schools will involve parents and family members in developing and implementing the district's Title I programs and work together to help all students succeed.

### District-Wide Parent and Family Engagement

- A. The District will annually engage parents and families in review and refinement of the District Title I Parent and Family Engagement Policy and District Title I Program Plan.
- B. The District will provide regular and ongoing training of Title I School Staff in the expectations and best practices for engaging parents and families.
- C. The District will assist Title I Schools with coordination of school based parent and family engagement activities.

### School-Based Parent and Family Engagement

- A. Each Title I School will annually engage parents and families in review and refinement of the school's Title I Parent and Family Engagement Policy and Title I Program Plan.
- B. Each Title I School will communicate regularly and effectively with parents.
- C. Each Title I School will provide opportunities for parents and families to be involved and supportive of their student's achievement and success at school.

The superintendent will develop procedures that are consistent with state and federal law that will facilitate this policy.

### Legal References:

- 20 USC 6311 State plans ("Every Student Succeeds Act")
- 20 USC 6312 Local educational agency plans
- 20 USC 6318 Parent and family engagement

### Management Resources:

- Policy News*, October 2008
- Policy News*, June 2005
- Policy News*, August 2003