

Alpine ISD Family Engagement Plan

Component	AISD Strategic Plan
Family-to-Family Support	<p><i>AISD will include Parental Involvement activities to form campus-family relationships, and provide parents with opportunities to participate in district and campus initiatives, such as:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Library & Family Night • Monthly PTA Meetings • Quarterly Parental Involvement Newsletter (Reg 16) • Monthly Parent and Child Activity Calendar • Parent Conferences (with teacher, counselor and/or administrator) • Grade level communication with parents for weekly homework through newsletters and tech-based resources • Yearly Health Fair • Public Library Camps • Parent Volunteer Opportunities • Parent Involvement meetings regarding school to home educational resources and activities to support student learning in the home
Establish a Network of Community Resources	<p><i>AISD in partnership with community organizations will establish resources that provide services to the students, in an effort to equip parents and caregivers with skills needed to have a healthy and productive family. Some resources are:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Find • Community Center Child Care • Public Library • Texas Health and Human Services • Region 18 Education Service Center • Ministerial Alliance Group • State Health & Human Resources • Public Health Department • Sul Ross State University • Parent Resources – AISD Website • Teacher Websites • Projects and interactive activities- Parent participation

<p>Increase Family Participation in Decision Making</p>	<p><i>AISD encourages family participation in decision making, realizing that contributions are crucial to a well-rounded and well thought-out plan that will facilitate support for all stakeholders and impact positive student achievement.</i></p> <p><i>Parents will be invited to participate and serve in:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Campus and District Site-Based Decision Making Committees (SBDM) • Student Health Advisory Council (SHAC) • Regularly scheduled campus-level parent meetings • Invite family feedback and suggestions with regard to activities being provided
<p>Equip Families with Tools to Enhance and Extend Learning</p>	<p><i>AISD will equip families with learning opportunities to enhance and extend learning by providing:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monthly calendars listing activities that are age appropriate and developmentally appropriate for the child • Monthly newsletters offering ideas for motivation, discipline, ideas for enhancing learning, etc. (Reg 16) • Campus Literacy Events – Book Fairs and Family Literacy Nights- Science Fair, Reading Night
<p>Develop Staff Skills in Evidence-Based Practices that Support Families in Meeting their Children’s Learning Benchmarks</p>	<p><i>AISD’s goal is to offer staff development to support teachers in helping families so that their children reach learning benchmarks.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff development through Region 18 Education Service Center • Individual parent/teacher conferences to discuss learning goals and progress toward meeting those goals using the language of the home
<p>Evaluate Family Engagement Efforts and use Evaluations for Continuous Improvement</p>	<p><i>Trainings, workshops, meetings and parental involvement activities are followed with an evaluation which provide parents the opportunity to express their views on the value of the activity.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use parent input to provide valuable information in the planning, development and implementation of programs for the district through Site-Based and District of Innovation committee meetings. • Compile evaluation data from parent organizations and use it to plan and implement a more effective Parental Involvement Program