

Evadale Elementary Pre-K Family Engagement Plan 2016-2017

Evadale ISD is dedicated to providing quality education leading to a high school diploma for every student in our district. To accomplish this objective, we seek to partner with parents and provide opportunities for them to take an active role in their child's education. The research shows that students achieve more when their parents are supportive of education, participate in decision-making at school, communicate regularly with teachers and engage with their child in learning opportunities at home, school, and the community.

Evadale ISD will host a Meet the Teacher Night every year the week before school starts. This night allows for parents, students, and teachers to meet one another, and helps make the first day of school not so stressful for students and parents.

Evadale ISD also has an Open House and parents come up to the school and meet with the teachers and the learning objectives are explained to Pre-K- Fourth grade parents and guardians.

Evadale **ISD** will provide opportunities for family engagements through activities planned by the school. (Grandparent's Day, Open House, Pre-K Frog Jump Race and Field Day, Water Day, Muffins with Mom, Donuts with Dad.)

Parents are given information work sent home to show their child's progress. Also each six weeks a progress report is sent home with report cards to show parents the skills their child has mastered.

Pre-K students will be assessed at the beginning, middle and end of the year with iStation, and this shows strengths and any weaknesses of the students in Math and Reading. Data from classroom observations, and assessments will be sent home to promote learning, and continuous family engagement.

Pre-K and Kindergarten teachers will collaborate at the end of the year to help prepare our Pre-K students make an easy transition into Kindergarten for the following year.

Parents, students and teachers working together are the key to children's school readiness.