**Brumby Elementary School**

***Parent and Family Engagement Policy and Plan for Shared Student Success***

*2022-2023 School Year*

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**What is Title I?**

Brumby Elementary is identified as a Title I school as part of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). Title I is designed to support State and local school reform efforts tied to the challenging State academic standards to improve teaching and learning for students. Title I programs must be based on effective means of improving student achievement and include strategies to support family   
 engagement. All Title I   
 schools must jointly   
 develop with   
 parents and family

members a written  
 parent and family  
 engagement  
 policy.

School Plan for Shared

Student Achievement

**What is it?**

This is a plan that describes how Brumby Elementary will provide

opportunities to improve family engagement to support student learning.

Brumby Elementary values the contributions and involvement of parents and

family members to establish an equal partnership for the common goal of

improving student achievement. This plan describes the different ways that

Brumby Elementary will support family engagement and how parents can help plan

and participate in activities and events to promote student learning at school and at home.

**How is it revised?**

Brumby Elementary School invited all parents to attend our annual School Forum last spring to review and revise this parent and family engagement policy, as well as the schoolwide plan, our school-parent compact, and the family engagement budget. Additionally, parent input and comments regarding this plan are welcome during the school year through an online form. The plan is posted on our school website for parents to view and submit feedback throughout the year. All parent feedback received during the year will be used to revise the plan for the next school year. We also distribute an annual survey online and by mail to ask parents for their suggestions on the plan and the use of funds for family engagement. Parents and family members can also give feedback during several parent meetings and activities during the school year including our annual Community Cares event.

**Who is it for?**

All students participating in the Title I, Part A program, and their families are encouraged and invited to fully participate in the opportunities described in this plan. Brumby Elementary will provide full opportunity for the participation of parents and family members with limited English, with disabilities, and of migratory children.

**Where is it available?**

The plan will also be posted on the school website and available in the front office. Parents can also retrieve a copy of the plan in the Parent Resource Center or by emailing our parent facilitator, Luz Landaverde at Luz.Landaverde@cobbk12.org.

***2022-2023 District Goals***

***1. Increase student performance in all core content areas***

***2. Increase the participation rate of families and***

***communities engaging in services/programs.***

***3. Reorganize the PL framework to meet the needs***

***of all schools to ensure alignment with Superintendent Priorities***

2022-2023 School Academic Goals

**Math Goal:** Increase the percentage of students scoring in the proficient and/or advanced range by 10 percentage points from the final administration in 2021-2022 as determined by the district MI assessment.

**Reading Goal:**

**Gr 2nd-5th**-Increase the percentage of students scoring in the proficient and/or advanced range by 10 percentage points from the final administration in 2021-2022 as determined by the district Reading Inventory assessment.

**Gr 1**- The percentage of students who transition from FRA to RI in first grade will increase by 20 percentage points from the august 2022 administration to the May 2023 administration.

**Gr K**-The percentage of kindergarten students scoring a 25+ FRA or Lexile will increase by 20 percentage points from the august 2022 administration to the May 2023 administration.

**Let’s Get Together!**

Brumby Elementary will host the following events to build the capacity for strong family engagement to support a partnership among the school, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement.

Meet and Greet, July 28th, 2022

Come meet your child’s teacher and take a sneak peek into your child’s classroom.

Open House – August 25th, 2022

Parents and students learn the academic scope and sequence for the year, classroom expectations,   
assessments and how parents can engage in their child’s academics.

Annual Title I Meeting: State of the School-August 25th, 2022

We invite you to an evening of learning and sharing about our Title I program, which will take place during our Open House. We will share the family engagement policy, the schoolwide plan, the school-parent compacts, and parents’ requirements. Notification of the event will be sent via CTLS Parent Brumby Blast.

School Improvement Fall Input Survey- October 18th-21st during conference week

Teachers will meet with parents to provide updates on their child’s progress.

Parents will have the opportunity to provide valuable input into our Title I Parent Policy, Compacts, and our Title I Plan for the 2022-2023 school year.

***Family STEAM Night-December 1st, 2022***

Families will enjoy a night where they get to see how STEM and Arts Integration help their child prepare for the real-world incorporating Arts, science, and math curriculum

***Spring Input Meeting and Literacy Night-February 9th, 2023.***

Parents will have the opportunity to provide valuable input into our Title I Parent Policy, Compacts, and our Title I Plan for the 2023-2024 school year. Parents and students will also participate in fun and interactive activities that support the curriculum.

***Career Day-April 21st, 2023***

This is a day to encourage students to dream big, focus on academics, and prepare for life beyond school. Parents and community members will sign up to share their career with students at Brumby.

