Morgan Mill Independent School District

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Morgan Mill ISD Prekindergarten Family Engagement Plan

Morgan Mill ISD believes that the education of all students should be a partnership between the school and the parent community. As parents are their child’s first teachers, they play an essential role in the success of students.

**Facilitate Family-to-Family Support:**

Morgan Mill ISD will create a safe and respectful environment where families can learn from each other as individuals and in groups. Morgan Mill ISD will provide opportunities for families to participate in campus/district initiatives such as:

* + PTF
	+ Volunteer Opportunities
	+ School Family Engagement Events (Meet the Teacher, Pre-K Round Up)
	+ Classroom Events & Activities
	+ Parentsquare app for mass communication with families regarding school district happenings
	+ Fall and Spring Music Programs
	+ Community Thanksgiving Dinner

**Establish a Network of Community Resources:**

Morgan Mill ISD will identify support from as well as establish and maintain partnerships with businesses, faith-based organizations, health providers, and community agencies. MMISD will link families with support systems, peer-to-peer groups, bilingual translators, and various resources depending on family needs:

* + Fire Safety Programs
	+ Backpack Buddies Program
	+ Paluxy River Child Advocacy Center

**Increase Family Participation in Decision-Making:**
MMISD will encourage family participation in decision-making through improvement planning targeting family engagement. MMISD will:

* Provide opportunities for parents to serve as advocates and leaders on various campus and district committees such as the Site Based Decision Making Committee and the LPAC Committee
* Provide opportunities for parents to join the PTF

**Equip families with Tools to Enhance and Extend Learning:**
MMISD will design and implement existing home educational resources to support learning at home while strengthening the family/school partnership.

* Meet the Teacher Night
* Parentsquare Communication
* PTF Meetings
* Parent/Teacher Conferences
* Paper Online Tutoring

**Develop Staff Skills in Evidence-Based Practices that Support Families in Meeting their Children’s Learning Benchmarks:**

MMISD will promote and develop family engagement as a core strategy to improve teaching and learning among all educators and staff.

* Ongoing District/Campus Staff Development
* Progress Reporting

**Evaluate Family Engagement Efforts and Use Evaluations for Continuous Improvement:**

MMISD will utilize data-driven decision-making to promote family engagement and student. Feedback will be collected through parent participation at school events and parent/teacher conferences as well as surveys.