



## **Jonesboro Kindergarten Center:**

### **Parent and Family Engagement Plan 2023-2024**

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- The Parent and Family Engagement Plan can be found on our school's website.
- A Title I informational meeting will be held annually, with an invitation letter sent home to parents prior to the meeting. 1% of Title I funds will be used for parental engagement.
- Parent Engagement activities will be held throughout the school year, such as Open House, Parent Meetings, PATHS meetings, Mentors, Tutors, Fall Festival, Spring Fling volunteers, etc.
- The Parent and Family Engagement facilitator is Ms. Paige Cothorn, Library Media Specialist.
- There will be an annual district-wide review of the Parent Engagement policies and procedures.
- There is a district Parent Engagement committee, a school Parent Engagement committee, and a parent help organization (PATHS). The JKC Parent and Family Engagement committee members are Erin Odom, Blake Lambert, Paige Cothorn, Stephanie Parish, Janice Fletcher, Dianne Langford, Tiffany Sloan, Jessica Kelly, Chelsey Henson, Missy Tubbs, and Anna Koch.
- Parent Engagement practices and Professional Learning Community practices will be observed by the district personnel. Professional Learning Community meetings will discuss parent engagement, mentoring programs, and forms of communication.
- Information that is sent home with students will be in a form that parents can understand. (ie. translated into the home language)
- Our school will be monitored by the district administration to ensure that we construct and maintain good communication and opportunities for Parent Engagement.
- Our school will provide services and information for parents to support academic achievement.
- Our school encourages parents to visit/volunteer with our PATHS and Junior Auxiliary.
- Our school provides various meetings at various times in order for more parental participation.
- Our school provides a Parent Center, located in the Library Media Center, which provides resources for parents to learn about child development, child-rearing practices, and academic strategies in order to be a full partners in the education of their child.
- Our school will work with community partners to ensure each child has the resources he or she needs.
- Surveys will be used to gather information regarding parental input and be done annually or more frequently.
- Expenses used for Parent Engagement will be allocated.
- Parents will be involved in the development of evaluation procedures for the PFE plan. Sign-in sheets will be provided and the school will maintain this documentation.
- According to the evaluation findings, schools will recommend any PFE improvements. Evaluation of parental activity will be included in the plan and district website.