



Milby High School

School Parent and Family Engagement Policy ESSA Section 1116

Title I- part A 2021-2022

Milby High School believes that parent involvement is essential to ensuring that students are success in school. We believe that when parents are involved in the education of their child, school becomes more important and more of a priority to their child. Our mission is to empower all parents and guardians, through education, so they are informed and equipped to support the education of their children. We want to ensure that all parents and guardians, including parents with limited English proficiency or disabilities, can also participate in their children's education. Milby High School pledges to maintain a great line of communication between the school and home and to provide numerous opportunities for parents to be involved in their child's education throughout the school year.

1. *Milby High School* shall jointly develop with, and distribute to, parents and family members of participating children a written parent and family engagement policy, agreed on by such parents, that shall describe how Tittle I requirements will be carried out:

- Parents were informed via flyer of a meeting pertaining to Title I where the policy and the School-Parent compact would be discussed, and feedback heard. Information about the meeting will be on different social media platforms. In this way, parents have been informed and given an open opportunity to attend the meeting and give their feedback.

2. *Milby High School* shall convene an annual meeting, at a convenient time, to which all parents of participating children shall be invited and encouraged to attend, to inform parents of their school's participation under this part and to explain the requirements of this part, and the right of the parents to be involved:

- The Annual Tittle I meeting will be held at 10 a.m. during the school day on Tuesday, September 21st and on September 24th at 5:30 p.m. This will happen after the monthly meeting our principal has with parents. At this time, we will provide parents with information about Title I program by walking them through the presentation provided by the External Funding department.

3. Milby High School shall offer a flexible number of meetings, such as meetings in the morning or evening, and may provide, with funds provided under this part, transportation, childcare, or home visits, as such services relate to parental involvement:

- Parents receive notice of and are invited to attend various meeting and activities throughout the course of the school year. An Open House was held in September for each grade level to allow parents to become better acquainted with their child's schedule of classes, his/her teachers, and the school and classroom expectations the child is expected to live up to.
- Parents are invited to a monthly coffee with the principal event every second Tuesday of the month. At these events, the principal offers parents important information for the upcoming month, arranges for speakers and presenters to give important information to parents, and listen to parents concerns, input, and feedback about how the programs at the school are going. Milby High School will conduct 4 required Title I parent meetings and will include 4 alternate meeting dates to better serve parents' availability to attend:

Meeting #1A: 9/21/21 at 10:00 AM

Meeting #2A: 10/12/21 at 10:00 AM

Meeting #3A: 1/11/22 at 10:00 AM

Meeting #4A: 3/8/22 at 10:00 AM

Meeting #1B: 9/24/21 at 5:30 PM

Meeting #2B: 10/14/21 at 5:30 PM

Meeting #3B: 1/13/22 at 5:30 PM

Meeting #4B: 3/10/22 at 5:30 PM

4. Milby High School shall involve parents, in an organized, ongoing, and timely way, in the planning, review, and improvement of programs under this part, including the planning, review, and improvement of the school parent and family engagement policy:

- Parents are invited in September of 2021 to review and offer input on the most recent revision of the Parents and Family Engagement Policy. If the schoolwide plan and/or parents family engagement policy is not satisfactory to parents, parents may submit any comments/concerns via email to Esther Salazar, Title I Contact at esalaza4@houstonisd.org or by phone at 713-928-7401.

**5. Milby High School shall provide parents of participating children—
(A) timely information about programs under this part**

- Parents receive timely information from Milby High School in a variety of different formats. For example, parents receive information through flyers sent home with necessary information for participation in a meeting or activity including date, time, specific locations, and any additional requirements. Parents also receive information through email, phone, call, as well as different social media platforms.