

FREEHOLD TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT PARENT INVOLVEMENT POLICY

Title I (No Child Left Behind Act of 2001) guidelines require that a parental involvement policy be developed and distributed to parents of participating students. The policy for the Freehold Township School District is outlined below:

- I. Parents will be given the opportunity to contribute to program development during an annual meeting and through a survey distributed in June of each school year.
- II. Parents will have ongoing opportunities to communicate with the school staff on Back-to-School Night and Parent Conference Nights scheduled twice per year. Additional individual conferences may be requested by the parents and/or staff members. Parents wishing to schedule additional conferences may contact staff members directly.
- III. During the school year, meetings will be held of which you will be notified. Topics of interest will be attained through the annual surveys.
- IV. The following information will be distributed to the parents/guardians of students who qualify for Title I services:
 - A. Information about programs funded through Title I, including after school programs
 - B. Real time access to grades using the parent portal of the student information system
 - C. School-parent compact
 - D. Interim progress reports and report cards
 - E. Test results

SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

Outlined below are the responsibilities shared by school staff, parents and students in meeting the goal of improving student achievement:

- I. School Responsibility
 - A. Provide high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment
 - B. Provide students with the help needed to meet New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards
 - C. Describe and explain the curriculum and proficiencies
 - D. Explain the forms of assessment used to measure student progress
 - E. Plan and hold an annual parent meeting
 - F. Provide for parent-teacher meetings
 - G. Provide for ongoing parent-teacher communication
 - H. Provide reports on student progress
 - I. Provide for parent input to improve educational services
- II. Parent Responsibility
 - A. Monitor student attendance
 - B. Assure homework completion
 - C. Encourage a positive attitude
 - D. Communicate with staff members when appropriate
 - E. Attend scheduled school programs designed for parent-teacher communication