



Lowrance School

Annual Title I Parent Meeting

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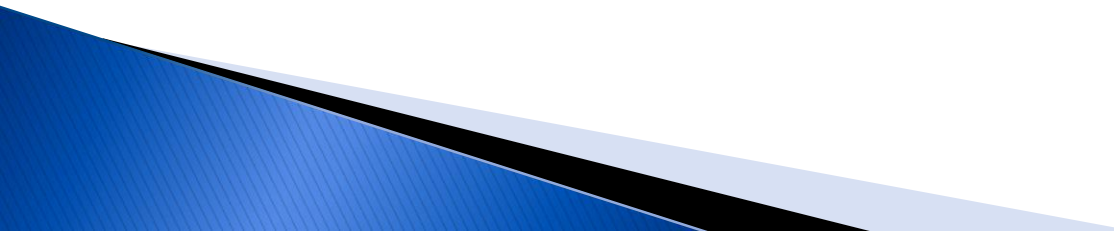
Notice of Title I School–Wide Program Status

Lowrance Pre–K8 is a Title 1 School–Wide School

- ▶ As a Title I School–Wide School, we are eligible to consolidate and use Title–1 funds, in addition to federal, state, and local funding, to provide all students with access to additional services. This is possible for us because over 40% of our student body is currently eligible to receive free and or reduced lunch.

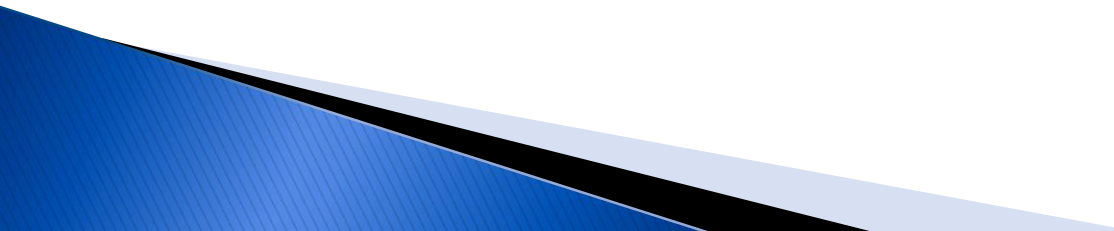
Lowrance School Family Engagement Plan

Lowrance Pre-K8 has the responsibility to provide our parents, teachers, students, and community members with access to shared opportunities to engage in activities that will promote student achievement.

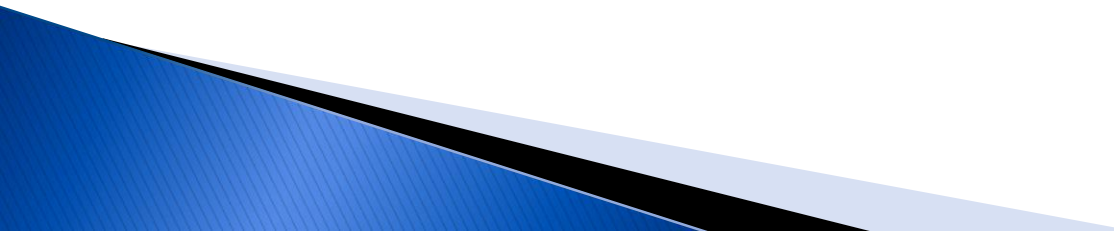


Family Engagement Plan

Our goals:

- ▶ To provide meaningful two-way communication
 - ▶ To provide meaningful and varied participation opportunities for families that support student achievement
 - ▶ To eliminate or reduce barriers to family involvement
 - ▶ To provide parents with an opportunity to participate in the development of our School Improvement Plan
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What is the School Improvement Plan (SIP)?

- ▶ Document to Show:
 - School demographics
 - Test scores
 - Plans to improve the school
 - ▶ Working document
 - ▶ A completed copy of the document will be accessible for viewing in the front office
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What Parents Need to Know

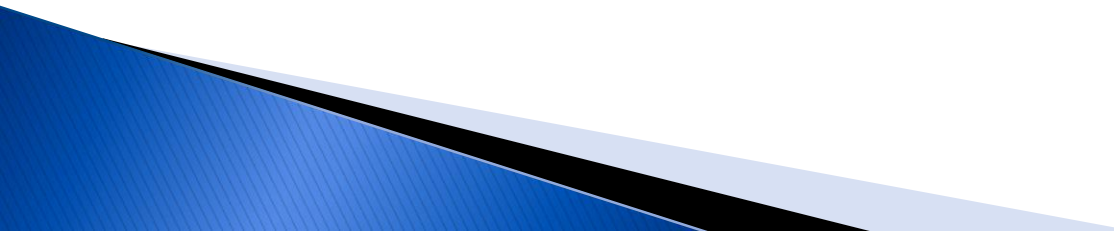
Parent's Right to Know

Parents have the right to request the following:

