

East Jackson Comprehensive High School

Parental Involvement Policy and Plan for Shared Student Success

2023-2023 School Year

What is Title I?

East Jackson Comprehensive High School is identified as a Title I school as part of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA). Title I is designed to support State and local school reform efforts tied to challenging state academic standards to reinforce and enhance efforts to improve teaching and learning for students. Title I programs must be based on effective means of improving student achievement and include strategies to support parental involvement.

All Title I schools must jointly develop with all parents a written parental involvement policy.



School Plan for Shared Student Achievement

What is it?

Parental involvement means the participation of parents in regular and meaningful communication involving student academic learning and other school activities, including ensuring:

- (A) Parents play an integral role in assisting their child's learning
- (B) Parents are encouraged to be actively involved in their child's education at school
- (C) Parents are full partners in their child's education and are included, as appropriate, in decision-making for the education of their child

How is it revised?

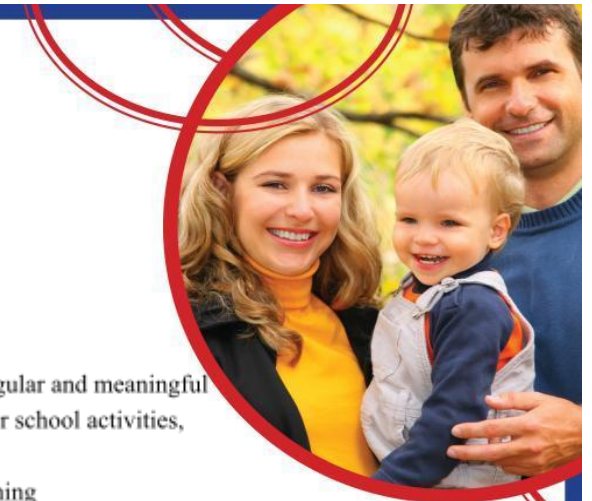
East Jackson Comprehensive High invites all parents to provide input regarding this plan throughout the school year by emailing Lucie Ausburn at sausburn@jcss.us, the EJCHS Family Engagement Coordinator. The plan is posted on our school website for parents to view and submit feedback. All parent feedback received during the year will be used to revise the plan for the next school year. We also distribute an annual survey online to ask parents for their suggestions on the plan and the use of funds for parental involvement.

Who is it for?

All students participating in the Title I, Part A program, and their families, are encouraged and invited to fully participate in the opportunities described in this plan. East Jackson Comprehensive High School will provide the opportunity for the full participation of parents with limited English, parents with disabilities, and parents of migratory children.

Where is it available?

At the beginning of the year, the plan is dispersed to all students and to parents who attend the Annual Title I meeting September 8th.. We will also email the plan to all parents in September after the scheduled Annual Title I meeting & Open House event. The plan will also be posted on the school website.



2022-23 District Goals

Jackson County School System is ethically bound and committed to:

Providing highly effective, committed staff and resources needed to achieve high expectations.

Providing a safe, clean, nurturing, and respectful environment.

Providing rigorous and challenging standards based on curriculum guided by data and research-based best instructional practices.

Developing mutual respect for partnership among all stakeholders.

2022-23 School Goals

Increase % of all students graduating in 4 years by 2%

Increase the % of High School (8-12) students who miss fewer than 10 days of school.

Increase student enrollment in Advanced Placement courses by 3%

Increase percent of students earning Proficient and Distinguished on 11th grade

American Literature

EOC by 8%

Increase the average reading score (MAP Assessment) by 5%



Let's Get Together!

East Jackson Comprehensive High School will host or participate in the following events to build the capacity for strong parental involvement to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement.



Annual Title I Meeting – September 8th 2022

We invite you to an evening of learning and sharing about our Title I program, including our parental involvement policy, the schoolwide plan, the school-parent compacts, and parents' requirements. Invitations will be sent via Campus Messenger, posted in the school newsletter and social media.

Open House – September 8th 2022

Meet your child's teachers and our school support staff for the year.

First Home Football game – September 16th 2022

Join us for pre-game as we celebrate our new turf field and cheer on our Eagles at our 1st home varsity football game of the season!

Eastside Community Pep Rally - September 29th 2022

Help us celebrate EJCHS Homecoming at our Eastside pep rally. The evening will include a parade with floats, our Fall sports teams, marching band, Homecoming court, and a much more!.

Financial Aid Nights December 2022

Learn helpful information to prepare for your student for post- secondary success with the help of Georgia Student Financial Aid Commission and Mr. Hal Wilkinson.

Financial Aid and EASFA Help Sessions- November and February

Representatives from Georgia Student Finance Commission will hold session at EJCSH to help with financial aid application for our senior class.

Pathway Information, Dual Enrollment & Rising 9th graders Information Night at Empower - October 18, 2022

Representatives from the Empower College and Career Academy will present opportunities available at the campus beginning in the Fall of 2023..

Spring Open House - January 19th 2023

Parents and guardians are invited to help select and plan for their student's future in choosing classes and career pathways.

School Forum – May 2023

An open forum for parents to participate in roundtable discussions with the principal and staff regarding the schoolwide plan, parental involvement policy, school-parent compacts and the parental involvement budget.

East Jackson Comprehensive High School is committed to helping our parents attend the parental activities listed in this plan. Please contact the school if you need assistance with any of our program offerings.

Parental Involvement Standards

East Jackson Comprehensive High School and our parents have adopted the National PTA Standards for Family-School Partnerships as the school's model in engaging parents, students, and the community. These standards are:

Welcoming All Families
Communicating Effectively
Supporting Student Success
Speaking Up for Every Child
Sharing Power
Collaborating with Community

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East Jackson Comprehensive High School is Soaring Above the Rest!

East Jackson Comprehensive High School will take the following measures to promote and support parents as an important foundation of the school in order to strengthen the school and reach our school goals. We will:

Ensure that all information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities is published in both English and Spanish, posted on the school website, and included in the weekly school newsletter for all parents.

Provide monthly trainings for staff during their planning periods on strategies to improve communication with parents and ideas to increase engagement.

Share information in English and Spanish in the school newsletter for parents to understand the school's academic standards and assessments as well as the ways parents can monitor their child's progress and work with educators.

Communicate with all families and the community on a regular basis regarding school wide events and activities, through Infinite Campus messages, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and flyers.

Provide necessary materials and handouts for parents at conferences, meetings, and activities to help parents work with their child to improve their child's achievement.

Use our School Forum and survey input from parents to improve awareness of the activities and events listed in the school parental involvement policy.

Collect feedback from parents using the online suggestion form on the school website in order to respond to parents' requests for additional support for parental involvement activities.