***Rising 6th Grade Transition Orientation -*** Date? 5/11?? Will March 2nd work instead?

Students will visit and tour East Cobb Middle School. Administration and School Counselors will participate.

***Incoming Kindergarten Orientation-May 4th, 2023***

Parents will visit the school for a tour of classrooms and pertinent areas of the building while their student participates in engaging activities with the kindergarten teachers.

***Kinder Camp-July 17th-July 20th, 2023***

Kindergarten students will learn general school rules, procedures, and processes, and participate in interaction activities throughout the week. During camp, teachers will evaluate student knowledge of basic academic skills to assist with classroom placement.

School-Parent Compacts

As part of this plan, Brumby Elementary and our families will develop a school-parent compact, which is an agreement that parents, teachers, and students will develop that explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all our students reach grade-level standards. The compacts will be reviewed and updated annually based on feedback from parents, students, and teachers. The

school-parent compacts

also are shared with

parents during

parent-teacher

conferences and

kept with each child’s

teacher if parents

need another copy.

Parent and Family Engagement

Brumby Elementary believes that family engagement means the participation of parents and family members in regular two-way, and meaningful communication involving student academic learning and other school activities, including ensuring:

* That parents play an integral role in assisting their child’s learning.
* That parents are encouraged to be actively involved in their child’s education at school.
* That parents are full partners in their child’s education and are included, as appropriate, in decision-making and on advisory committees to assist in the education of their child.
* The carrying out of other activities as described in this plan.

**Parent Resource Center**

Our Parent Resource Center is in Brumby’s Learning Commons and open to parents during school hours. We also have a virtual Parent Resource Center to access information online. Our parent liaison, Luz Landaverde, is available by appointment to assist parents in accessing resources or answer questions. Her contact information [Luz.Landaverde@cobbk12.org](mailto:Luz.Landaverde@cobbk12.org) to make an appointment.

Monday – Friday, 7:30 am – 3:00 pm

**Brumby Elementary is Branching Out!**

Brumby Elementary will take the following measures to promote and support parents and family members as an important foundation of the school to strengthen the school and reach our school goals. We will:

* Ensure that all information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities is published in English, Spanish, and Portuguese and posted on the school website.
* Partner with early childhood programs*,* middle and high schools, college and career ready resources or organizations, parent resource centers, or other programs (as applicable) to help prepare parents and their children for successful school transitioning.
* Share information in English, Spanish, and Portuguese on the school website and for parents to understand the school’s academic standards and assessments as well as the ways parents can monitor their child’s progress and work with educators.
* Communicate with all families and the community on a regular basis regarding schoolwide events and activities, through CTLS Parent Brumby Blast.
* Work with our parents to develop relevant trainings and helpful presentations to educate our staff on the importance of parent and family engagement and how to support student learning.
* Provide necessary materials and handouts for parents at conferences, meetings, and activities to help parents work with their child to improve their child’s achievement.
* Use our Partners in Education and School-Community Team to improve awareness of the activities and events listed in the school parent and family engagement policy.
* Collect feedback from parents and family members at all events, place input cards around the building and post a suggestion form on the school website to respond to parents’ requests for additional support for parent and family engagement activities.

Brumby Elementary is committed to helping our

parents and families attend the family

activities listed in this policy. Please call

or email us if you need assistance with

childcare or transportation to

participate in our programs or would

like to schedule a meeting.

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School Community Team

Brumby Elementary invites all parents to join the School Community Team to share ideas and ways to involve other parents and family members to build partnerships with school, families, and the community. The team will meet four times during the school year, but parents and family members can also submit their ideas or suggestions at any school activities and meetings, as well as through our parent surveys and website.

**Share Your Thoughts**

We want to hear from you. If you have any suggestions or if there is any part of this policy that you feel is not satisfactory with the students’ and the school’s goals for academic achievement, and/or wish to be a part of the School Community Team, please complete the form above or scan the QR code below to access the feedback form.



**School Community Team**

* Yes, I am interested and wish to join the School Community Team.
* Please contact me so I can learn more in joining the School Community Team.
* Please send me notifications about future meetings and updates.

Name:

Child’s Name and Grade:

Address:

Phone Number:

Email address:

Parent and Family Engagement Standards

Brumby Elementary and our parents have adopted the National PTA Standards for Family-School Partnerships as the school’s model in engaging parents, students, and the community. These standards are:

1. Welcoming All Families
2. Communicating Effectively
3. Supporting Student Success
4. Speaking Up for Every Child
5. Sharing Power
6. Collaborating with Community