



## Summary of John Hopkins Middle School Parent and Family Engagement Plan

The 2020 - 2021 Parent and Family Engagement Plan (PFEP) for John Hopkins Middle School states:

Our school Compact and Parent and Family Engagement Plan is jointly developed by parents and other stake holders. In an effort to build the capacity of our parents we will offer a variety of activities and events such as, but not limited to, Achievement Nights, Parent conferences, Back to School Night, EXPO/ Orientation Night, Multicultural and Black History Night, as well as PTSA/SAC meetings with a themed focus centered around middle school-aged children issues. Additionally, our staff will build their capacity by participating in events and activities, that showcase our students' academic and artistic, in order to create an atmosphere that is conducive to parent and family engagement and highest student achievement. Staff activities include, but not limited to, being actively engaged in professional learning communities; collaboratively planning; attending a variety of trainings that focus to culturally relevant teaching & equitable practices. We also coordinate with other federal programs such as Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA).

Each year we review our Compact and Parent and Family Engagement Plan, parent input is essential to this process. Parents will be notified of the review date by December 2020. We offer flexible meeting times by merging this meeting with other school-related events showcasing students, in an effort to reach as many parents as possible. Our Title I Annual Parent Meeting is being held on September 10, 2020, via a virtual format. During this meeting we will discuss the Parent's Right to Know, What is Title I, the budget, and the importance of parent and family engagement, curriculum and assessments.

We will communicate with parents via School Messenger, email blasts, and school newsletters. We will make every reasonable effort to provide our parents with information in an understandable language and format. Our Parent and Family Engagement Plan (PFEP) is located on our website [www.gojhop.com](http://www.gojhop.com), at our Title I Parent Station, and you may request a complete copy by contacting Mrs. Vongsyprasom ([vongsyprasomk@pcsb.org](mailto:vongsyprasomk@pcsb.org)).