- ▶ A teacher's professional qualifications, licensure, grade(s) certification, waivers
- ▶ A teacher's baccalaureate and/or graduate degree, fields of endorsement, previous teaching experience
- ▶ A paraprofessional's qualifications
- ▶ An assurance that their child's name, address and telephone listing will not be released to military recruiters

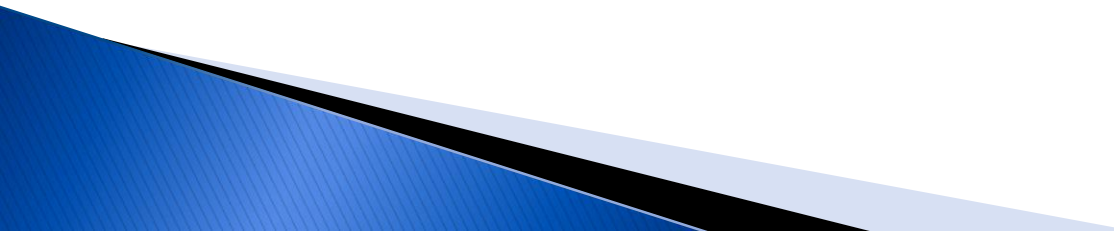
Parent's Right to Know

Parents will receive information on the following:

- ▶ Their child's level of achievement on each of the state's academic assessments
 - ▶ Their option to request a transfer to another school within the district if their child is the victim of a violent crime at school
 - ▶ Their right to timely notification that their child has been assigned, or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by, a teacher who is not highly qualified
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Reporting Pupil Progress

Lowrance School provides:

- ▶ Interim progress reports
 - ▶ Report cards every nine weeks
 - ▶ Parent–Teacher Conferences
 - ▶ Parent Portal links
 - ▶ Email/Telephone contacts
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Policies for Parental Involvement



Parental Development Opportunities

- ▶ Lowrance Pre-K8 will host a variety of workshops that will equip parents with access to resources and materials.

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held twice annually. The dates for this year are:

- ▶ Sept. 7th (4pm – 7pm)
- ▶ Feb. 15th (4pm – 7pm)

Note: Parents may also set up conferences with individual teachers at any time during the school year

School/Parent Compact



Teacher Agreement:

It is important that students achieve, so I will:

- ▶ Provide homework assignments for students
- ▶ Provide parents with access to resources and materials that can be used to aid children at home
- ▶ Provide weekly newsletters
- ▶ Input grades into PowerSchool weekly

School's Responsibility:

- ▶ Provide a safe environment that allows for positive communication between teachers, parents, and students
- ▶ Provide necessary parent conferences and review School/Parent Compact plans
- ▶ Provide access to a high quality curriculum and instruction for a supportive and effective learning environment
- ▶ Allow parents and community members to volunteer, participate and observe student learning environments

Student's Responsibility



Student Agreement:

It is important to do my best, so I will:

- ▶ Attend school every day unless I am sick
- ▶ Attend class prepared with books, pencils, paper, and other materials
- ▶ Complete and return homework assignments and keep regular study hours
- ▶ Conform to school rules and rules of the Student Code of Conduct

Parent's Responsibility

Parent /Guardian Agreement:

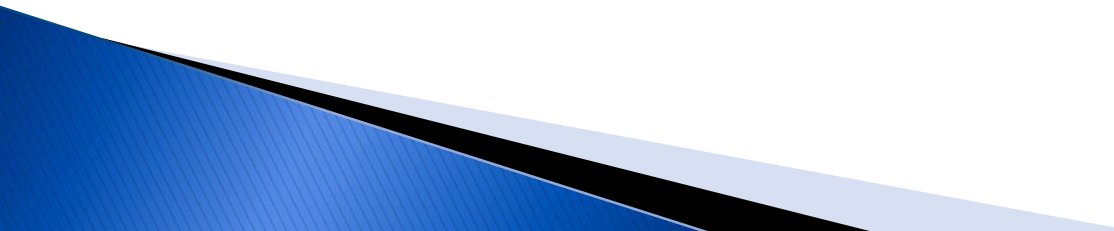
I take responsibility for helping my child achieve,

I will:

