

Omaha Public Schools

Title I Parent and Family Engagement Policy

Omaha Public Schools intends to follow the Title I Parent and Family Engagement Policy guidelines in accordance with federal law, *Section 1116(a-f) ESSA, (Every Student Succeeds Act) of 2015.*

In General

The written District parent and family engagement policy has been developed jointly with, updated periodically and distributed to parents and family members of participating children and the local community in an understandable and uniform format. This policy agreed on by such parents describes the means for carrying out the requirements as listed below.

- Parents and family members of all students are welcomed and encouraged to become involved with their child's school and education; this includes parents and family members that have limited English proficiency, limited literacy, are economically disadvantaged, have disabilities, racial or ethnic minority background or are migratory children. Information related to school and parent programs, meetings, school reports and other activities are sent to the parents of participating children in a format, and to the extent practicable, in a language the parents can understand.
 - Parents are involved in the planning, review, evaluation and improvement of the Title I program, Parent and Family Engagement Policy and the School-Parent Compact at an annual parent meeting scheduled at a convenient time. This would include the planning and implementation of effective parent and family involvement activities.
 - Conduct, with meaningful parent and family involvement, an annual evaluation of the content and effectiveness of the Parent and Family Engagement Policy. Use the evaluation findings to design evidence-based strategies for more effective parental involvement, and to revise the Parent and Family Engagement Policy.
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- Opportunities are provided for parents and family members to participate in decisions related to the education of their child/children. The school and local educational agency shall provide other reasonable support for parental involvement activities.
 - Parents of participating children will be provided timely information about programs under this part, a description and explanation of the curriculum in use, the forms of academic assessment used to measure student progress and the achievement levels of the challenging State academic standards. The school will provide assistance, opportunities, and/or materials and training to help parents work with their children to improve their children's academic achievement in a format, and when feasible, in a language the parents and family members can understand.
 - Educate teachers, specialized instructional support personnel, principals, and other school leaders, with the assistance of parents in the value and utility of contributions of parents, how to reach out to, communicate with and work with parents as equal partners.
 - Coordinate and integrate parental involvement programs and activities with other Federal, State and local programs, including preschool programs that encourage and support parents in more fully participating in the education of their children.

Title I Schoolwide Plan

Please use the assigned Nebraska Department of Education
County District and School Numbers in the table below.

To complete text areas click in grey box and type

District Name:		Omaha Public Schools	
County Dist. No.:		28-0001	
School Name:		Springville Elementary School	
County District School Number:		28-0001-177	
School Grade span:		K-5	
Preschool program is supported with Title I funds. (Mark appropriate box)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Summer school program is supported with Title I funds. (Mark appropriate box)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Indicate subject area(s) of focus in this Schoolwide Plan.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reading/Language Arts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Math <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____	
School Principal Name:		Joseph D. Jacoby, Principal	
School Principal Email Address:		joseph.jacoby@ops.org	
School Mailing Address:		7400 North 60th Street Omaha NE, 68152	
School Phone Number:		531-299-2120	
Additional Authorized Contact Person (Optional):		Nicole Kennedy	
Email of Additional Contact Person:		nicole.kennedy@ops.org	
Superintendent Name:		Cheryl Logan	
Superintendent Email Address:		cheryl.logan@ops.org	
Confirm all Instructional Paras are Highly Qualified according to ESSA.			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Confirm Schoolwide Plan will be available to the School District, Parents and the Public.			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Names of Planning Team</u> (include staff, <i>parents</i> & at least <i>one student if Secondary School</i>)	<u>Titles of those on Planning Team</u>
A. Joseph Jacoby	<u>Parent Administrator</u>
B. Nicole Kennedy	A. Principal
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School Information (As of the last Friday in September)		
Enrollment: 435	Average Class Size: 24	Number of Certified Instruction Staff: 30
Race and Ethnicity Percentages		
White: 30.3 %	Hispanic: 11.7 %	Asian: 22.5 %
Black/African American: 24.6 %	American Indian/Alaskan Native: .5 %	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander: 0 %		Two or More Races: 10.3 %
Other Demographics Percentages (may be found on NEP https://nep.education.ne.gov/)		
Poverty: 58.5 %	English Learner: 20 %	Mobility: 8.4 %

Assessments used in the Comprehensive Needs Assessment (ie. NSCAS, MAP, ITBS, AIMS web, DIBELS, CAT etc.)	
NSCAS	MAPS
ELPA	



SPRINGVILLE ELEMENTARY



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This Title I School-Parent Compact has been jointly developed with parents and outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the State's high academic standards. At the annual parent-teacher conferences, the compact shall be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement.

Administrator/Teacher:

It is important that students achieve. We will:

1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment to enable children to meet the challenging state academic achievement standards.
2. Regularly communicate with parents on their child's progress.
3. Demonstrate professional behavior and positive attitude.

Parent / Caring Adult:

I want my child to achieve; therefore I will encourage him/her by doing the following:

1. Communicate and work with teachers and school staff on an ongoing basis to be involved and support my child's learning.
2. Support your child's learning—volunteer in their classroom; participate, as appropriate, in decisions related to their education, guide positive use of extracurricular time.
3. Make sure my child is at school every day and on time, unless he/she is ill.
4. Provide a quiet place and time to do schoolwork and encourage my child to complete schoolwork.

Student:

I know my education is important to me. It is important that I work to the best of my ability.

I agree to do the following:

1. Be at school every day and on time unless I am sick.
2. Come to school each day prepared with supplies and an attitude to learn.
3. Be responsible for my own behavior.
4. Respect and cooperate with other students and adults.
5. Return completed schoolwork on time.
6. Read at home.

Parent Right to Know Clause

At the beginning of the school year, any District that accepts Title I, Part A funding must notify parents that they can request information regarding their child's teacher and his/her qualifications, including certification and endorsements. Parents can also request information about paraprofessionals working with their children.

Al comienzo del año escolar, cualquier distrito que acepta Título 1, fondos de la Parte A, deben notificar a los padres que pueden solicitar información sobre los maestros de sus hijos y sus calificaciones, incluyendo la certificación y aprobación. Los padres también pueden solicitar información acerca de los para profesionales que trabajan con sus hijos.