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 Flippin Middle School (Flippin School District)
 144 School Lane
 Flippin AR 72634
 870-453-6464

School Parent and Family Engagement Plan

District Name:	Flippin School Districty
Grades Levels:	5-8
Building Facilitator:	Michelle Curtis
District Coordinator:	Michelle Curtis
Percent Free and Reduced Lunch:	70%

Title I Status

- Schoolwide
 Targeted Assistance
 Non-Title I School

Parent and Family Engagement Committee Members

(Select "Repeat" to open more entry fields to add additional team members)

First Name	Last Name	Position
Michelle	Curtis	Family Engagement Facilitator
Gregg	Yarbrough	Principal
Kylee	Stoner	Teacher
Donnell	Rogers	Parent
Margaret	Hodges	Parent
Gretchen	Henley	Parent

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First Name	Last Name	Position
Shelly	Crombie	Parent

1. List various communication strategies used in your school to provide additional information to parents and to increase parent and family engagement in supporting classroom instruction.

- A quarterly newsletter will be published at the end of each 9 weeks and at the beginning of the school year. - Gregg Yarbrough and Michelle Curtis 453-6464
- Website - www.flippinschools.com - Amy Lynch/Linda Lane 870-453-2270
- Teachers are available to parents via phone, e-mails, PTC's. Parents need to either contact the individual teacher via phone (453-6464) or email. Teachers welcome parental concerns and interaction.
- Progress reports every 4 weeks - Michelle Curtis 453-6464
- Sign will display upcoming events and information and will be maintained - Kelvin Hudson 453-2270
- Notes home for upcoming events and information - Gregg Yarbrough and Lisa Sanders 453-6464
- Standardized test scores sent home to parents with explanation - Michelle Curtis 453-6464
- Informative brochures in office and parent center - Michelle Curtis and Lisa Daffron 453-6464
- Newspaper for notices of parent events (Open House, Meetings, etc.) - Lisa Sanders 453-6464
- Title I information is available in the student Handbook which is on the district website. Lisa Daffron 453-2270
- New-worthy events and photos will be shared on the district Facebook page. - Amy Lynch
- News, events, calendar, sports schedules, etc....will be displayed on the Flippin School District app for iPhone and Android smart phones. Todd Clayton 453-2270
- Announcements will be sent via phone message system - Todd Clayton 453-2270

2. List the proposed parent meeting, conferences and activities regularly throughout this year and the dates providing flexible meeting times that you have planned to increase parent and family engagement and build staff and parent capacity to engage in these types of efforts. (Must include the 2 state mandated parent/teacher conferences each year.)

- Two Parent Teacher Conferences yearly - September 13, 2018 from 1 to 7 p.m. and February 7, 2019 from 1 to 7 p.m.
- Open House - August 2018 - Gregg Yarbrough and Michelle Curtis 453-6464
- Community Fundraiser - Michelle Curtis and Kylee Stoner 453-6464
- Individual PTC's as needed - Lisa Sanders 453-6464 and Teachers
- Student Success Plan informative letter - Michelle Curtis 453-6464

Parent involvement through Honors Ceremony, NJHS Induction, Band Concerts, Choir Concerts, Outdoor Club volunteers, Academic Planning Meetings, Handbook Committee Meetings, Parental Involvement meetings, ACSIP Committee meetings, Wellness Committee meetings, Open House, New Student Orientation- Sponsoring Teacher, Educational Field Trip Volunteers.

3. How will your school provide information to parents about volunteer opportunities (must include state mandated parent training)?

- Transition Day - Elementary to Middle School coordinated by Michelle Curtis 453-6464

•STATE REQUIREMENT (Staff Development) The State Board of Education's Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts shall require no fewer than two (2) hours of professional development for teachers designed to enhance the understand of effective parent and family engagement strategies. No fewer that three (3) hours of professional development for administrators designed to enhance understanding of effective parent involvement strategies and the importance of administrative leadership in setting expectations and creating a climate conducive to parental participation.

