

A student is best served when the relationships between the teacher and the parent, between the school and home are reciprocal and supportive. **The role of a teacher is to facilitate learning by setting up engaging experiences. This is best done with the support of parents.**

Parental involvement in the education of their children is vital, hence parents are seen as genuine partners in a school. **For parents to support their child's learning, it is important that they are aware of the school's mission, values and goals.**

Positive support from parents not only benefits the child, but the community as well. **Together, we can achieve our campus goal for each child: every student at Pecan Creek Elementary understands their strengths in Reading and in Math and can talk specifically and accurately about their academic goals.**

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“Learning together to make our world a better place”

~Pecan Creek Mission Statement



Parent Involvement Policy

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“Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, nothing is going to get better. It’s not.”

~Dr. Suess, The Lorax

Parent Involvement

Research shows that family involvement promotes student success. Students with involved parents are more likely to

- Earn higher grades and pass their classes,
- Attend school regularly and have better social skills,
- Go on to post secondary education

Working Together

When families, schools, and communities work together,

- Student achievement improves,
- Teacher morale rises,
- Communication increases,
- Family, school, and community connections multiply

Communicating with Parents

Pecan Creek Elementary will open communications through a variety of functions including, but not limited to

- Family Fun Science Night
- Open House
- HotDog Super
- Parent Conferences
- Email and Phone conversations

- Back to School Night
- STARR Results
- Admission, Review, and Dismissal Meetings (ARD)
- PTA Newsletter
- Internet
- Boosterthon
- Meet the Teacher Night
- Mentor Program



Pecan Creek Volunteer
Family members can volunteer to help promote reading growth among individual students.



School Spirit T-shirt Drive
Volunteers assist in selling T-shirts to help promote school spirit.



PTA Scholastic Book Fair
The Book Fair gives children the opportunity to purchase books for their home library. All profits go to help fund the library and teacher enrichment requests.



Science Fair
Science Fair recognizes youthful scientific talent and interest in scientific investigation. Family volunteers assist in setup, judging, and passing out awards.

Additional volunteering opportunities such as class parties, special classroom activities, field trips, Book Fair, Field Day, staff appreciation, etc. will be offered for parents who cannot volunteer at school regularly, Parents are invited to join their children for lunch or breakfast

