



Texas Education Agency 2018 Accountability Rating: **Met Standard**
Met Standards on: Student Progress, Academic Growth, Relative Performance, Closing the Gaps

Family Engagement/ Parent Involvement Policy

Updated 2020-2021

Alief Independent School District makes family engagement a high priority due to its direct benefits to student achievement. Klentzman is a Title I school that receives federal funds for academic intervention. Klentzman will be conducting two annual meetings during the school year, to inform parents of school's participation in Title 1 and to explain the Title 1 requirements and the rights of parents to be involved in Title 1 programs. Klentzman is committed to communicating and collaborating with our families to provide quality programs for our students by following the requirements that fall under section 1116ESEA.

Klentzman's goal, is to educate teachers, specialized instructional support personnel, principals, other school leaders, and staff, the value of parental contribution and how to communicate with parents to build school family connections.

We welcome and encourage family engagement by coordinating and integrating family engagement via:

- Meet & Greet Teacher Night
 - August 13, 2018
- Open House/ Title I parent meetings
 - September 13, 2018, 5:30pm-7:00pm
 - January 10, 2018, 5:30pm-7:00pm
- Parent surveys
- Families Actively and Meaningful Engaged (FAME) events such as classes, workshops, guest speakers, FAME committee and Shared Decision-Making Committee (SDC),
- Have annual reviews and distribution of the campus action plan, need, policy and compact. Translations available.
- Family Learning Nights/Content nights
 - Content nights will be used to educate parents of core contents math, science, reading, and writing, which will help their child(s) academic achievement.
 - Assist parent in understanding state standards, state local assessments/requirements, how to monitor a child's progress.
- School Report Card/ Public Forums
- Parent Outreach activities.
- Alief Proud Day
- Popcorn with Parents
- Coffee talk with the Principal
- Honor Roll Breakfast
- Music Programs
- 5th/6th grade Award Ceremony
- STEM Academy Boys & Girls



Klantzman objectives to keep families informed:

- Thursday, take home folder
- School flyers
- Online website
- Remind App
- Home Access
- Schoology
- Alief 411
- Let's Talk
- Group Me
- Smore Newsletter
- Student agendas/planners
- Parent/teacher conference forms
- School Marquee
- Spanish Translators provided
- Klantzman social media accounts twitter and Facebook
- Phone call out system.

Klantzman families are encouraged to stay informed of their child's academic progress by:

1. Maintaining current contact information
2. Reviewing, discussing, signing their child's daily planner, progress reports & report cards
3. Writing notes to teachers in the Planners or via email
4. Attending parent/ teacher conferences
5. Participating in school events, FAME activities, and volunteering for campus & district wide events.
6. Sharing in the learning experiences with their child
7. Visiting Klantzman Intermediate School Family Center
8. Accessing our Klantzman Intermediate webpage or Twitter account
9. Participating on the FAME/ SDC committee on the 3rd Wednesday of every month afterschool in the library.
10. Reading and signing the Klantzman FAME/ Parent Compact

The faculty and staff of Klantzman Intermediate are committed to providing quality and engaging lessons every day to improve student academic achievement. We ask that your child maintain good attendance in order to benefit from the instruction as well as the student to student collaboration that is encouraged each and every school day. At Klantzman Intermediate School we are successfully educating all students.