

College Street Elementary Parent Involvement Policy 2016-17

College Street Elementary is committed to providing a quality education for every student by building a strong partnership with parents and community members. Our vision states that College Street is a welcoming community where individual strengths are valued and EVERYONE feels empowered to be positive leaders. This vision includes our parents, staff, students and community members.

Campus Responsibilities

College Street will build partnerships with parents and campus staff to improve and support all student needs and academic growth. We value our parents input and opinions and ensure that families have the opportunity to be involved in various aspects of our educational program through a variety of activities throughout the year. This includes, but are not limited to:

- Campus Building Leadership Team meetings, in which a campus needs assessment and campus improvement plan are developed to guide the school's continued improvement.
- Parent/teacher conferences will be held to inform parents of student progress of state curriculum, student assessment data and performance on grade level requirements.
- An annual meeting will be held to inform parents of the school's participation in Title I, Part A programs, and to explain the Title I, Part A requirements and the right of parents to be involved in Title I, Part A programs. The school will convene the meeting at a time convenient for parents and will offer a flexible number of additional parental involvement meetings, such as in the morning or evening, so that as many parents as possible are able to attend. The school will invite all parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs to this meeting, and will encourage them to attend, by offering childcare and refreshments.
- Title 1 Parent/Student/School Compact and Parent Involvement Policy
- Campus performance profiles and individual student assessment results, including state assessments
- The Leader In Me program, including parent training
- Parent surveys
- PTA meetings and activities
- College Street website, Facebook page, Twitter and Instagram
- Class Dojo
- Curriculum Nights, Leadership Night, community involvement activities
- Information and flyers will be sent home in Tuesday Newsday folders.

School/Parent Partnership Compact

The College Street School/Parent Compact explains how students, parents and teachers share responsibility for promoting student achievement and academic success. The Building Leadership Team provides input in the design and implementation of the compact. This is presented to all parties at the beginning of each school year and kept on file.