Family and Community Engagement Plans

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23-24

District Plan: 23-24

We hold many on-site engagement events each year. We look forward to welcoming more families into our schools as our district continues to grow.

Incorporating a variety of Communication Avenues (ie: Talking points, Remind, Google Meet, Class Dojo, Google Sites, Seesaw.)

To assist with communication with our non-English speaking students and families, we also employ Spanish translators.

As we are having continued success, we will continue with HRT, Lead and Master Teacher programs.

We are excited that we have our first teacher completed the full HRT program and is a HRT Level Three, Melinda Ramsey. An additional teacher completed Level One-Annie Andrews

Laundry Facility opened for students and their families experiencing homelessness.

The District Community Engagement Team will meet on May 2 to refine plans and make any changes necessary for the 23-24 school year.

Gentry Primary School: 23-24

TY Accomplishments

- Parent Night attendance increased
- Music performances with all Parent Nights
- Parent Volunteers
- Color Run
- Cookies & Cocoa with Families
- Honor Assemblies
- School Store Donations
- Read-a-thon
- Field Day
- Kindergarten Tours
- JB & Janelle Hunt Nature Center w/ 2nd Grade/Parent Volunteers

- Update parent center
- Increase in volunteers
- Specials Parent Night
- Art Auction
- Field Trips for each grade level
- Spring Event (similar to Cookies & Cocoa Night)

Gentry Intermediate School: 23-24

TY Accomplishments

- Open House attendance rate of 81%
- Parent Information Night
- 3rd, 4th, & 5th Grade Field Trips
- 3rd Grade Music Performance
- 4th Grade Recorder Concert
- 5th Grade Lion King, Jr. Performance & Volunteer Opportunities w/ GMS
- In-person conferences conjunction with Specials Night
- Class Parties
- STEAM Night in April/May
- 5th Grade Promotion Picnic
- Parents invited: Field Day, Park Day, 5th Grade vs. Staff Bball game

- Increase in attendance at Parent Nights
- Parent/Student Art Activity Night
- Class Presentation/
 Performance Tied to PTO
 Meeting Nights
- Parent & Family Lunch Partners

Gentry Middle School: 23-24

TY Accomplishments

- Continued Parent Communication with Talking Points, Swift Reach, Monthly Newsletters, and Social Media
- We continued the Family Literacy Night with the Book Fair. Families solved a problem together and each received a gift certificate to the book fair (held at both book fairs)
- Hosted "Survivor" Parent Night with the Booster Club they supplied Hot Dogs and Chips for our Families
- Sent out a survey to our Families for their input on FACE at GMS

- Continue to look for ways to invite parents into the building through volunteering.
- Have a 6th-grade-only Open House.
 Include items such as expectations, how to
 navigate HAC, and walking through their
 schedule. We would also like to have
 dependable 8th-grade students to help with
 this event.
- An ALL School parent night will be planned after Spring Break to have an end-of-the-year wrap-up with academic achievements recognized as well.
- Continue the Family Literacy Night with the GMS Library.

Gentry High School: 23-24

TY Accomplishments

- Parent involvement with elective fair
- Positive feedback from PT conferences times
- CAP Conferences
- More social media posts highlighting what is going on around the school

- Provide opportunities for parents to become involved with academic events
- Streamlining social media pages
- Add academic components to athletic events