

# Centennial High School Parent Involvement Policy



**Centennial High School** will involve parents in essential communication, focusing on the achievement of students and their well-being. Parents will be:

- Encouraged to contribute to their child's learning process.
- Included in decision-making and on advisory committees to assist in the education of their child.
- Involved in the assistance of school wide activities.

In accordance with the Community Relations Policy of the Columbus City School Board, Centennial High School will:

- Involve parents in the development, implementation and review of Parent-School Compacts. The compact will be signed during the first 2 weeks of school and reviewed, when necessary, on an individual basis. The compact will also be posted on the school's website.
- Include parents in the planning and development of effective parent involvement activities through representation on the schools CBPTA (Centennial Booster Parent Teacher Association) . Committee meetings will be scheduled with the needs of parents in mind.
- Build the school's and parents' capacity for parent involvement by:
  - Providing parent information on state standards, assessments, requirements of Title I, monitoring their child's progress, and working with educators. Information will be provided during an annual fall communication, at parent/teacher conferences, in the school's newsletter, and on the school's website.

- Providing materials, resources and training to help parents work with their children to improve academic achievement. Resources will be provided in school/classroom newsletters and other teacher communications through the school Parent informational days/nights will be planned each year based on the school needs assessment and may include a Parent/Teacher Conference Night, Graduation Planning Night, etc.
- Communicating regularly with parents in clear and understandable terms. This will include opportunities for parents to participate in decision-making roles, volunteer opportunities, annual Title I meetings, school/classroom newsletters, and annual parent survey, and parent/teacher conferences. Parent/Teacher meetings will be scheduled at any time, as requested by parents and the availability of teacher/staff.
- Coordinating parent involvement activities with other initiatives, including after-school programs.

This policy was adopted by Centennial High School, Columbus City School District, on 11/08/2023. The school will make this policy available to all parents, by way of the school's website.

\*This information was communicated in our weekly newsletter on 10/17/25