

Parent Involvement Plan

Siuslaw Elementary School 2019-2020

School Policy:

It is the policy of Siuslaw Elementary School to have parents actively involved in the education of their children and the life of the school. We believe that it takes a close collaboration between parents, teachers, and students to provide a quality education that meets the unique needs of each child.

Parent Involvement Plan:

Registration (August) – Families come to school during three registration days to update their information and learn about after school programs. They will be invited and encouraged to volunteer at school in whatever capacity they are comfortable and will be able to sign up.

Back to School BBQ Sept 4 – A chance for families (parents and students) to come to a barbeque, meet this year's teacher, visit their classroom and bring school supplies. Generally, this is a celebration time and a welcome to the school year. This is also the venue for discussing and distributing the revised School-Parent-Student Compact.

New Family Orientation –Students and families new to SES (non-Kindergarten) invited for review of school demographics, policies, procedures, cultural norms, and building tours.

21st Century Council (September 30) – The compact format, suggestions from parents for meaningful activities, suggestions from students, and grade level team expectations are developed in the spring. In September, an event for parents, students, and teachers to review the compact, sign off that it was received, and ask questions or provide suggestions will be scheduled. Serves as annual parent meeting.

Family Math Night – Month to be determined. This is an opportunity for parents to learn about hands-on math activities that they can employ at home. Each grade level will showcase activities specific to their students' needs.

Book Fair Diner (February) – This is a chance for parents and students to come in the evening, browse books, and eat a catered hot dog meal.

21st Century Council- Monitor School Improvement Plan, Dates TBD in January and May

School Wide Survey (April/May) – Parents will be surveyed for feedback and suggestions about the school-wide program at Siuslaw Elementary. These survey results will be woven into any plan revisions for the following year.

Kindergarten Sneak Peek (April/May) – Parents are invited in to see the program, tour the school, and talk kindergarten.

Pre-school visits by Kindergarten staff (May) – Kindergarten teachers go to the pre-schools to meet students and get to know families.

Project Fair (May) – Parents come to school during the school day to see projects and presentations in their child's classroom. Grade levels are showcased at different times during the day to allow parents to attend presentations for multiple students.