# Rasco Middle School Parental Involvement Policy 2019-2020



### PURPOSE

Rasco Middle School is committed to providing a quality education for children of our community. It is our belief that parental involvement is an essential part of ensuring that our students are successful in school. Our children benefit when school, home, and community work together to promote high achievement. Open communication between school and home is an integral part of our endeavor to further develop parental involvement each and every school year.

### PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT POLICY DEVELOPMENT

Rasco parents and staff revise and improve our Campus Parental Involvement Policy each school year. We publicize and actively recruit a diverse group of Rasco stakeholders to contribute to the development of this policy.

## PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Please consider becoming a part of these great activities and events in our school. For more information, please contact the person(s) listed for each activity.

- <u>PTO</u> Our Rasco Parent Teacher Organization provides numerous opportunities to be a part of the action at Rasco and to support our school and your child. Contact Krista Musquiz, PTO President:
- <u>Mentoring Young Minds</u>- is a wonderful way to make a difference in the life of a student. This program connects Rasco students with mentors who provide caring encouragement for school success. Contact –Maria Jasper, Counselor: <u>maria.jasper@brazosportisd.net</u>
- <u>Watch D.O.G.S.</u>- Dads of Great Students- Our dads are an extra set of eyes and hands on our campus and help reach out to our students in a supportive manner. If you would like to know more please contact an assistant principal. Contact—Michael Williams, 6th Assistant Principal: mwilliams@brazosportisd.net



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### **RASCO FAMILY INVOLVEMENT EVENTS**

Move to the Middle New Student Orientation - 8/08 (5:30 and 7:00 p.m.) Meet-the-Teacher - 8/12 (12:00-2:30) & (2:30-4:30) Campus Accountability Parent Meeting- 9/5 (5:30 p.m.) Watch D.O.G.S. Kickoff Pizza Party - 9/4 (5:30 p.m.) Open House, Title 1 Meeting, and Book Fair- 9/24 (5:30 and 7:00 p.m.) Winter Choir, Orchestra & Band Concerts - 12/5, 12/13 Open House and Spring Book Fair - TBD 6th Grade Math Midway (During School Day) - TBD Spring Choir, Orchestra & Band Concerts - TBD Family Game/Movie Nights - TBD Fall / Spring Jamboree - TBD Grade-Level Field Trips - TBD

#### **ANNUAL CAMPUS TITLE I MEETING**

Title I funds are used to provide school wide services for students. Annual meetings are held to review Title I, Part A parental involvement guidelines and services offered on our campus in partnership with Brazosport ISD. Copies of the District Parental Involvement Policy and a School Compact are shared and discussed at this meeting. We encourage parents/caregivers to become involved in revising and updating the policy. Parent volunteers are invited to participate in various district committee appointments as well. These meetings are held each year at a convenient time and location along with advanced notice provided to parents/caregivers. Interpreters are available to help with non-English speaking parents/caregivers.

### **SCHOOL COMPACTS**

In accordance with Title I regulations, each Title I school and parent representatives evaluate and revise the School Compact annually. We do this to make sure that we include parents in identifying ways that parents/caregivers and students can share the responsibility for performance and success. A copy of the School Compact detailing these responsibilities is available on the Rasco Middle School campus website, at the Parent Resource Display in the front lobby, and upon request. It is also distributed and reviewed with all students during the first grading period of the school year. Parent and student signatures will not be required; however, parents are encouraged to discuss the contents of the compact with their child(ren).

It is the policy of Brazosport ISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

Es normal de Brazosport ISD no discriminar por motivos de raza, color, origen nacional, sexo, impedimento o edad, en sus procedimientos de, tal como lo requieren el Título VI de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1964, según enmienda; el Título IX de las Enmiendas en la Educación, de 1972, la ley de Discriminación por Edad, de 1975, según enmienda, y la Sección 504 de la Ley de Rehabilitación de 1973, según enmienda.