

Beaufort Elementary School
Title 1 Parent and Family Engagement Plan 2020-21

The vision of Beaufort Elementary is to be a community of learners empowered to achieve goals and become leaders in a safe and positive environment.

Mission: Learn, Lead, Achieve

Values:

1. **Compassion**
2. **Family**
3. **Communication**
4. **Integrity**
5. **Teamwork**

I. Parents are invited and encouraged to be on school committees that impact student learning.

- A. School Improvement Plan Committee - Yearly, this committee will develop the School Improvement Plan and School-Parent Compact
- B. Parent Advisory Council
- C. Parent-managed PTO
- D. Parent nights with focus - understanding of grade level curriculum and expectations, as well as how to support students in various content areas

II. Parents will be given school information in a timely manner.

- A. North Carolina School Report Cards
- B. School Improvement Plan
- C. Student Progress Reports and Report Cards
- D. Expected Grade Level Proficiency Levels
- E. Opportunities for Parent Meetings/Conferences with Mandatory Conferences in the Fall
- F. Title I Requirements and Guidelines; Parental Rights; Notifications
- G. NC End-of -Grade Test Results
- H. MTSS Problem Solving Meeting Notes for Targeted Students
- I. IEP Meetings That Address Annual Goals and Strengths of Students

III. Parents will be invited and encouraged to attend regular parent meetings at convenient times.

- A. School Improvement Plan Meetings
- B. Parent Advisory Council Meetings
- C. Informational Sessions Designed for Specific Purposes (Grade Level/Content Nights)
- D. Individual Parent Conferences
- E. Orientation to School (Meet and Greet)

- F. Awards Ceremonies
- G. Coordinated Community/School Events
- H. Title I Informational Meetings
- I. PTO Meetings

IV. Frequent and effective communication, both formal and informal, will be established with parents.

- A. School Accountability Agreement
- B. Parent Conferences
- C. Classroom Newsletters
- D. Weekly School Newsletter (The Green Note)
- E. Weekly Communication Folder (Green Folder)
- F. School Messenger Weekly Sunday Night Call
- G. Parent Involvement Activities
- H. Information and Invitations from School for Schoolwide and Classroom Events
- I. Parent Surveys
- J. Communication with Teacher(s) and Administrators
- K. Information Translated into Other Languages As Needed
- L. Availability of Title I Budget and Policies (See Administration)
- M. School Webpage/Facebook Page/Twitter
- N. Home School Connection Newsletter

V. Parents will have the opportunity to attend training to help them better understand how to help their children excel in school.

- A. Open House(s)
- B. Volunteer Training
- C. Parent and Family Engagement Activities/Workshops

VI. Faculty and staff will encourage parent involvement and participation.

- A. Parent Volunteer Opportunities
- B. Field Trip Invitations
- C. Class Party/Events Invitations
- D. Parent Education Opportunities (Content, Community Resources, Behavior)
- E. Parent Involvement Activities
- F. Parent Conferences
- G. Student Performances (Concerts, Art Show)
- H. Volunteer Appreciation Events and Awards
- I. Schoolwide Reading Engagement Activities (One Book, One School)
- J. Family Reading Program (Magical Storyteller)

*Plan was reviewed and updated on 12/7/20 based on input from parents at a meeting on 12/3/20 and an email invitation to parents to respond with feedback/suggestions. It should be noted that the ability to offer many of these opportunities/activities during the 2020-21 school year are impacted by current Covid restrictions.