

North Side Community School Middle School Campus (Grades 6-8)

School Parent and Family Engagement Policy 2025-2026

Shared Partnership

This plan was developed with parents, staff, and school leaders. It is reviewed each year at our family meetings, where parents can suggest updates and vote on revisions. Families receive a copy in the Parent & Student Handbook and online.

Parent Meetings and Communication

We hold an Annual Title I Meeting each fall to share how federal Title I funds support student learning. Families are invited through School Messenger, email, and Dojo notifications. Meetings are held at flexible times, and home visits are available when needed. Notices, newsletters, and reports are provided in plain language and translated when requested.

Shared Responsibility for Student Success

Parents and Guardians commit to ensuring their child attends school daily and on time, encouraging positive behavior and academic effort, communicating regularly with teachers, and attending parent-teacher conferences and school events. Teachers and Staff commit to providing a supportive, safe, and engaging learning environment, teaching to the Missouri Learning Standards using high-quality curriculum, offering clear expectations and regular progress updates, and maintaining open communication with families.

Academic Support and Family Learning

Parents receive help understanding Missouri Learning Standards, the MAP assessment, and classroom grading practices. Family workshops and newsletters provide tips and resources for supporting students at home. Teachers receive ongoing professional development on effective family engagement and communication.

Parent Input and Involvement

Parents are invited to join discussions and reviews of the school's Title I plan and policies, provide input on academic and behavioral priorities, and suggest ideas for family engagement and after-school supports. Feedback from parents is reviewed and acted on promptly.

Accessibility and Inclusion

The middle school ensures all parents—including those with disabilities or language barriers—have equal access to participation. All major documents and reports are available in languages and formats families can understand.





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