

**Title I School Parental Involvement Policy**  
**Cascade Elementary 2009-2010**

**A. Policy Involvement**

- An annual parent information meeting will be held in conjunction with Parent Teacher Organization meeting at Cascade Elementary School in November. Parents will be informed of their school's participation and requirements.
- If parents are unable to attend the meeting, the information will be sent home and will be available at all Parent Teacher Organization meetings. The policy will be available to parents when they register their children and at Kindergarten orientation.
- Parents will be invited to be involved in the decision making of the school through participation in Site Council, Parent Teacher Organization meetings, and meetings with the principal.
- At these meetings, parents will be informed of school curriculum, assessment, and student achievement.
- Parents will have the right to submit comments that will be included in the Schoolwide/School Improvement Plan.

**B. Shared Responsibilities for High Student Academic Achievement**

- The School-Parent Compact will be included in Student Learning Plans and given to parents at conferences. Any input from parents will be solicited during parent meetings.

**C. Building Capacity for Involvement**

- Parents will be assisted in understanding state and federal academic achievement standards, state and local assessments, and how to work with educators to improve the achievement of their children.
- See Parent Involvement activities in School Improvement Plan.
- Coordination with early childhood providers in parent involvement will be encouraged.
- Parent communication will be in English and Spanish whenever possible and always for essential office communications.

**D. Accessibility**

- Parent meetings will have interpreters available if needed. Information will be in English and Spanish whenever possible.

The following parents gave input for this document:

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