

LAMPASAS I.S.D. PRE-KINDERGARTEN FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN



Purpose of our LISD Pre-K Family Engagement Plan

- A. To create and maintain meaningful partnerships with parents and families of Pre-K students.
- B. To improve the quality and availability of program services for Lampasas ISD students, age three through age five, and their families.
- C. To support children's optimal development and readiness for school entry and success.
- D. To address the unique strengths and needs of our local population, such as homeless, migrant, or non-English speaking families.
- E. To promote collaboration regarding the use of transportation, facilities, and other resources, as appropriate.
- F. To promote further collaboration with local entities and enhance efficiency of services.
- G. To coordinate a comprehensive system of activities, policies, and procedures which guide and support our school district as we provide age-appropriate services to children and their families.

VISION and GOALS for our Lampasas ISD Family Engagement Plan, Pre-K

Lampasas ISD will provide opportunities for families to participate in campus/district initiatives such as:

- New Student Orientation and Family Access Connection at the beginning of the school year
- Meet the Teacher Nights before the first day of school
- PTSO and PTA Meetings
- Career Day on multiple campuses
- Family Nights
- Grandparents Day
- Room parent/volunteers to support and participate in classroom activities and events
- Special Education Family Meetings (topics: behavior strategies, community resources, literacy, and transition)
- Book Fairs

- Parent Support during classroom field trips
- School Carnivals and Marathon Kids (Running Events/Fund Raisers)

Lampasas ISD will partner with community organizations in order to create a network of resources to directly benefit our Pre-K families:

- Early Literacy Focus in our Pre-K through 2nd Grade classrooms
- Implementation of the Foundations phonics program that is aligned with The Science of Teaching Reading
- Pre-K student Roundup Flyers will be distributed to all elementary campuses to help share information about Pre-K. Information is also included on website, local newspaper, and social media
- Early Childhood Intervention—Parents and Case Workers collaborate and are included in our partnership with Hill Country Community Action Association (HCCAA) Head Start
- Community Food Drives are shared with families in need
- LISD Campus Counselors assist families for short term family guidance and needs
- Campus newsletters are sent out district/classroom-wide about community organizations and events

Lampasas ISD encourages family participation in decision-making processes through:

- Parent/Community surveys via campuses and district
- Special Education Parent meetings across the district
- Gifted/Talented parent meetings across the district
- Teachers communicate through Home/School Communication Folders, face to face conferences, the Remind app, emails, or social media platforms (Twitter and Facebook)
- Social Stories and behavior strategies are brainstormed to build home/school connections to build consistency across settings
- Parent Night questions and answers on multiple campuses
- Parent conferences are encouraged to address strengths/needs
- Site Based Decision Making Committees
- PTSO and PTA involvement