# E-2 Parent and Family Engagement Plan

# HOLLYWOOD CENTRAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Plan (PFEP) 2020-2021

#### **Mission Statement**

Hollywood Central Elementary School administrators, teachers, and staff work together with parents to deliver a quality education for students, preparing them to live, and work with all people, to think critically, to possess positive character traits, and to become responsible, productive citizens.

### **Engagement of Parents and Families**

Hollywood Central Elementary will engage parents in an organized, ongoing, and timely manner, in the planning, review, and improvement of programs this part, including the planning, review, and improvement of the school parent and family engagement policy and the joint development of the schoolwide program plan under section 1114(b) except that if a school's program is exempt from statutory or regulatory provisions, the school may use that process, if such process includes an adequate representation of parents of participating children [Sections1116(c)(3), 1114(b)(2), and 1116(a)(2)(B)].

Parents are involved in the development of Title 1 programs. Input regarding Title 1 events occur through open discussions at SAC meetings and analysis of Parent Survey information.

### Coordination and Integration

Hollywood Central Elementary will coordinate and integrate parental involvement programs and activities that teach parents how to help their children at home, to the extent feasible and appropriate, including but not limited to, other federal programs such as: Head Start; Early Reading First; Even Start; Home Instruction Programs for Preschool Youngsters (HIPPY); the Parents as Teachers Program; Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten; public preschool; Title I, Part C; Title I, Part D; Title III; Title IV; and Title VI [Section 1116(e)(4)].

| Count Program |                         | Coordination    |
|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 1             | Kindergarten Round-Up   | Title 1 Liaison |
| 2             | HCE's Annual Curriculum | Title 1 Liaison |
|               | Night                   |                 |

| 3 | Family Fun Reading       | Title 1 Liaison |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------|
|   | Events (i.e "Goodies for |                 |
|   | Grandparents")           |                 |
| 4 |                          |                 |

#### **Annual Parent Meeting**

Hollywood Central Elementary will take the following actions to convene an annual meeting, to which all parents of participating children shall be invited and encouraged to attend, to inform parents of their school's participation under this part and to explain the requirements of this part, and the right of the parents engaged. Include timeline, persons responsible, documentation to be maintained, and steps to ensure that all parents invited

and encouraged to attend [Section 1116(c)(1)].

| Specific Activity         | Frequency<br>and Duration   | Evidence-Based<br>Research  | Evaluation of<br>Implementation and<br>Effectiveness          |
|---------------------------|---|---|---|
| HCE's OPEN<br>HOUSE       | August/<br>September<br>One time at the<br>beginning of<br>the year | Gray, G. R., Totsika, V., & Lindsay, G. (2018). Sustained Effectiveness of Evidence-Based Parenting Programs After the Research Trial Ends. Frontiers in psychology, 9, 2035. https://doi.org/10.3389/fp syg.2018.02035 | Parent Link Documentation, Attendance Documentation           |
| HCE's Curriculum<br>Night | November/<br>March<br>2 times during<br>the school year             | Gray, G. R., Totsika, V., & Lindsay, G. (2018). Sustained Effectiveness of Evidence-Based Parenting Programs After the Research Trial Ends. Frontiers in psychology, 9, 2035. https://doi.org/10.3389/fp syg.2018.02035 | Parent Link, Website,<br>Marquee, Attendance<br>Documentation |
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# **Flexible Parent Meetings**

Hollywood Central Elementary will offer a flexible number of meetings, such as meetings

in the morning or evening, and may provide with funds under this part, transportation, childcare, or home visits, as such services relate to parental involvement [Section 1116(c)(2)].

Hollywood Central Elementary will schedule meetings/parent involvement activities to be held at various times during the day or evening to better accommodate parents. Our school will hold a public meeting for parents to inform them about the school's participation in the Title 1 program and to encourage parents to be involved with reviewing and revising of the School's Title 1 Plan. Teachers will hold conferences individually with parents of children in their classrooms. These conferences will be scheduled before or after school to accommodate parents' schedules. Parents will be given a summary of the student's progress and an explanation of the interventions that teachers are using to assist the child in reaching achievement goals. Parents will be asked to engage in discussions on how they can support these efforts. The school will offer academic literacy trainings where childcare will be provided.

### **Building Capacity**

<u>Hollywood Central Elementary</u> will implement activities that will build the capacity for effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school involved, parents and the community to improve student academic achievement, each school and local educational agency assisted under this part – [Section 1116(e)]. Describe the actions the school will take to provide materials and training to help parents to work with their child to improve their child's academic achievement, such as literacy training and

using technology [Section 1116(e)(2)].

| Specific Activity           | Frequency<br>and Duration                    | Evidence-Based<br>Research   | Evaluation of<br>Implementation and<br>Effectiveness             |
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| HCE's Parental<br>Trainings | Bi-Quarterly,<br>August/January<br>(2 Hours) | Goldman, S. E.; and<br>Burke, M. M. (2017). The<br>Effectiveness of<br>Interventions to Increase<br>Parent Involvement in<br>Special Education: A<br>Systematic Literature<br>Review and Meta-<br>Analysis. Exceptionality:<br>A Special Education<br>Journal25(2): 97-115.<br>https://doi.org/10.1080/09<br>362835.2016.1196444 | Flyer, Parent Link,<br>Agenda, Sign-In Sheets,<br>Parent Surveys |

| HCE's Volunteer<br>Programs | Bi-Quarterly<br>August/January<br>(2 Hours) | Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Parent Engagement: Strategies for Involving Parents in School Health. Atlanta, GA: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; 2012. | Conference(s), Interim,<br>Flyers, Parent Link,<br>Emails, Agenda, Parent<br>Surveys |
|-----------------------------|---|--|--|
| HCE School-Wide             | Bi-Quarterly                                | Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Parent Engagement: Strategies for Involving Parents in School Health. Atlanta, GA: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; 2012. | Progress Reports,  |
| Parent Teacher              | August/January                              |  | Interim, Conference  |
| Conferences                 | (3 Hours)                                   |  | Forms, Parent Surveys  |

