

Willow Woods Elementary Parent Involvement Policy 2009-2010

We are committed to working together to provide the best education for your child. Please review our current Parent Involvement Plan. We encourage and need your input in making our school the best it can be. Thank you for staying involved in your child's education. We look forward to a successful year.

If you have any questions, please call our school.
Willow Woods Elementary
(586) 825-2850

The Faculty of Willow Woods Elementary is committed to providing a quality education for all students and to recognizing the essential role of parents and the value of their input.

To help parents understand the state's academic content standards, the state's academic achievement standards and local academic assessments. Opportunities will be provided for parental input on the implementation of programs and activities that are supported by the Title I program.

Provide parents with the opportunity to have input in the Parent Involvement Plan at the district level and at their child's school.

Provide parents with a copy of the Parent Involvement Plan via the: Student Handbook, Curriculum Night, and the September newsletter. Provide parents with opportunities to give input and suggestions for revision of the district or school plan through a variety of ways. Provide parents with a copy of the District's Parent Involvement Plan.

Provide outreach to parents of our students who are English Language Learners (ELL) so they can be involved in their child's education. We will follow the district Limited English Proficient Plan, assist the district in identifying any ELL student, and coordinate with various agencies to assist parent of ELL students.

Provide an opportunity for parents to give their input on our Title 1a School-Parent Compact that is to be implemented annually and shall include: the school's responsibility to provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment; the way in which each parent will be responsible for supporting their child's learning; and addressing the importance of ongoing communication between teachers and parents. We will review the School-Parent Compact annually for any needed modifications and we will provide opportunities to review the Compact with parents during Curriculum Night and Parent Teacher Conferences.

We will provide notice and information under the “Parents Right to Know” requirements to all parents, in Title I schools, in an understandable and uniform format and to the extent practicable in a language parents can understand. Notification of parents will occur through building annual report, newsletters, PTPO meetings and other means that the faculty and staff are highly qualified and met required standards. The school will notify parents, via a letter, with students in classrooms of teachers that are currently not in compliance with Highly Qualified Requirements.

Provide opportunities for parent involvement capacity building at the district and school level. We will provide: volunteer orientations for all parents interested in volunteering; activities at a variety of times; conduct an annual parent survey requesting parental input on workshops; utilize a variety of communication techniques to enhance parent participation; opportunities for community-based organizations and businesses to support the capacity building efforts of parent involvement; opportunities to evaluate and identify barriers to successful parent involvement.