

East Elementary Parent Involvement Policy 2015-2016

East Elementary has always regarded parental involvement vital to the success of its students. As a Title 1 school, East Elementary is committed to closing the achievement gap for all students.

East Elementary will adhere to the laws, regulations, and directions established by the Utah State Legislature and the Iron County Board of Education when developing and implementing the school's student achievement plan, which includes parental involvement.

East Elementary will distribute updated policies at the beginning of each current school year. Parents will be able to access the Iron County School District website <http://irondistrict.org/> to gain information and assistance in understanding expected academic standards at the state, district, and school levels. The East Elementary link is regularly updated and contains current school events, training dates, programs, and/or activities to keep parents informed.

Materials and trainings will be offered to parents to help them support their child and to improve achievement in literacy, numeracy, and technology. Books on the student's reading level will be sent home daily to support reading at home.

The teachers at East Elementary will inform parents via newsletter/website of specific classroom and school events and activities. They will also update the parents on what the students are learning in class and how they can support and follow-up at home.

Teachers at our school are available to meet with parents before and after school and at SEP conferences twice a year. They will also share what the students are learning at Back-to-School Night.

This Parent Involvement Policy will be evaluated through the Iron County School Parent Survey distributed to every parent during the SEP conferences. You will have the opportunity to voice concerns, make suggestions for improvement, and compliment the school for programs offered.

Parents play an integral role in the education of their children. They are considered full partners in their children's education and will be included in appropriate decision-making events here at East Elementary.