

Goals & Requirements

Parent involvement in each child's education is of great importance in ensuring a child's success in school.

As a Title I school, Chester W. Taylor Elementary is committed to the involvement of families. Families are encouraged to participate in the view and implementation of the Family Involvement Plan. Goals of the plan include:

- Coordinating and integration of family involvement programs
- Annual meeting each Fall designed to inform families of the Title I Program
- Flexibly scheduled parent meetings
- Implementation of activities that build strong family involvement
- Establishment of a school-home compact to promote the connection between home and school
- Encouraging on-going and open communication through a variety of formats
- Language translators to assist families as needed
- Staff training focused on communicating with parents

This plan encourages and supports full participation of parents in their child's education. Parent input will help guide the development of our School Improvement Plan, Title I program, Family Involvement Plan, and Family/School Compact. The SAC will review and update the plan annually.

School Resources

CWTES staff available to assist families:

- Parent/ Volunteer Coordinator
- School Secretary
- Data Entry Secretary
- School Nurse
- Clinic Assistant
- Guidance Counselor
- ESOL Resource Teacher
- Social Worker
- School Psychologist
- Principal & Assistant Principal



Chester W. Taylor Elementary
School opened in the fall of 1996
and currently serves
approximately 600 students in
grades PreK-5.

Family Involvement



Our Core Value Statement

Chester W. Taylor Elementary School is committed to a student-centered environment with expectations of high-quality instruction demonstrated through professionalism and integrity to create life-long learners as a collaborative community.

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Here are some opportunities for families to provide input into Chester Taylor's family improvement plan:

- Join PTO or SAC!
Membership is open to all
- Communicate regularly with your child's teacher
- Sign the school/home compact
- Participate in school functions and activities
- Become a volunteer, register annually at:

<http://www.pascok12.fl.us/comm/volunteer/>



Communication

Ongoing and reciprocal communication between home and school is vital to ensure the success of your child.

Ways to stay connected:

- Parent/teacher conferences
- Use student planners for open communication
- Visit school webpage for upcoming events and student activities
- School Messenger for recorded messages and emails
- Event Feedback Forms
- Written notes and email
- Like us on Facebook
- Follow us on Twitter @CWTESPrincipal
- Bloomz- through teacher invite



Family comments and suggestions are welcome throughout the school year in-person, in written form, telephone calls, and e-mails. Families may also respond to surveys.

Activities

What can families and their children do with the school?

- Kindergarten Registration
- Kindergarten Boo/Hoo Yahoo Breakfast
- Meet the Teacher/Orientation
- Open House
- Title 1 Meetings
- Math & Science Night- Trick or Treat for Curriculum
- Winter and Spring Concerts
- Winter Wonderland
- Muffins with Mom
- Donuts with Dad
- Book Fair
- Aloha Night
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- PTO Meetings
- SAC Meetings
- FSA Prep Meetings
- Field Trips
- Classroom Visits
- Grandparents Tea
- Field Day

