

Treadwell Middle School

2019 – 2020

Family Engagement Plan

Federal law requires schools receiving Title I funds to create a Family Engagement Plan to encourage parents and family members to get involved in their child's education.

Treadwell Middle School encourages on-going parental involvement in our educational process. We have jointly developed with our parents a written Family Engagement Plan. Our School Level Family Engagement Plan has established the expectations for parent involvement. We believe that all children have the right to earn a high-quality education.

To ensure that our parents participate in the development and implementation of the schools' program, Treadwell Middle School will encourage parents to do the following:

- **Serve** in the decision-making process by participating in Site Based Leadership Committee and PTO.
- **Attend** team level meetings, parent conferences, programs and PTO meetings.
- **Volunteer** participation in academic, extracurricular and co-curricular activities.
- **Develop** jointly a school-parent compact.
- **Involve** parents in the planning and development of the Tennessee School Improvement Plan.

The administrators, faculty and staff will provide a strategic plan and implement Title I requirements according to the guidelines set forth in the law, which include the following:

- **Convene** annual meetings at flexible times where all parents are invited. Meetings will be held in the morning and evening.
- **Provide** parents with timely information about Title I requirements, our school's participation in Title I, and the rights of parent's involvement at school.
- **Allow** parents to observe school programs and visit classrooms
- **Schedule** a flexible number of meetings to inform parents of student progress
- **Provide** a description and explanation of the curriculum, academic assessments and proficiency level of every child.
- **Encourage** parents and students to join our local PTO and attend Title I Meetings/Professional developments provided during flexible times.
- **Encourage** parents to attend all Open House and Family Night Events which address the curriculum, assessments and the performance levels of our students
- **Involve** parents in an organized, ongoing and timely way, in the planning, review and improvement of programs for parental involvement and the School Level Family Engagement Plan.

To ensure that our parents participate in the development and implementation of the school's program, we will do the following:

- **Provide** opportunities for regular parent meetings to keep parents informed about school programs, activities and progress, as well as accept comments from parents.
- **Provide** alternate means of communication to provide information through our TMS Newsletter, school calendar, flyer, website, etc.
- **Conduct** Parent-Teacher Conferences so that parents have an opportunity to chart their child's academic progress and discuss any issues with teachers.

Treadwell Middle School is a federally funded Title I School.