



**2020-2021 Chapel Hill Preparatory
Parent Involvement Policy**

Chapel Hill Preparatory recognizes that a child’s education is a responsibility shared by the school and family during the entire period the child spends in school. At Chapel Hill Preparatory, our mission is to personalize a high-quality education and inspire lifelong learners. In order to fulfill this mission, the school and parents/guardians must work as a student-focused, knowledgeable team to ensure success for all.

Chapel Hill Community

Chapel Hill families can become involved in the school community by attending events that the school holds each year. Some of these events include- Parent Orientation, STEM Night, Literacy Night, Coffee with the Principal, holiday parties, and other events for the Chapel Hill community to enjoy. As we manage the re-entry of our students and families with the priority of keeping everyone safe, the majority of these engagements will be virtual for now. Chapel Hill is a bilingual and inclusive school, so every effort will be made to include English and Spanish at all events.

The school nurse, counselor and staff can advise parents of the District’s Youth and Family Resource Centers.

Chapel Hill Communication

There will be less paper-based this school year. However communications will be sent in both English and Spanish. Chapel Hill families can also find out more information about the school by following the campus on Twitter, ClassDojo, or viewing the campus website- <https://www.dallasisd.org/Chapel Hill>.

Chapel Hill Student Academic Progress

Parents/guardians can check student grades using the DISD Parent Portal. The DISD Parent Portal is an important resource for information about your child’s progress. See the front office if you have not already filled out a form and received a pin for this service. Parents/guardians will receive regular progress reports and report cards to keep up with academic progress. By reviewing this information, and signing the report card, families will have a good idea of how their students are doing, and the school can make sure that any issues are caught early. Teachers will also meet with parents/guardians to share student performance through district-scheduled parent/teacher conferences and other classroom visitations as requested by either parent/guardian or teacher.

Chapel Hill Family Involvement

The Chapel Hill faculty and staff are committed to working with parents, students, and the wider community to determine the needs of the school community. The Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) is a central voice for parents in the school. Please join, come to meetings, talk to members of the board, and attend events. Being involved benefits your child and the whole school community. Both the PTSA and SBDM (Site-Based Decision-Making) have elected officers, as well as being open to the participation and contributions of all parents. Chapel Hill will be reaching out to our families through surveys, PSTA meetings, SBDM meetings, and various other ways. The PTSA and SBDM hold open and fair elections to give all parents an opportunity to be involved in this process.

Chapel Hill has an open-door policy. As a parent, you are always welcome to come by the school and see what is happening on the campus. We welcome volunteers at Chapel Hill. Volunteers are solicited in accordance with the District’s volunteer orientation process. Please let the front office know if you are interested in volunteering on campus.

Teacher _____ Student _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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