

**LAUREL HILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGMENT POLICY**

**2020-2021**

In accordance with Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requirements, our school will implement the following parent involvement policy:

* Parents reflecting the socioeconomic and racial diversity of our school will serve on the School Improvement Team (SIT). Our SIT will meet once per month to develop and implement school improvement strategies, the School Improvement Plan, Parent Involvement Policy, and other school wide programs.
* Provisions will be made for parents to receive information in a timely manner. Information includes but is not limited to the following:
  + School and district report cards
  + Student assessment results and interpretation of results
  + Description of curriculum, state content standards, and standards for measuring student progress
  + Expected student proficiency levels
  + Qualification of teachers
  + Timely response and feedback
  + Inclusion of parent input on school wide plans
* Our school will hold parent meetings at flexible times throughout the year to plan, review, share information, and organize school improvement efforts.
* A learning compact that outlines how parents, school staff, and students will share the responsibility for student achievement will be disseminated.
* Parents are provided opportunities to meet regularly with school personnel to formulate suggestions and to participate in decisions relating to the education of their children.

Parent and Family Engagement activities at Laurel Hill include, but are not limited to:

* Reading, math, and science curriculum nights
* Parent Teacher Conferences
* PTA Meetings
* STEM Night
* Night of the Living Museum
* Fall Festival