

**Adams Elementary School
Parent Involvement Policy**

Adams Elementary School regards parental involvement vital to the academic success of students. Parents are the initial teachers of their children and serve as partners with the school in helping their children achieve academic success.

Adams Elementary School will involve parents in the development of its School Improvement Plan.

- The school will invite parent representation to participate in the development of the School Improvement Plan. Information, including academic data, State and Federal allocations, personnel, and instructional strategies will be given to parent representatives.
- Parents will review information, attend scheduled meetings and give input into the development of the school plan.
- The Logan District School Board will give final approval of the school plan.

Adams Elementary School will involve parents in the process of school review and improvement.

- Share the achievement data from the school with parents.
- Invite input from parents regarding district and school academic goals.
- Discuss scientifically-based research instructional practices.
- Give direction in securing research-based curriculum materials that align with goals.

Adams Elementary School will provide coordination and technical assistance to promote quality parental involvement activities.

- Faculty meetings and community council meetings will include parental involvement discussions of ways to maximize coordination and effective use of resources.
- The school transitions committee will provide annual training to school administrators and teachers on effective parent involvement strategies.

Adams Elementary School will build the school and parent capacity for strong parental involvement.

- Three times a year parents will be invited to participate in parent involvement nights where effective parent involvement strategies will be shared.
- The district will allocate Title I funds to support a half-time parent liaison for each Title I school and monitor effectiveness using SEP data, phone log and correspondence in Spanish.
- Parents will be notified of our Title I status at Back to School Night and in the PTA newsletter.
- End of Level Assessment will be shared with parents in the PTA newsletter with copies available in the office.

Adams Elementary School will conduct an annual parental involvement evaluation.

- In the spring, local School Community Councils will be given a Title I Parent Involvement Evaluation Form and asked to complete the evaluation and provide input on how the school might improve support for parental involvement.
- At the spring SEP conference, parents will be encouraged to complete a parent involvement survey that will elicit feedback on current activities and request input for future efforts.
- At the beginning of the new school year, the school will provide a summary of the parental involvement survey with its plans to address identified needs and recommendations.

Adams Elementary School will ensure that the school is involving parents in a variety of school activities.

- Adams Elementary School will submit an annual report of successful parent involvement activities.
- Share ideas among community council and PTA for successful parent involvement activities.
- The principal will annually report to the district how they used Title I funds to support effective parent involvement strategies.