## **Staff Training**

<u>Hollywood Central Elementary</u> will offer the following training to educate teachers, specialized instructional support personnel, principals, and other staff, with the assistance of parents, in the value and utility of contributions of parents, and in how to reach out to, communicate with, and work with parents as equal partners, implement and coordinate

parent programs, and build ties between parents and schools [Section 1116(e)(3)].

| Specific Activity  | Frequency and Duration         | Evidence-Based<br>Research   | Evaluation of<br>Implementation and<br>Effectiveness |
|--|--------------------------------|--|--|
| HCE In-House Professional Development targeting Customer Service/Social Emotional Strategies | Bi-Quarterly<br>August/January | Goldman, S. E.; and<br>Burke, M. M. (2017). The<br>Effectiveness of<br>Interventions to Increase<br>Parent Involvement in<br>Special Education: A<br>Systematic Literature<br>Review and Meta-<br>Analysis. Exceptionality: A<br>Special Education<br>Journal25(2): 97-115.<br>https://doi.org/10.1080/09<br>362835.2016.1196444 | Newsletter, Conference<br>Statements, Interims,      |
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#### Other Activities

Hollywood Central Elementary will develop appropriate roles for community-based organizations and businesses in parent involvement activities; and conduct other activities, such as parent resource centers, the school will conduct these activities to encourage and support parent participation in the education of their children; and shall provide such other reasonable support for parental involvement activities under this section as parents may request [Sections 1116(e)(4), 1116(e)(13) and 1116(e)(14)].

Classroom and Grade Level Websites-Updates websites with classroom procedures, curriculum, assessment information, homework assignments, and special projects (Classroom Teachers)

Student Agendas- Updates websites with classroom procedures, curriculum, assessment information, homework assignments, and special projects (Classroom Teachers)

Title 1 Mobile Unit- Inform and provide parents with available resources and materials (Title 1 Liaison)

Parent and Resource Center-Inform parents of available services through newsletter and parent meetings and also provide resources and materials (Administration)

#### Communication

<u>Hollywood Central Elementary</u> will provide parents of participating children the following [Section 1116(c)(4)]:

- > Timely information about programs under this part [Section 1116(c)(4)(A)];
- ➤ A description and explanation of the curriculum in use at the school, the forms of academic assessment used to measure student progress, and the achievement levels of the challenging State academic standard; and [Section 1116(c)(4)(B)];
- ➢ If requested by parents, opportunities for regular meetings to formulate suggestions and to participate, as appropriate, in decisions relating to the education of their children, and respond to any such suggestions as soon as practicably possible [Section 1116(c)(4)(C)]; and
- ➢ If the school-wide program plan under Section 1114 (b) is not satisfactory to the parents of participating children, submit any parent comments on the plan when the school makes the plan available to the local education agency [Section 1116(c)(5)].

Hollywood Central will continue to ensure all parents have a clear line of communication by implementing the following:

> \*Open House-Parents are given information on curriculum, Florida Standards, assessments, strategies to assist learning and help their children with homework and other information relating to student progress. Informed parents have a better understanding of how to help their child

succeed.

- \*Monthly updates are presented at SAC Meetings.
- > \*A review of comments from SAC Meetings and parent plan.
- \*Information posted on school's website: <a href="www.hollywoodcentral.browardschools.com">www.hollywoodcentral.browardschools.com</a>
- > \*Frequent Parent Link Communication.
- > \*Emails to parents.

#### Accessibility

Hollywood Central Elementary will provide full opportunities for participation in parental involvement activities for all parents and family members (including parents and family members with limited English proficiency, disabilities, and parents and family members of migratory children). Including providing information and school reports required under section 1111 in a format and, to the extent practicable, in a language such parents understand [Section 1116(f)].

Hollywood Central Elementary will provide the Parent Family Engagement Plan (PFEP) in English, Spanish, and Haitian Creole upon request. Parents will be sent a notification of the plan in the school's newsletter and a copy will be available in the front office of the school. Translators will be available at all parent meetings and made available when needed.

### School-Parent Compact

As a component of the school-level parent involvement plan, each school shall jointly develop, with parents for all children served under this part, a school-parent compact, that outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement [Section 1116(d)].

Provide the LEA electronically the School-Parent Compact and evidence of parent input in the development of the compact.

# <u>Adoption</u>

This School Parent Involvement Plan has been developed jointly with, and in agreement with, parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs, as evidenced by the School Advisory Council's meeting minutes.

This plan was adopted by the school on \_\_\_\_\_(04/29/2020)\_\_\_ and will be in effect during the 2020-2021 school year. The school will make this plan available to all parents of participating Title I, Part A children on or before September 30, 2020.

Signature of Principal