



# Oak Grove Intermediate School



## Oak Grove's Parent Involvement Standards

1. Welcome All Families
2. Communicate Effectively
3. Support Student Success
4. Speaking Up for Every Child
5. Sharing Power
6. Collaborating with Community

## School Partners

Oak Grove Intermediate wants to give all parents and community members the opportunity to be involved with our school. If you would like to be a part of our School Council or be a volunteer please check the appropriate box and return to the Oak Grove.

I am interested in being a part of the Oak Grove School Council.

I am interested in being a volunteer at Oak Grove.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Childs name and grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_



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## Definition of Parental Involvement

Oak Grove Intermediate School believes that parent involvement means the participation of parents in regular two-way, and meaningful communication involving student academic learning and other school activities, including and ensuring -

- That parents play an integral role in assisting their child's learning;
- That parents are encouraged to be actively involved in their child's education at school;
- That parents are full partners in their child's education and are included, as appropriate, in decision-making and on advisory committees to assist in the education of their child;
- The carrying out of other activities as described in this plan.

## Support

Oak Grove Intermediate School is committed to helping our parents attend the parental activities listed in this plan. Please call or E mail us if you need assistance with childcare or transportation in order to participate in our programs.

912-437-6655

## School Measures to Provide Required Assistance

Oak Grove will take the following measures to promote and support parents as an important foundation of the school in order to strengthen the school and reach our school goals: We will....

- Ensure that all information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities is published in both English and Spanish, and posted on the school website.
- Communicate with all families and the community on a regular basis regarding school wide events and activities, such as our School Reach Program, social media and flyers.
- Provide necessary materials for parents at conferences, meetings, and activities to help parents work with their child to improve achievement.
- Listen and respond to parents' requests for additional support for parental involvement activities.
- Share information in English and Spanish on the school's website for parents to understand the school's academic standards and assessments as well as the way parents can monitor their child's progress and work with educators.
- Communicate with parents on how to use our Parent Portal correctly.
- Listen and responds to parent requests for additional support for their child.



## OAK GROVE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL



### District Goals

Develop a Strategic Plan for the county.

Use data effectively to drive instruction.

### School Goals

By 2015, our students will make a 25% gain in Reading and Math ; 90% of students will be at grade level in Reading and 80% will be at grade level in Math, focusing on algebra and numbers and operation.

### School-Parent Compacts

As part of this plan, Oak Grove Intermediate School and our families will develop a school-parent compact, which is an agreement that parents, teachers, and students will develop together , that explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach grade-level standards. The compacts will be reviewed and updated annually based on feedback from parents, students and teachers. The school-parent compacts are kept with each child's teacher if parents need a copy.

### Parent Involvement Program and Activities

Oak Grove will host the following events to build the capacity for strong parental involvement to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement.

#### August:

Open House—Parents are invited to meet their child's teacher and the other staff members that will be working with their child.

#### September:

Annual Title I Meeting - We invite our parents to an evening of learning and sharing about our Title I program including our parent involvement policy, the school wide plan, the schools parent compacts and the parents' requirements. Tech Tips for Parents-We will provide training on the latest resources to help support your child's education.

#### October:

Bingo for Books- Your child will have an opportunity to win books and have fun with their parents. Math Night- Parents will have an opportunity to experience our math program first hand.

#### November:

Thanksgiving Dinner -Have lunch with your child.

Compact/Parent Involvement Plan Review- This is our first meeting to review these documents and make suggestions for improvement.

#### December:

Christmas Dinner - December 18, 2013. Have lunch with your child.

Book Fair- Parents are invited to visit our library and purchase books. Computers are also available for parents to learn how to navigate the schools website and Parent Portal.

#### March:

**Bingo for Books** -Your child will have an opportunity to win books and have fun with their parents. Compact/Parent Involvement Plan Review- This is our second meeting to review these documents.

#### April:

**CRCT Night** -Learn some great test-taking tips to help your child be successful on the CRCT.

#### May:

Honors Day- Parents are invited to see the reward for child's hard work .



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**School Information**  
**OAK GROVE INTERMEDIATE**  
**SCHOOL**  
**PARENT INVOLVEMENT PLAN FOR**  
**STUDENT SHARED SUCCESS**  
**2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR**  
**Mrs. Carolyn Smith, Principal**  
**500 Green Street, Darien, Georgia**  
**31305**

## **Title I Information**

Oak Grove Intermediate School is a Title I school as part of the Elementary and Secondary act of 1965 (ESEA) Title I is designed to support state and local school reform efforts tied to challenging state standards to reinforce and enhance efforts to improve teaching and learning for students. Title I programs must be based on effective means of improving student achievement and include strategies to support parental involvement. All Title I schools must develop with parents a written parental involvement policy,

## **Description of School Parental Involvement Plan**

**What is it?** This is a plan that describes how Oak Grove Intermediate School will provide opportunities to improve parent engagement to support learning. Oak Grove values the contributions and involvement of parents in order to establish an equal partnership for the common goal of improving student achievement. This plan describes the different ways that Oak Grove will support parent engagement and how parents can help plan and participate in activities and events to promote student learning at school and at home.

**How is it developed?** Oak Grove welcomes parent input and comments at any time regarding the plan. All parent feedback will be used to revise the plan for next year. The plan is posted on our school website for parents to view. We also distribute a survey to parents for their suggestions on the plan and the use of funds for parent involvement. Parents can also give feedback during our Title I Night in September.

**Who is it for?** All students participating in the Title I program and their families are encouraged to fully participate in the opportunities described in this plan. Oak Grove will provide full opportunity for parents with limited English, parents with disabilities and parents of migratory children.

**Where is it available?** AT the beginning of the year, the plan is included in the student handbook that is given to all students. As a reminder, copies of the plan are always available in Oak Grove's front office and on the website.

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