

B.G. Guzman Elementary  
Parental Involvement Policy

Rationale:

- Education must be a cooperative effort of the home, school, and the community. The responsibility of the school is to provide every student opportunities and encouragement to develop mentally, emotionally, socially, intellectually and physically. The home will provide a learning process such as to respect teachers and school property. The teacher will foster an environment conducive to learning and will be responsible for the academic progress of every student. The principal, as the instructional leader of the campus will foster a positive learning environment and high expectations for all. By working cooperatively, the needs of every student will be met and the goal that EVERY STUDENT WILL LEARN will be realized at B.G. Guzman Elementary School.

Policy:

B.G. Guzman Elementary will:

- Hold an annual meeting of participating parents to explain the Title I Program requirements, updates, and applications.
- Offer a flexible number of meetings and explain:
  1. School performance profiles
  2. Curriculum
  3. Policies/ Procedures
  4. Develop a process to provide timely responses to parents' suggestions via need assessment/survey/questionnaires.

School compact:

- Develop a school parent compact with parents that will build a strong partnership with school, parents, and students to improve student achievement. Disseminate involvement.
  1. Provide training for staff that will help them work more effectively with parents.
  2. Develop a partnership with school, home, and community.
  3. Encourage parents to participate in school related activities (e.g. meetings, conferences, committees, volunteers, etc.)
  4. Provide training focused on reading for parents to:
    - Increase quality
    - Increase quality of reading at home
    - Learn more about child development

Accessibility:

- Provide opportunities for participation of parents with limited English proficiency by disseminating information in the language spoken at home.
- Provide opportunities for parents with disabilities by communicating information in appropriate medium