Science Hall Elementary School



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We are committed to working together to provide the best education for your children. Please review our current Parental 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.

Our SHES mission statement: We will achieve our personal best by striving to be lifelong learners in our school and our community.

Our Vision Statement/Values

- We will meet students' individual needs.
- We will collaborate with our community and celebrate diversity.
- We will open doors through technology in challenging and meaningful ways.
- We want all students to make academic progress.
- We want all students to be independent learners and thinkers.

Statement of Purpose: The faculty of our school is committed to providing a quality education for all students and to recognize the essential role of parents and the value of their input.

Goal 1: Provide parents with the opportunity to have input in the Parental Involvement Plan at the district level and at their child's school.

Strategies

- Provide parents with a copy of the school–parent involvement plan via back to school night or electronic newsletter.
- Provide parents with opportunities to give input and suggestions for revision of the district or school plan through a variety of ways.

Goal 2: Provide outreach for parents of limited English proficiency (LEP) students so they can be involved in their child's education.

Strategies

- Follow the district LEP Plan to assess possible LEP students and communicate with parents regarding this process.
- Coordinate with various agencies to assist parents of LEP students.
- Provide, whenever possible, pertinent school information in the parents' native language.

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Goal 3: Provide an opportunity for parents and their children's school to jointly develop a School–Parent Compact that is to be implemented annually and includes: 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 strategies that will address the importance of ongoing communication between teachers and parents.

Strategies

- Review the School–Parent Compact annually for revisions by the Parent Teacher Association Board Meeting.
 - Provide opportunities to review the Compact with parents during team meetings, family events, campus leadership team meetings, etc.,

Goal 4: 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.

Strategies

- Notify parents through newsletters, parent-school organization meetings and other means that the faculty and staff are highly qualified and meet required standards.
- Notify parents, via a letter, if their teacher or paraprofessionals in their child's classroom are not highly qualified.

Goal 5: Provide opportunities for parental involvement capacity building at the district and school levels.

Strategies

- Provide orientations for all parents interested in volunteering.
- Provide 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.
- Provide opportunities for community-based organizations and businesses to support the capacity building efforts of parental involvement.
- Provide opportunities to evaluate and identify barriers to successful parental involvement.
- Provide materials & training to help parents to work with their children to improve their children's achievement, such as literacy training & using technology.

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- Provide assistance to parents in understanding such topics as the Texas Essential Knowledge & Skills and state & local assessments including State of Texas Assessment of Academic Readiness (STAAR).
- Provide description and explanation of the curriculum in use at school and the proficiency levels children are expected to meet.
- Convene at minimum an annual meeting to inform parents of their school's participation in the Title I Program and its requirements.

Adoption

This Science Hall Elementary School Parental Involvement Plan has been developed jointly with, and agreed on with, parents of children participating in Title I program, as evidenced by meeting minutes.

The Parent Involvement Plan was developed by Science Hall Elementary School and will be in effect for the period of school year. The school will distribute this Parent Involvement Plan to all parents of participating Title I children and make it available to the school community.

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