

Parental Involvement Policy Oquirrh Elementary 2016-2017

In accordance with Federal Law [20 U. S. C. 6318(b), (c), (e)], Oquirrh Elementary has developed and distributed this parental involvement policy:

- ❖ Oquirrh Elementary will convene an annual PTA meeting at Back to School Night and morning during the first weeks of school to inform all parents of the school's participation in the Title I program and their right to be involved.
 - In an effort to meet various schedules, multiple meetings will be held (Aug. 18th at 6:00pm and Aug. 23rd from 8:30am-9:30am)
 - This meeting will be advertised on the school website, postings on the door and marquee, and delivered to every home in English and Spanish, before school begins.
 - A translator will be available to answer questions and clarify information.
- ❖ A Title I Leadership Team has been established which includes parents, certified staff, and classified staff. This committee will meet, periodically, to review, revise, and discuss progress of this policy and of the Title I plan.
- ❖ Parents will be informed of curriculum used in the school, academic assessments used to measure student progress, and expected grade level proficiency standards in grade level disclosure statements sent home the first week of the school year.
- ❖ Parents will receive materials and training on how best to work with their students to improve their achievement including:
 - Family Literacy and Math Nights
 - Cultural Day and Leadership Celebrations
 - At least one class providing instruction on positive behavior supports for families.
 - At least one class educating parents on the Leader in Me using *7 Habits for Happy Kids*.
 - Access to a library of books and articles that may be checked out to parents.
 - Receiving school-wide newsletters that include tips on how to assist students with academics and behavior.
 - Using student planners, folders, and home notes as determined by grade.
 - Two 6 session classes in Love & Logic to be taught in the fall and the spring.
- ❖ Oquirrh Elementary will house a Family Learning Center (FLC) that will provide assistance with community literacy, technology, health, and educational needs, and improve access to community resources.
- ❖ Oquirrh Elementary will provide critical written home communication in English and in Spanish, to the extent possible. We will also provide interpreting services, to the extent feasible. Finally, Oquirrh will provide language and computer classes for all parents.

Oquirrh Elementary is committed to providing clear and frequent communication to parents, and opportunities for families to participate in student achievement and other school activities.

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May 19, 2016

	Printed Name	Signature
Principal	<u>Mandy Thurman</u>	<u>Mandy Thurman</u>
PTA	<u>Ki Hansen</u>	<u>Kyraltansen</u>
School Community Council	<u>Stephanie Grange</u>	<u>Stephanie Grange</u>
Leadership Team, Teacher	<u>Aly Phillips</u>	<u>Aly Phillips</u>
Leadership Team, Teacher	<u>Emily Fankh user</u>	<u>Emily Fankhauser</u>
Classified Employee	<u>Janice Johnson</u>	<u>Janice Johnson</u>