

Worth County Achievement Center
Parent and Family Engagement Policy



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What is it?

This is a plan that describes how Worth County Achievement Center (WCAC) will provide opportunities to improve parent engagement to support student learning. WCAC values the contributions and involvement of parents to establish an equal partnership for the common goal of improving student achievement. This plan describes the different ways that WCAC will support parent engagement and how parents can help plan and participate in activities and events to promote student learning at school and at home.

How is it revised?

WCAC invited all parents in the spring to the development of the schoolwide plan, the policy and the parent-school compact. Parents were given copies of the policy for review at the grade level meetings, and the compact revision meetings. Surveys were given in the spring and results from the survey were also used to develop this policy.

Who is it for?

All students participating in the program, and their families, are encouraged and invited to fully participate in the opportunities described in this plan. WCAC will provide full opportunity for the participation of parents whose primary language is not English, parents of students with disabilities and parents of migratory children.

Where is it available?

At the beginning of the year, the policy is distributed to all parents. Policies are made available to all parents in the Main Office, the Media Center, and the Parent Resource Room. The plan will also be posted on the school website. Parents may request a hard copy at any time.

Parent and Family Engagement Office

Parents are invited to visit the Parent and Family Engagement Coordinator's office. There are various resources to assist parents in helping their child at home.

Parent and Family Engagement

Worth County Achievement Center believes that parental involvement means the participation of parents in regular two-way and meaningful communication involving student academic learning and other school activities, including ensuring:

- That parents play an integral role in assisting their child's learning.
- That parents are encouraged to be actively involved in their child's education at school.
- That parents are full partners in their child's education and are included, as appropriate, in decision-making and on advisory committees to assist in the education of their child.
- The carrying out of other activities as described in this plan.

Worth County Achievement Center is committed to helping parents attend the parental activities listed in this plan. Please call or email us if you need assistance with transportation to participate in our program.

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