

# Reeces Creek Elementary School's Parent and Family Engagement Policy (Title 1) 2024-2025 School Year

At Reeces Creek Elementary we believe that education is most successful when there is a strong relationship and communication between the home and school. Therefore, Reeces Creek pledges to offer parents and family members multiple opportunities, whether in person or virtually, to be involved. Here are some of those opportunities:

**Annual Meeting:** At the annual Public Hearing, we will provide parents and family members with information about Title I guidelines, our campus strategies from the Campus Improvement Plan, the Parent and Family Engagement Policy and the Home-School Compact. The Home School compact can be found on our school website:

<https://tx02205734.schoolwires.net/ReecesCreek>

Our website will allow you to translate any posted information into different languages.

**Spring Annual Meeting:** During the latter-part of the spring, Reeces Creek will hold a meeting that will allow parents to review the Parent and Family Engagement Policy and the Home-School Compact. At which time, parents and family members will have an opportunity to assist in making suggestions for any changes needed to these documents.

**Site Based Decision Making Committee (SBDM):** As deemed necessary, the SBDM committee will meet to discuss any decisions that need to be made on behalf of our campus. In addition to the contribution of appointed community, businesspeople and elected Reeces Creek staff members, this committee does include parent representatives. All these people work together to advise the principal on the plans Reeces Creek makes on behalf of the children.

**Volunteer Opportunities:** Parental Involvement plays a significant role on our campus. Our Parent Volunteer Coordinator's goal is to integrate the parent and family members' component into the daily school activities. Campus fliers are disseminated to all Reeces Creek parents and family members making them aware of upcoming activities and significant school events.

**Partnerships with Parents and the Community:** Reeces Creek believes that the parents' and family members' role in education is critical to a child's development. In order to strengthen the parent and family member's school relationship, parents and family members will be involved in and invited to attend the following events:

- Math Night
- STEM Night
- Fine Arts Programs
- G/T Showcase
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- PreK/Kinder Orientation
- Coyote Character Lunches
- The Variety Show
- Library Events
- Snuggle Up with a Good Book
- Read Across America
- ESL Parent Night
- Meet the Teacher Night
- Open House
- Title I Parent Information Meetings
- Early Literacy/Parent Liaison

**Communication:** At Reeces Creek, we believe that clear communication is the foundation for a solid partnership with parents and family members. We will strive to foster vital communication through a variety of means that include:

- SMORE newsletters
- Event Calendars
- Teacher Letters
- Conferences
- Articles in newspaper
- Social Media  
(Facebook/Twitter/Instagram)
- Virtual Meetings
- Emails
- Phone calls from Teachers
- School Website
- Class Dojo
- Connect Ed phone calls/  
emails/text messages
- School Website
- Parent Liaison
- Outside marquee messages

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We strongly encourage parents and family members to contact their child's teacher when there is a concern. Parents and family members should also feel comfortable to contact an assistant principal or the principal if there is no resolution to the problem. There is nothing that we cannot work out together for the good of the child.

Reeces Creek is a neighborhood school that was established in 1989. Many generations of families have attended Reeces Creek. We strive to continue to maintain an atmosphere where parents and children feel welcomed, valued, and safe.

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