

## Parental Involvement Policy

The Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and Sciences agrees to implement the following statutory requirements:

- The school district will put into operation activities and procedures for the involvement of parents in all of its schools with Title 1, Part A programs, consistent with section 1118 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA.) These programs and activities will be planned and operated with meaningful consultation with parents of participating children.
- Consistent with section 1118, the school district will work to ensure that the required school-level parental involvement policies meet the requirements of section 1118 (b) of the ESEA, and include as a component, a school-parent compact consistent with section 1118 (b) of the ESEA.
- In carrying out the Title 1, Part A parental involvement requirements, to the extent practicable the school will provide full opportunities for the participation of parents with limited English proficiency, parents with disabilities, and parents of migratory children, including providing information and school reports required under section 1111 of the ESEA in an understandable and uniform format, including alternative formats upon request and to the extent practicable in a language parents understanding.
- The school district will build its own and the parent's capacity for strong parental involvement in order to ensure effective involvement of parents and to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve academic achievement.
- The school district will be governed by the following statutory definition of parental involvement, and expects that its Title 1 school will carry out programs, activities and procedures in accordance with this definition:

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

- (A) That parents play an integral role in assisting their child's learning ;*
- (B) That parents are encouraged to be actively involved in their child's education;*
- (C) That parents are full partners in their child's education and are included, as appropriate, in decision-making;*
- (D) The carrying out of other activities, such as those described in section 1118 of the ESEA.*

Part II.

1. Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and Sciences will assist parents in understanding the state standard, district and school assessments, as well as monitoring their child's progress through means such as annual parental involvement meetings, parent teacher conferences, and postings on the school website.
2. Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and Sciences will provide materials and training to help parents work with their children, such as literacy training and using technology through providing materials such as online resources listed on the Pegasus website, social media, or take home materials.
3. Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and Sciences will, to the extent feasible and appropriate, coordinate and integrate parental involvement strategies with programs such as compensatory education through planning and coordination of funds.
4. Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and Sciences will ensure that information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities is sent to parents of participating children in a format and, to the extent practical, in a language parents can understand through means such as the parent newsletter, social media, and take-home announcements.
5. Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and Sciences will provide reasonable support of parental involvement through means such as annual surveys of parents regarding their ideas for effective parental involvement, the counselor or other designee will solicit input from parents on parent involvement improvement and policies.
6. Pegasus will build School and parent capacity for strong involvement through activities such as:
  - A. A variety of activities such as parent meetings, the Pegasus website, outreach and communication via various social media platforms, providing assistance for parents in understanding relevant topics such as testing, graduation requirements, and higher education.
  - B. A variety of materials and resources and trainings to help parents work with their students to improve academic achievement through the Pegasus website.
  - C. Pegasus will communicate regularly with in regard to events, programs, and information, when possible, through the website, various social media platforms, take-home announcements, the Pegasus website, and will involve parents as equal partners in the value and utility of contributions in order to build ties between parents and the school.