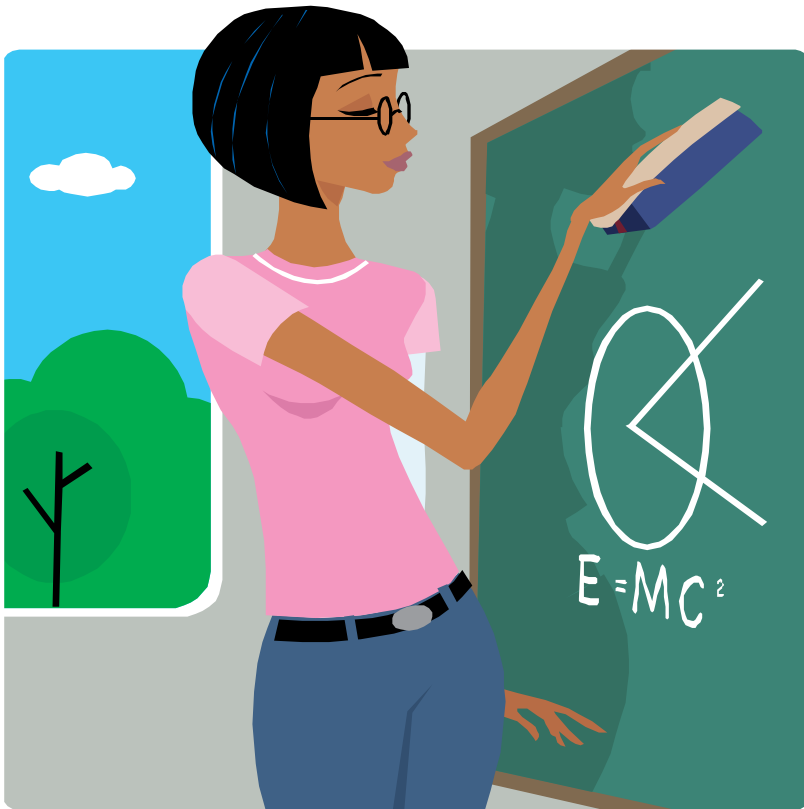
- ▶ Support the school with its efforts to maintain proper discipline
- ▶ Ensure homework is completed
- ▶ Encourage my child to do his/her best and be available to answer his/her questions
- ▶ Discuss/read materials with my child and let my child see me reading to show them the importance of life-long learning



Student Code of Conduct

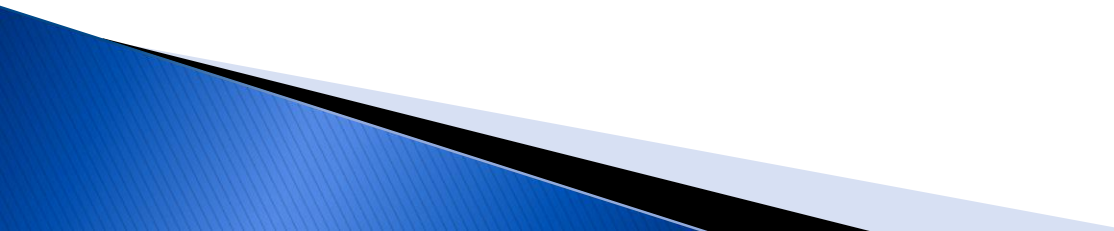
- ▶ Speaks to the shared responsibility of children's conduct
 - District/school
 - Parent
 - Student
 - ▶ Speaks to self-discipline being the long-term goal for all students
 - ▶ Gives notice of infractions as well as strategies and/or disciplinary measures for levels of offenses
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Teacher Qualifications

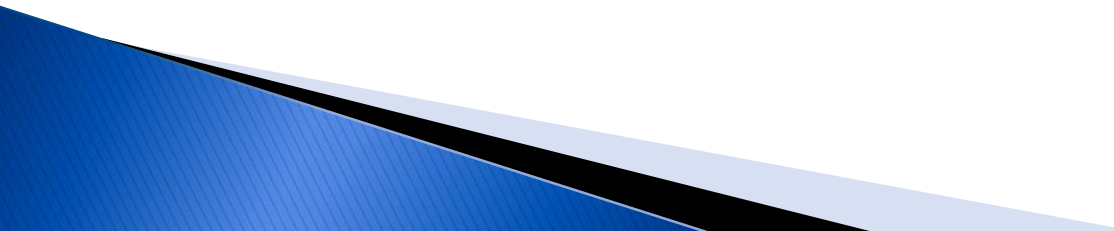


- ▶ In the event that your child is taught for 20 days or more by a non-Highly Qualified teacher, you will receive written notification about this issue.

Tutoring Program

- ▶ Begins on Sept. 5–Tues. And Wed. From 3:30–5:00
 - ▶ Parents can sign up on Power School–You will be notified if your child has been selected for the program
 - ▶ Spaces are on a first come, first serve basis
 - ▶ Elementary/Middle students will receive additional instruction in ELA/Math
 - ▶ Snacks will be provided for students
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Tutoring Program

- ▶ We ask that your child commits to our free tutoring program and guidelines by doing the following:
 - ▶ Be in attendance for every session
 - ▶ Be on time
 - ▶ Be prepared to learn
 - ▶ Be engaged in all lessons
 - ▶ Be attentive to the assigned tutor
 - ▶ Be respectful to classmates and assigned tutor
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Questions, Comments, and Thanks!

If you have any questions or comments please reach out to the school for support.

Thank you for entrusting our staff with your children.

