

# Timber Drive Title I Family Engagement Policy

## 2025-2026



**Policy Engagement:** The voice of our families is important and we want your feedback. In order to hear from you regarding our Title I Family Engagement Policy we will:

- Provide families information about being a Title I school
  - Title I is a federally funded program that provides financial assistance and program support to schools with high numbers of children from low-income families. These funds may be used to provide resources and instructional support to help all children meet challenging academic standards.
- Maintain a Family Engagement Committee within the School Improvement Plan that will provide guidance around planning and creating meaningful learning opportunities for Timber Drive staff and families.
- Send a copy of the policy home with every student. The policy will be posted on the school website. The Family Engagement Committee will review the policy annually and collect feedback from families.

**Shared Responsibilities for High Student Achievement:** The shared responsibility expectations are reflected in our Home-School Compact.

**Building Capacity for Engagement:** Supporting both our families and staff in growing their capabilities for engagement is crucial to our success. This year we are focusing on improving core instruction. In order to ensure this happens, we will:

- Hold Family "Pack" Nights: Grade levels will focus on the "Big Ideas" in math and literacy curriculum.. "Break-out" sessions will be planned for those nights so parents will have the opportunity to choose which session(s) to attend.
- Develop a school-wide communication plan: classroom teachers will actively communicate via Talking Points, phone calls, and newsletters.
- Professional Development: provide professional development for the staff to increase knowledge and awareness of how to engage families.

**Accessibility:** Through building a relationship with our families, we will learn how to best meet the needs of the students and families at Timber Drive. Services, such as translators and interpreters, are available upon request.