



Mesquite Jr. High 2021-2022 Title I Family and Community Engagement Plan

Statement of Purpose: At Mesquite Jr. High, we believe that the engagement of families and community members is an important component of successful students. Here at Mesquite Jr. High, we hope to create an environment where family engagement is an integral part of our students' education. Events and opportunities to involve the MJH community include:

- A **Title I Annual Parent Meeting** will be held (30 minutes prior to Open house) to explain and discuss our Title I program.
- **6th Grade campus visits** ("Level Up") from our Elementary feeder 6th graders who will be attending MJH for 22/23: Late January, 2022.
- A **6th Grade Parent Night** to preview 7th grade (22/23) will be held on: Wed., 2/9/2022.
- A **7th Grade Parent/Student Orientation Night** will be held in the summer for all incoming 7th graders (late July, 2022)
- A **Title I Family Engagement** event will be held once a year. The topics covered at the family engagement event will be determined based on parent input (via survey).
- Teachers are available to meet with parents who call or email to schedule a **Parent/Teacher** meeting to discuss their student's success throughout the year.
- **Performing Arts:** (11) on campus performances throughout the school year are open to parent/guardians and the community in each of the following areas: Band, Orchestra, Choir and Drama.
- **Athletics:** Multiple on site athletic events open to both parent/guardians and the community during Fall/Winter/Spring seasons (September through May).
- **MJH Junior High Podcast:** Podcast providing information and guests addressing topics specific to Junior High. Topics will be determined through parent/guardian and staff input.
- **Report Cards** will be available on-line (Progress/Quarter/Semester) through Infinite Campus. Parents are encouraged to check their student's grades on a regular basis.
- **School Email Updates** are sent out every Friday offering information about the school and activities for the upcoming week.
- Parents are welcome to **contact their student's teachers** through school email and/or phone to discuss their student's success at school
- **Partners in Learning Compacts** are signed by all students that participate in the school's Title I Math programs as well as by their Parents/Guardians are invited to **Volunteer** on PTO committees and around the school in different capacities including in the library and at the book fair.
- **Title I Math Specialist** will provide progress reports, one per semester for each student in Title I Math Lab.