

**School Parent and Family Engagement Plan  
for Shared Student Success  
2024-2025**



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**What is Title I?**

Miles Elementary is identified as a Title I school under Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) effective July 1, 2017. Title 1 is a federal program that provides funding to local school districts to help ensure that all children in district Title I schools meet state's high academic standards. Title I, Part

A provides for substantive parent and family engagement at every level serving students in grades K-12. Section 1116 of the ESSA contains the primary Title I, Part A requirement for schools and school systems to involve parents and family members in their children's education.



**School Plan for Shared Student Achievement**



***What is it?*** This is a plan that describes how Miles Elementary will provide opportunities to improve family engagement to support student learning. Miles Elementary wants to provide a nurturing, comprehensive, and high performing school where faculty, staff, parents, and all stakeholders will jointly prepare our students to become globally productive citizens and leaders.

***How is it developed?*** Miles Elementary will reach out to parents to get their input about our plan, which is revised annually in the spring. Parents will have an opportunity to complete surveys online or surveys will be sent home at least three times during the school year, so suggestions can be addressed with school leaders in efforts to revise the plan for the upcoming school year.

***Who is it for?*** All students participating in the Title I, Part A program, and their families, are encouraged to become engaged in the parent involvement opportunities. Miles Elementary welcomes all families to events, workshops, and activities.

***Where is it available?*** Once the plan is developed, it will be distributed to stakeholders, and posted on the school's website. It will also be displayed in the parent center, main office, and made available for review at all Title I meetings, workshops, and events.

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**APS Mission Statement:**

Through a caring culture of equity, trust, and collaboration, every student will graduate ready for college, career, and life.

**APS Board Goals:****Goal 1: Literacy Proficiency**

The percentage of students in grades 3-8 scoring proficient or above in reading as measured by the Georgia Milestones.

**Goal 2: Numeracy Proficiency**

The percentage of students in grades 3-8 scoring proficient or above in math as measured by the Georgia Milestones.

**2024-2025 Miles Elementary Goals:**

The compact pledges that our school will increase in student academic achievement performance in the areas of Math and Literacy.

**Miles' goals from School Wide Plan are as follows:**

- By Spring 2025, increase the number of students scoring proficient or above in ELA from 14.2% to 17% as measured by the Georgia Milestone Assessment.
- By Spring 2025, increase the number of students scoring proficient or above in Math from 12.5% to 15% as measured by the Georgia Milestone Assessment.
- Miles will decrease the number of incidents and out of school suspensions by 50% (Behavior incidents 17 or fewer; Out of school suspensions .11 or lower)

**School-Parent Compacts**

As part of this plan, **Miles Elementary** and our families will develop a school-parent compact. It is an agreement that explains how parents, teachers and students work together to make sure all our students reach grade-level standards.

The compacts are reviewed and updated annually based on the feedback from parents, students and teachers during the School-Wide Planning meeting.

Parents and teachers worked diligently to create compacts specifically for each grade level. A copy of the school-parent compact is distributed to every family to use during the year.

**Let's Get Together!**

**Miles Elementary 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.**



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**Teacher-Parent Conferences, Literacy Nights, Math Nights, IB Night, and GMAS Night is the model we will use for family engagement that allows us to work closely with parents and to maximize student learning both in and out of school.**

**\*Future Events will be posted on the school's website, and announced through take home flyers, email, text, and voice messenger.**

