

Title I, Part A School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy 2022-2023

This policy describes the means for carrying out designated Title I, Part A parent and family engagement requirements pursuant to ESSA Section 1116(c).

To involve parents in the Title I, Part A programs, the following practices have been established:

Ina Arbuckle Elementary has developed a written Title I, Part A parental involvement policy with input from Title I parents. The school site annually involves parents in the joint development and agreement of the policy, which is reviewed as part of Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) and through site advisory groups, i.e., School Site Council (SSC), English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC), Gifted and Talented and Special Education advisories, Parent Teacher Organization (PTA). The policy is updated periodically to meet the changing needs of parents and the school (ESSA Section 1116(b)[1]. It has distributed the policy to parents of Title I students. The policy will be provided in the informational materials that are distributed to parents at the beginning of the year. The policy describes the means for carrying out the following Title I parental involvement requirements [20 USC 6318 Section 1118(a)-(f) inclusive].

The school convenes an annual meeting to inform parents about Title I, Part A requirements and about the right of parents to be involved in the Title I, Part A program (ESSA Section 1116[c][1]).

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• A flexible number of meetings will be held at varying times based on parent needs and will include translation services, if needed.

The school involves parents of Title I, Part A students in an organized, ongoing, and timely way, in the planning, review, and improvement of the school's Title I, Part A programs and the Title I, Part A parent involvement policy (ESSA Section 1116[c][3]).

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- An annual survey of parents is conducted to assess needs, determine barriers, and evaluate the effectiveness of the parent involvement activities.
- Included as part of the annual review of the Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) through School Site Council (SSC), English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC), Gifted and Talented and Special Education advisories.

The school provides parents of Title I, Part A students with timely information about Title I, Part A programs (ESSA Section 1116[c)(4][A]).

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• Through parent newsletters, Back-to-School nights, SSC, ELAC, and PTA.

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 At parent-teacher conferences, assessment information on student academic progress and grade level standards are shared with parents. Student progress in relation to state and priority standards and national norms will be explained to parents including curriculum being used, grade level expectations for proficiency, data reporting for CAASPP and local assessments and available intervention in reading, language arts, and mathematics for students needing assistance.

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• Through informal parent requests for meetings, SSTs Meetings, 504 meetings, Back-to-School nights, SSC, ELAC, and PTA.

This School-Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy has been developed jointly with, updated periodically, and agreed on with parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs, as evidenced by:

This policy was adopted by School Site Council at Ina Arbuckle Elementary School in September 14, 2022 and will be in effect for the period of September 2022 to September 2023.

The school will distribute the policy to all parents of students participating in the Title I, Part A program on, or before: November 2022.

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Norma Arvayo , Principal

Signature of Authorized Official

Enter date approved.

Governing Board Approval Date

California Department of Education April 2020