

**DOWNEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Rio San Gabriel Elementary School**  
Parent Involvement Plan  
2017-2018

At Rio San Gabriel School, we believe that “Learning for all takes US all.” Rio San Gabriel believes that it will take the entire school community for all the students to graduate with a 21<sup>st</sup> century education that ensures they are college and career ready, globally competitive, and citizens of strong character. Each member of the school community plays an integral role in securing high student achievement for all. Together, the staff, students, parents, and the community strive to build collaborative and trusting relationships with one another to continually improve teaching and learning. By building capacity in all the stakeholders, Rio San Gabriel Elementary prepares its students for continued success beyond the K-5 institution.

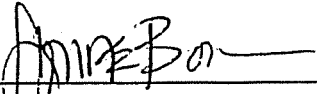
Our parents and the community are collaborative partners in ensuring our students meet or exceed grade level expectations. They are valued partners in the success of each and every student. Rio San Gabriel School recognizes the importance and effectiveness of a close partnership between school and home. It is to that end that we developed the following Parent Involvement Policy:

1. Engage parents/guardians in their children’s education by providing them with the following:
  - Parent handbook – (Provided to all TK/K students and those students new to the District; All other students may access this document on-line under Parent Resources)
  - Parent educational workshops
  - Opportunities to participate and contribute in English Learner Advisory Council, School Site Council meetings, and PTA
  - Opportunities to volunteer in the classroom and school
  - Needs assessment survey - conducted yearly to provide our school feedback on our educational programs
  - Homework policies in accordance with district guidelines are instituted in all classrooms and discussed at Back-to-School Night
  
2. Inform parents/guardians of techniques and strategies to assist their children in learning at home through:
  - Back-to-School Night and Parent-Teacher Conferences
  - Parent Educational Workshops
  - Home-School Compact
  
3. Build consistent and effective communication between home and school.
  - Maintain RSG website to provide parents with up to date information and post monthly calendar
  - Utilize our school marquee to announce upcoming events at school
  - Hold yearly parent-teacher conferences at the end of the first trimester
  - Provide parents with additional information through monthly school newsletters, Connect Ed messages, and classroom bulletins
  - School communication is translated into Spanish

4. Inform parents/guardians of the school's goals and student achievement.
- Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA) is available for parents/guardians
  - Student data on CELDT, DORA, Running Record, District Math Growth Assessment (DMGA), and CAASPP will be reported in various meetings through PTA, ELAC, SSC, and Parent Annual meetings.

This School Parental Involvement Policy has been developed jointly with and agreed upon by parents.

This policy was adopted by Rio San Gabriel Elementary School on April 11, 2017 and will be in effect for the 2017-2018 school year. The school will distribute this policy to the school community at Back to School Night or Parent Conferences and copies will be available in the front office on or before October 30, 2017.

  
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Mrs. Lynn Ebor  
Principal

May 26, 2017  
Date

  
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Mrs. Giovanna Saab  
School Site Council President

5-31-17  
Date

**We Read It! We Think It! We Prove It!**