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**2024-25 Title I Family Involvement Plan**

**I have read the BMS Family Engagement Plan.**

**Student Name Parent Signature:**

Bellevue Middle School respects the roles and responsibilities of parents and is committed to developing a strong and ongoing partnership with parents to create and strengthen stimulating learning environments at home and school; Therefore, we have set expectations for parent involvement.

Parental involvement is the active role of parents in educating their children and improving students' academic performance. Our Family Engagement Policy at Bellevue Middle School was developed jointly with our parents. Our goal is to prepare parents to know the skills and information needed to help them and their children succeed in school and also set expectations for parent involvement.

**Our PARENTS will act as advisors, specialists, and coordinators in the following ways:**

1. Be invited to attend annual Title I meetings and be informed of the requirements of Title I.
2. Jointly develop and review the Family Participation Policy and the Parent-School Compact.
3. Attend and participate in conferences, workshops, and instructional activities to educate parents about goals related to their children's education and parental rights.
4. Attend Family Literacy Initiatives and Family Service Opportunities to improve parents' academic skills and describe ways to support their child's learning*. (Offer TEAM training for parents)*
5. Serve on the instructional leadership team.
6. Attend school events and serve as advisors.
7. Become supporters and defenders of the school.
8. Respond to student report cards and progress reports via email, calls, conference, etc.

(All parents should have a PowerSchool acoount and may have to download appropriate apps for communication)

1. Respond to memos, surveys and questionnaires expressing ideas and concerns via email, calls, other teacher platforms such as GroupMe, Class Dojo, Remind apps.

**ADMINISTRATORS, FACULTY, STAFF, AND COMMUNITY will provide a strategic plan and implement the requirements of Title I in accordance with guidelines set forth in the law, including the following:**

1. Make parents aware of Bellevue Middle Title I status.
2. Encourage parents to volunteer and participate in academic and extracurricular programs.
3. Allow parents to observe school programs and allow planned visits to classrooms where high-quality education and instruction takes place.
4. Provide parents with student information and frequent student progress reports to maintain effective and supportive learning environments.
5. Solicit feedback and suggestions from parents about decisions related to their child's education.
6. Provide parents with a copy of the Family Involvement Plan for review and approval.
7. Provide parents with an organized and ongoing educational leadership team that plans, reviews, and monitors programs that improve parent engagement and the School-Level Family Engagement Plan.

**To ensure that our parents are involved in the development and implementation of the school program, WE will:**

1. Invite all parents to attend annual meetings to explain the components and requirements of Title I and the importance of communication.
2. Provide flexible schedules throughout the day, throughout the school year for parents to attend the monthly meeting.  **(Provide parent training through TEAMS)**
3. Develop with parents, a parent-school compact that shows how parents, schools, and students share responsibilities. Disseminate the covenant to all students/parents and acquire appropriate signatures.
4. Offer ongoing and diverse training and workshops for parents.
5. Involve parents in the planning and development of school improvement projects*.*  ***(Create a parent notice)***
6. Provide access to staff to allow parents to volunteer and participate in their child's class.
7. Encourage parents to visit regularly and take an active role in school planning to discuss the Covenant between school and parents and hold parent-teacher conferences.
8. Provide parents with access to nine-week curriculum overview via the MSCS website; inform parents of their child/child's academic assessment and proficiency levels according to formative assessments, teacher testing, and TCAP data.
9. Provide parents with timely information about programs under parent involvement through flyers, parent link, school website, a glimpse of the week, and the school marquee.  ***(Create a parent TEAM CHANNEL via Microsoft TEAMS )***

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