

Liberty JH Parent and Family Engagement Policy 2025-2026

1. Liberty JH will take the following actions to involve parents in the development of the parent participation plan under ESSA Every Student Succeeds Act 1116:
 - The Local School Council Committee will discuss and approve the plan.
2. Liberty JH will take the following actions to involve parents in the process of evaluating school improvement under ESSA Every Student Succeeds Act 1116:
 - Participation in the Parent Teacher Association meeting
 - Local School Council
3. Liberty JH will hold an annual meeting to inform parents of the school's participation in Title I, Part A Program and to explain the requirements of Title I, Part A and parents' rights to participate in such programs. The school will hold meetings at a convenient time so that parents can attend and will offer additional meetings, such as in the morning or evening, so that as many people as possible can attend. The school will invite all parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs and will encourage them to attend such meetings in the following manner:
 - Phone calls in English and Spanish
 - Written and electronic information in English and Spanish.
 - Information on the Marquee • Electronic mail
 - School radio station that can be received within 2 miles of the school
 - Social Networks • School Web Page.
 - Text Messages.
 - Electronic Reminders.
4. Liberty JH will provide information to parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs that includes a description and explanation of the school's curriculum as well as the ways that academic qualifications are used to determine their child's progress and the expected level of student understanding in the following ways:
 - Teacher Individual Plan
 - Teacher notes to parents in English and Spanish
 - Parent Portal: Focus is the internet site where you can view your child's grades
5. Liberty JH will offer opportunities for parents and school staff to come together to participate in campus decisions and the education of their students. The school will respond to suggestions as soon as possible in the following ways:
 - Discuss at the next meeting
 - A note or a phone call

6. Student Assessment Reporting

Liberty JH will provide each parent with an individual student report regarding their child's performance on state assessments in at least Mathematics, Language Arts, and Reading in the following manner:

- Parents will receive STAAR exam results along with an explanatory letter.

7. Parent Assistance and Support

Liberty JH will provide assistance to parents of students enrolled in the school to understand topics through the following actions:

- State academic content standards,
- State student academic achievement standards,
- Local and state academic assessments including alternate assessments,
- Requirements of Title I, Part A,
- How to monitor their child's progress, and
- How to work with teachers through:

Parent Teacher Association (PTA), Open House, Academic Enrichment Night, Hispanic Parent Night, Parent Technology Night, written and electronic information, newsletters, district information portal (Edline), teacher websites, automated phone calls, personal phone calls, parent-teacher conferences. Parents have access to the internet via technology devices provided by the district. Teachers and staff will attend parent and family engagement meetings.

Policy Development and Adoption

This parent and family engagement policy has been developed jointly and in agreement with parents of children participating in Title I, Part A programs, as evidenced in the LSC registration sheet.

This policy was adopted by Liberty Junior High on May 7, 2025, and will be in effect during the 2025-2026 school year. The school will distribute this policy to all parents of Title I, Part A participating children on or before October 10, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Irene Aguilar', is positioned above the printed name of the principal.

Principal: Irene Aguilar