

Arrowhead Middle School

Parental Involvement - Family Engagement Plan

2020-2021

Each year, our school develops a Parental Involvement - Family Engagement Plan to provide regular opportunities for us to exchange ideas about how we can support and promote the educational growth of each student. Working together ensures a high level of success for every student. Listed below are ways in which we can partner together in your student's education during this school year.

Opportunities for Parents/Guardians to Support Student Academic Achievement

- Arrowhead Middle School Deployment Drive Through – August 26th – September 4th
- Back To School Night - September 2020
- Family Advocacy Day – October 9th
- Family Advocacy Day – February 12th

Opportunities for Parents/Guardians to be Informed of Annual Student Achievement & Growth

- Arrowhead Middle School will provide you with informational progress reports and communications will also be sent to parents/guardians regarding specific testing dates for the MAP and KAP assessments as we approach the testing windows.
 - Grade 7- Summer Admissions MAP Test (Winter)
 - Grades 6-8 - KAP Interim Assessments
 - Grades 6-8 - KAP English Language Arts (ELA) & Math
 - Grades 6-8 - Mid-Quarter and Quarterly Grade Reports

Opportunities for Parents/Guardians to be Involved in School Community Activities

- Fall Family Fun Night - October 2020
- Dads and Donuts - February 2021
- Moms and Muffins - January 2021
- Getting Groovy with Grandparents - September 2020
- STEM Day – March 2021
- Math and Literacy Night – March 2021
- Title I Annual Parent Evaluation Survey – March 2021

Due to the current pandemic, our Family Events are undergoing changes. Please stay tuned for how these great events will look in a virtual setting.

Arrowhead Middle School will reach out to communicate and work with parents as equal partners in the following ways:

- A parent can request a conference with the advocate, team, or teacher any time during the school year. The parent can meet with the teacher(s) during team planning time, before, or after school.
- An open house will be offered first semester. August 30th – September 3rd
- The school will, to the greatest extent feasible and appropriate, provide information in another language or in another format upon request.

In addition to our Parental Involvement-Family Engagement Plan, we will also partner together through our 2020-2021 School-Home Compact. The School-Home Compact has been developed with input from parents, staff, and students and outlines the important things each of us can do to provide the best possible education for each of our students. I have signed the compact on behalf of our staff and request that you and your student join us by signing your agreement to participate this year. We will keep your student's compact on file in our school office for regular review.

The School-Home Compact and Parental Involvement-Family Engagement Plan will enable all of us to establish a strong partnership that will help each student reach the highest standards of academic success. If at any time you have concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Arrowhead Middle School at 913.627.6600.

Thank you,
Elvira Hurley, Principal