

# Norman Park Elementary

Parent, Family, and Community Stakeholder Input Meeting

April 24th, 2023

The meeting will be posted on Norman Park's website for easy access.

# Purpose of the Meeting

Norman Park Elementary School needs your input to plan for the 2023-2024 school year!

Areas for your comments and contributions:

1. Family and Community Engagement



# Family and Community Engagement

## **What is family and community engagement?**

*It is our school's way of developing and fostering a meaningful connection between the school and the community it serves.*

1. Do you think Norman Park Elementary School has a meaningful connection with families and the surrounding community?
2. What do you think we could do to improve?



# Elements that support family and community engagement

1. School Parent and Family Engagement Plan
2. School-Parent-Student Compact
3. Training for staff to work with parents and families
4. Title I-A Budget for Parent and Family Engagement




# School Parent and Family Engagement Plan

What is it?

It is our plan for how we will partner with and engage parents to support the academic success of our students, and includes our planned activities and communications with parents and families.

Our 2022-2023 plan is available in English [HERE](#)

([NP Parent Family Engagement Plan FY22-23.docx \(google.com\)](#))

1. How well do we reach out and support our families?
  2. What can we do to improve?
  3. What needs to be updated for next year?
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# School-Parent-Student Compact

What is it?

It is an agreement between teachers, parents and students about how we will work together to support student academic success. We focus on improving reading comprehension in all grades.

Our 2022-2023 plan is available in English [HERE](#)

[NP Parent Compact \(Updated for 2022-2023\).docx \(google.com\)](#)

- Do you agree with the focus on the following
    - Improve MAP Reading benchmark scores by focusing on basic reading and comprehension skills.
    - Increase MAP Math benchmark scores by focusing on number sense, operations and algebraic thinking, and understanding math word problems.
    - Improve GMAS Science scores by implementing hands-on lessons to build knowledge of scientific concepts. Science content will be integrated into reading lessons to enhance vocabulary and inferencing skills.
  - How well did the school, parents, and students fulfill their responsibilities?
  - What could all the groups do to get better?
  - What should we update for next year?
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# Training for Staff to work with Parents and Families

What is it?

This is how we train our staff in four key areas:

- The value and usefulness of parental contributions
  - Reaching out, communicating, and working with parents as equal partners
  - How to implement and coordinate parenting programs
  - Building ties between parents and school
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1. What training topics do you think Norman Park should provide to staff?
  2. How can we improve training to help staff members work more effectively with parents and families?
  3. How can we build better relationships with families?



# Title I-A Budget for Parent and Family Engagement

What is it?

It is the federal funding we receive from our Title I-A grant that supports parent and family engagement programs at our school.

For 2022-2023, our Parent and Family Engagement funds were used for the following:

- Purchase supplies for parent and family engagement events
  - STEM Event, The Big Balloon Canyon, Academic Night in Classrooms
- Parent resource area
- Provide a school parent engagement liaison





# Title I-A Budget for Parent and Family Engagement

1. Do you agree with how we budgeted and spent our Parent and Family Engagement Program funds this year?
2. Is there anything we should plan to buy next year?
3. Is there anything that we should NOT buy for next year?



# We need your comments and suggestions!

Access our input meeting feedback form on our school's Title I webpage at:

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Or use the website path to access the form at :

1. Go to \_\_\_\_\_
2. Click on "About Us" and then on "Title I"
3. Click on "\_\_\_\_\_ Input Meeting Feedback Form"





Thank you!