1st Title I Parent meeting Feedback sep 24th 2024

School Staff: Lakshmi Valdes (Principal), Mybika Marvin (Counselor), Lashisha Baker SDI, Yolanda Vando PTA. Jenniffer Suran school secretary, Samia Rutherford, Instructional coach, LVES parents

Mrs. Valdes presented the following meeting Highlights

1. Parent and Family Engagement Policy

- Parents reviewed the policy and expressed agreement with its content.
- No additional feedback or changes were suggested.

2. School-Parent Compact

- Parents agreed with the compact as it currently stands.
- An opportunity for input was provided, but no further suggestions were made.

3. Ideas for Use of Title I Funds

• Hiring Tutors and TEMPS:

Parents supported this idea of addressing student needs.

• STAAR Test Preparation:

 One parent suggested additional support for STAAR testing, citing learning gaps caused by time away from school.

• Parent Involvement:

 The PTA board emphasized the importance of targeting Kindergarten parents to establish long-term involvement throughout their child's education.

• Fundraiser Ideas:

 Parents recommended hosting fundraiser nights at accessible, budget-friendly local businesses to increase attendance.

4. Additional Suggestions:

- Parents stressed the importance of maintaining school events like Trunk or Treat, with modifications for safety if necessary.
- Parents agreed to meet monthly to provide ongoing feedback on school initiatives.
- Suggestions were made to ensure Title I funds are used for programs and materials that benefit all students, promoting fairness and inclusivity.

This feedback will guide the development of strategies and initiatives that align with our school community's needs and priorities. Thank you to all who participated!