- Parental instruction will be provided via a quarterly newsletter which will include use and access t the ADE website tools for parents, assistance with nutritional meal planning and other ADE approved strategies ACSIP will also provide information to parents. - Michelle Curtis 453 6464
- Volunteer forms distributed on website www.flippinschools.net - Gregg Yarbrough and Michelle Curtis 453-6464

4. How will your school work with parents to create a School-Parent-Compact?

A school-parent-student compact has been developed. This compact will outline how parents, school staff, and students share the responsibility for improving student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership to help children achieve the state's high academic standards. The compact is published in the Student Handbook and the district website. Students and parents must sign regarding receipt of the Student Handbook. Lisa Daffron 453-2270

5. How will your school provide opportunities for parents to be involved in the development, implementation and evaluation of the school wide school improvement plan, and the Annual Title I Meeting to engage them in the decision-making processes regarding the school's Title I, Part A Program?

- STATE REQUIREMENT – To take advantage of community resources, the school shall consider recruiting alumni from the school to create an alumni advisory commission to provide advice and guidance for school improvement. - Lisa Daffron 453-6464
 - STATE REQUIREMENT - The school shall enable the formation of a Parent Teacher Association or organization that will foster parental and community involvement within the school. Christina Chism 453-6464
 - The school will involve parents on ACSIP planning committees - Danyial Williamson 453-6464
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6. How will your school provide resources for parents?

- STATE REQUIREMENT - The school will distributed Informational packets each year that includes a copy of the school's parent and family engagement plan, survey for volunteer interests, recommended roles for parents/ teachers/students and school, suggestions of ways parents can become involved in their child's education, parent and family engagement activities planned for the current school year and information about the system that will be used to allow parents and teachers to communicate (notes, phone calls, e-mail...). - Gregg Yarbrough 453-6464
 - STATE REQUIREMENT - To promote and support responsible parenting, the school shall, as funds are available: Purchase parenting books, magazines, and other informative materials regarding responsible parenting through the school library, advertise the current selection, and give parents the opportunity to borrow the materials for review. Suzie Rook 453-6464
 - STATE REQUIREMENT – Include in the school's policy handbook the school's process for resolving parental concerns, including how to define a problem, whom to approach first, and how to develop solutions. Lisa Daffron 453-2270
 - STATE REQUIREMENT – The principal of each school in a school district shall designate (1) certified staff member who is willing to serve as a parent facilitator. - Michelle Curtis Middle School Parent Facilitator 453-6464
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7. How will your school engage parents in the evaluation of your parent and family engagement efforts?

- The school will engage parents in the annual evaluation of the Title I, Part A Program's parental involvement efforts through an annual evaluation completed by teachers, parents and school staff. - Lisa Daffron 453-2270

8. How will your school use the parent interest surveys to select, plan and implement parent and family engagement activities that will be offered throughout the year?

- Flippin Middle School conducts academic planning meetings for the upcoming 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th graders as well as the outgoing 8th graders into the high school environment. - Michelle Curtis 453-6464

9. When will your school plan the Annual Title I Meeting that must be conducted separately? (It CANNOT be held in conjunction with any other meetings or activities.)

The Title I, Part A School Annual Title I meeting will be conducted during the first nine (9) weeks of each school year. This meeting will be scheduled at a time which is convenient for the majority of school district parents. - Michelle Curtis 453-6464 and Lisa Daffron 453-2270

**After completion of this form, the school should to the district for review, feedback, and approval. Once approved, the school is required to post their School Parent Plan on their website.*

District Feedback:

	Attention: Changes Needed!	In Compliance	Comments	Date of Feedback
1. Communication Strategies:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
2. Annual Schedule:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
3. Volunteer Opportunities:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
4. School-Parent-Compact:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
5. Involvement/Schoolwide Planning:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
6. Resources for Parents:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Evaluation of Efforts:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Parent Survey:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Annual Title I Meeting:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		