

Edward Harris, Jr. Middle School

**Title I, Part A School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy**

The school-level parent and family engagement policy shall describe the means for how each school shall carry out the following requirements. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[b][1])

Convene an annual meeting, at a convenient time, to which all parents of participating children shall be invited and encouraged to attend, to inform parents and family members of their school's participation in the Title I, Part A program and to explain the requirements, and the right of the parents to be involved. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][1])

Title I Parent Meeting

School Site Council Meeting

Offer a flexible number of meetings, such as meetings in the morning or evening, and the school may provide, with Title I funds, transportation, childcare, or home visits, as such services relate to parental involvement. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][2])

Invitations will to the Title I meetings will be sent via Synergy mail

The school's website will be updated frequently with reminders for meetings

Auto-dialers will be sent out with reminders for all Parent Meetings, as well as Talking Point messages

Emails and text messages, in multiple languages, will be sent as well to encourage and remind parents of the meetings

Parent Meetings = Parent University, ELAC, School Site Council, PTO, Corral Night, Back to School Night, Open House and Parent Lunch Days

Involve parents, in an organized, ongoing, and timely way, in the planning, review, and improvement of the school's Title I program, including the planning, review, and improvement of the school parent and family engagement policy and the joint development of the schoolwide program plan. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][3])

School Site Council Meetings will be held quarterly to assess the need of school improvements and gauge the effectiveness of existing activities and programs.

Provide parents of participating children with timely information about the Title I programs. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][4][A])

Parents are given Parents Right to Know notices via school website and student handbook.

Four Week notices are given out when necessary to parents/guardians

Invitations to Title I meetings will be sent out through Synergy mail, Talking Points, Auto-dialers and often updated on our school website

A description and explanation of the curriculum in use at the school, the forms of academic assessment used to measure student progress, and the achievement levels of the challenging state academic standards. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][4][B])

The curriculum that your students will engage in is aligned with the California Common Core State Standards. Our staff is dedicated to ensuring that your students are prepared for the rigors of high school, college and potential careers, by equipping them with the 21<sup>st</sup> century skills needed to be successful in their future endeavors. Our comprehensive site offers classes and programs such as Computer Technology, AVID, Leadership, Athletics, and Band, to give our students a well-rounded education, teaching them good study habits and self-discipline as well. The Elk Grove Unified School District's Graduate Profile illustrates the standard level of accomplishment that we expect our students to possess as they graduate from our EGUSD schools. Our school will give students the opportunity to grow in the areas of problem-solving, communication, self-awareness, technology, community engagement and character.

If requested by parents, opportunities for regular meetings to formulate suggestions and to participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to the education of their children, and respond to any such suggestions as soon as practicably possible. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][4][C])

IEP Meetings  
504 meetings  
Student Study Team meetings  
Parent Teacher Conferences

If the Title I schoolwide plan is not satisfactory to the parents of participating children, submit any parent comments on the plan when the school makes the plan available to the district. (20 U.S.C. Section 6318[c][5])

This School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy has been developed jointly with, updated periodically, and agreed on with parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs. This policy was adopted by the Edward Harris, Jr. Middle School on September 6, 2023 and will be in effect for the period of three years.

The school will distribute the policy to all parents of students participating in the Title I, Part A program on, or before: September 6, 2023.

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**Signature of Administrator**

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**Signature of Parent, SSC Representative**

September 6, 2023

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**Date**

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**August 2021**