



Tarrant Intermediate School

1 Wildcat Drive
Tarrant, Alabama 35217



Mr. C. Moore, Principal

Ms. R. Dickens, Asst. Principal

Parent Engagement Plan

2024-2025

School Climate

- To ensure that parents feel welcome at Tarrant Intermediate School, the front office staff members will greet all visitors in a courteous and professional manner, provide assistance, and listen to the needs of parents.
- The administration, teachers, and parent liaison/attendance coach will invite parents to volunteer in their child's classroom, attend parent conferences, attend attendance conferences, and volunteer at school events including the fall festival, parent nights, field trips, field day experiences, and more.
- Parents will also be invited to eat lunch with their students for special occasions as well as eat lunch with their child on any day by providing a 24 hour notice.
- The parent liaison/attendance coach will arrange parent visitation days each semester to provide parents with an opportunity to observe their child throughout the school day.
- Parents will be invited to join the Parent Teacher Organization and the Parent Advisory Committee.
- The school will host events that welcome parents into the school such as Parents and Students vs. Faculty and Staff Basketball games to fundraise for the school.

School Information

- The school will host parent events such as Coffee with the Principal or Snack and Chat with the Principal that informs parents of the school's academic goals and school data from the Alabama State Report Card.
- The school will host Title 1 Parent meetings to explain to parents what it means to be a Title 1 School. During this meeting the administrators will explain the Title 1 School-Parent Compact.

Data and Instruction

- The school will host parent events that allow educators to teach parents how to interpret their child's classroom data, MClass data, iReady data, and data from any other additional standardized tests.
- The school will host parent conferences to explain students' report card data to the parents.
- Teachers will host sessions with parents to explain to them what students should be able to do in reading and mathematics based on academic content standards.



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School and Parent Communication

- The school will use the parents' best form of communication when sharing information. 90% of parents prefer to receive text message communication with email and phone calls being tied for the second best method of communication.
- Classroom teachers will respond to parents within 48 hours of parents contacting them.

Services Provided

- The school will host sessions to inform parents of various services that are offered (i.e. counseling services, speech therapy, homeless resources, GED programs, adult literacy programs, health services, adult career development, etc.)
- The school will provide a parent resource room that allows parents to access resources to use to promote their growth as a parent and to assist them with their students developing skills to meet grade level standards.
- The school will advertise all programs that are available to provide additional support in reading and mathematics to all parents.

Development of this Plan

This Parent Advisory/Parent Involvement Committee Members contributed to the development of this Parent Engagement Plan: Andrea Gibbs (teacher), Rasheed Lanier (parent), Cordero Pickett (parent), Hope Pickett (parent), Levette Robinson (parent), and Briauna Scott (Parent Liaison/Attendance Coach).

2024-2025 Committee Members

Brandon Canfield (parent), Regina Dickens (assistant principal), Andrea Gibbs (teacher), Jordan Gibson (teacher), Tabitha Huffman (parent), Rasheed Lanier (parent), Ashley Moore (parent), Princess Nixon (parent), Cordero Pickett (parent), Hope Pickett (parent), Ollie Pippen (parent), Levette Robinson (parent), Briauna Scott (Parent Liaison/Attendance Coach), Martina Turner (parent), and Landris Wright (parent).

Contact

If you would like to become a member of the Parent Advisory/Parental Involvement Committee please contact Dr. Briauna Scott, Parent Liaison/Attendance Coach via email at scott.briauna@tarrant.k12.al.us or via phone at (205) 517-2459.