Goal: All students will benefit from increased family and community involvement-engagement that provides positive educational and career opportunities for students.

Essential #3: Family and Community Engagement that Promotes Achievement
School: Talahi Community Elementary School

OVERVIEW

ANNUAL MEETINGS
- Dec. 16, 2021 Fall Compact Presentation
- Spring-TBD

SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT
- Compact developed for Parent-Family Involvement in September, 2021.

TITLE I PARENT INVOLVEMENT BUDGET
- Budget created by Sept. 24, 2021
- Budget will be reviewed periodically with input from stakeholders at parent-family meetings.

PARENT INVOLVEMENT WORKSHOPS (Minimum Four)
- Community Cafe-Promise Neighborhood (Tri I, date TBD) Math Focus, make and take meals
- Community Cafe-Islamic Center (Tri 2, date TBD) Literacy Focus, make and take meals
- Community Cafe-Southside Boys and Girls Club (Tri 3, date TBD) STEM Focus, make and take meals
- PIA (Parents in Action) or Empower Learning (Fall and Winter, Dates TBD) at community site (Promise Neighborhood, Islamic Center, or Southside Boys and Girls Club)

PARTNER PROGRAMS
- 21st Century Grant
- Promise Neighborhood
- Family Engagement - Title I
- Salem Lutheran
- Capital One
- Great River Federal Credit Union
- Yes! Network
FACT
Kwik Trip
Culvers
Caribou- East Side
Target - East Side
Handy Man- East Side
Cop Hause
Woodcraft

ACCESSIBILITY
- School and parent engagement is made accessible for all parents by the following:
  - Holding events during various and extended time periods to accommodate schedules
  - Providing snacks-meals to encourage all families to be able to participate
  - Providing materials and resources for all families to participate in learning at home

COMMUNICATIONS
- We communicate with non-English speaking families through translators at conferences, parent, and family events.
- Important written information is translated for families.

We believe that our families and community are key to student achievement and the success of our school. In order to meet the school’s goals, we need your input in decision making throughout the school year. Please join us for the opportunities below.

ANNUAL MEETING
Families are invited to attend the Annual Meeting on December 16th to learn about our school’s Title I program and requirements. Families will have opportunities to review and provide feedback in the following areas among others:
- Title I School Status
- Rights of Title I Parents
- AYP/School Achievement Data
- Overall School Budget
- Overview of Parent Involvement Plan

PARENT INVOLVEMENT WORKSHOPS
- Community Cafe-Promise Neighborhood (Tri I, date TBD); Math Focus, make and take meals
- Community Cafe-Islamic Center (Tri 2, date TBD) Literacy Focus; make and take meals
- Community Cafe-Southside Boys and Girls Club (Tri 3, date TBD)
### SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

The School-Parent Compact is a communication tool to partner in supporting student achievement for parents, school staff, and students. The Compact is an agreement regarding how each person, including the student, will support one another in ensuring that the student is successful. We will be reviewing our Compact on the dates below, please join us!

- December 16th, 2021
- Spring, TBD

If you can’t make one of the meetings above, please be sure to review the Compact when it comes home. It is also available via the school website.

### PARTNER PROGRAMS

Please join our school community partners for events that support achievement for our students and families. Please see their websites for dates and details.

- 21st Century Grant
- Promise Neighborhood
- Family Engagement - Title I
- Salem Lutheran
- Capital One
- Great River Federal Credit Union
- Yes! Network
- FACT
- Kwik Trip
- Culvers
- Caribou- East Side
- Target - East Side
- Handy Man Hardware- East Side
- Cop Hause
- Woodcraft

### TITLE I PARENT INVOLVEMENT BUDGET

As part of our school’s Title I program, we receive a set amount of money each year to implement our Parent Involvement Plan.

All parents are invited to our PTSA meetings to provide input on how these dollars will be spent.

This year, we will be using the funds to host our

### ACCESSIBILITY

We will accommodate all families by providing the following:

- Childcare and food at workshops and events as needed
- Interpreters and translated documents as needed
- Multiple meeting dates and times to accommodate varying schedules
- Transportation where needed
family involvement activities and to provide childcare, food, and refreshments at each meeting among others.

- Other as arranged by administration

Please direct any questions or concerns about this plan to the Parent Involvement-Engagement Leader at your site, or you may contact the site Principal and/or Assistant Principal.

Thank you so very much for supporting your child’s learning!

COMMUNICATION

We will communicate with all families through the following:
- Notifying families of upcoming events through School Messenger, flyers, phone calls, emails, newsletters, school and/or district websites, and social media
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Goal Setting Conferences
- Schoolwide Family Nights and Events
- Parent and Community Meetings
- Additional Communication Tools as Needed

*Most family documents will be translated into Somali and Spanish.*