

Project brief

ESSA AND TITLE I

Prince George's County Public Schools



Parent & Family Engagement Plan SY27

Langley Park McCormick Elementary Values Parent & Family Engagement

At **Langley Park McCormick Elementary** we believe that **when families and schools work together, students thrive**.

As a **Title I school**, we provide **programs, activities, and resources** to help families stay engaged in their student's education. Our programs align with **Title I, Part A of ESSA** and the **PGCPS Parent & Family Engagement Policy**.

Each year, we update our **Parent & Family Engagement Plan** with your input. This plan includes **family events and activities**.

- ◆ **We value your feedback!** Share your suggestions with us through **email, surveys, or speaking with a staff member**.
- ◆ **All families are welcome!** Events and resources are available in **multiple languages**, with **interpreter services**. **request language support please contact Nancy Mejia, Parent Engagement Assistant, at (301) 445-8423**.

 **Stay Involved & Stay Informed!** Check out **ClassDojo** and our **school website** at <https://www.pgcps.org/schools/langley-park-mccormick-elementary> for upcoming events and engagement opportunities.

We are committed to helping parents and families stay informed and engaged in their student's education. Together, we can achieve success! ❤️

Title I ESSA Guidelines for Building Parent Capacity:

Goal 1: Helping Families Understand Academics & Title I – We will explain what students are learning and what Title I means for your child.

Goal 2: Providing Helpful Resources – We will share tools and materials to support learning at home.

Goal 3: Training School Staff on Family Engagement – Teachers and staff will learn ways to work closely with families to support student success.

Goal 4: Partnering with the Community – We will collaborate with local organizations to offer additional support for families.

Goal 5: Sharing Information Clearly – Important details will be provided in easy-to-understand language.

Goal 6: Ensuring Accessibility for All Families – We will offer interpretation services, childcare, and accommodations as needed.

SCHOOL PROFILE

School Name:	Langley Park McCormick Elementary		
School Year:	2026-2027	Area:	1
Local Education Agency:	Prince George's County Public Schools	Supervisor Name:	Judith Ha
State School No.:	1719	Supervisor Email:	judith.will
School Type:	Elementary	Title I:	Yes
Grades Served:	PreKindergarten - Grade 5	Community School:	Yes
School Address:	8201 15th Avenue Hyattsville, MD 20783	CSI:	No
Principal Name:	Kina Flood-Cooke	ATSI:	No
Principal Email:	kina.flood@pgcps.org	Sustainability:	No
School Vision:	At Langley Park McCormick, we aspire to create a community that is em and committed to ensuring that our children reach their full potential aca emotionally.		
School Mission:	Our Mission at Langley Park McCormick is to: • Provide rigorous and engaging curriculum where students can compe • Promote critical thinking skills. • Develop a technology driven culture that embraces change and innov • Establish and maintain an environmentally responsible space. • Foster an environment that is inclusive where students, families, and s - valued. • Expose students to enriching experiences to enhance their knowledge		

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SMART GOALS

Administrators and school staff have analyzed student performance data in order to identify our school's academic goals for school improvement. Below are our school year academic goals.

SMART Goal	Description	Strategy
SMART Goal 1: Mathematics	By June 2027, LPMES will increase the percentage of students scoring Proficient or Distinguished on the MSTAR Mathematics assessment will increase from 14% in SY26 to at least 24% by strengthening Tier 1 instruction that requires students to use visual models, justify their thinking in writing, and engage in mathematical discourse.	The strategy to achieve the math goal is to "strengthening Tier 1 instruction" by student actions: • Using visual models. • Justifying thinking in writing • Engaging in mathematical discourse
SMART Goal 2: ELA/ELD	By June 2027, Langley Park-McCormick Elementary will increase the percentage of students performing at or above Benchmark on the end-of-year DIBELS/Literacy Composite assessment from 37% to 57%, while reducing the overall proportion of students scoring Well Below Benchmark from 46% to 26% through targeted tier-1 foundational instruction, focus groups and daily writing.	The strategy to achieve the literacy goal is to on targeted tier-1 foundational instruction • Focus groups • Daily writing
SMART Goal 3: Parent Engagement Wholeness (CSI Only)	By the end of April 2027, all classrooms at Langley Park-McCormick Elementary School will achieve at least an 80% family participation rate in parent-teacher conferences—offered through in-person, virtual, or student-led formats with dedicated ELD translation supports—to discuss student academic progress and home writing strategies.	Add outcomeThe strategy to achieve the parent engagement goal is to focus on parent participation through specific access points • Offering flexible formats (in-person, virtual, or student-led). • Providing ELD translation supports • Creating space to discuss student academic progress and home writing strategies.

Langley Park McCormick Elementary invites our families to receive updates regarding our school-wide plan as well as participate in the drafting, review, and revision of the plan. In order to do so, our committee will meet on the following schedule:



**Our Instructional Leadership Team meets weekly on
Fridays at 12:15 - 1:15pm**

UPCOMING PARENT & FAMILY EVENTS

To keep families informed, Langley Park McCormick Elementary will host events with helpful information about Title I, academic expectations, and ways to track your child's progress. Before each event, we will share details through flyers and our school website. Meetings will be scheduled at different times to accommodate families, and childcare will be available.

You can also find our Parent & Family Engagement Plan on our school website at <https://www.pgcps.org/schools/langley-park-mccormick-elementary>.

Here are the step-by-step directions to find the Title I documents on the school website:

1. **Scroll down** to the **Announcements** section located on the main homepage (just below the *Important Information* section).
2. Look for the card titled **Title I Documents**.
3. Click on the [Read More](#) link under that title to view the full documents.

SY26 Parent & Family Engagement Calendar of Events

Directions: The workshops listed below are federally mandated and must be conducted as outlined—**do not remove or modify** any of the workshops listed. All workshops **are not optional**. For any additional school-specific Parent and Family Engagement (PFE) workshops, please insert rows with the date. If you need support, please contact your assigned PFE Instructional Specialist for assistance.

Date	Time In person or Virtual	Title	Description	Compliance Alignment w/ PFE Requirements <i>select at least 1 workshop type</i>	Compliance Alignment w/ PFE Requirements <i>select at least 1 workshop type</i>
Aug - Sep 30		School-Based Staff Training (Required)	Staff will receive training on best practices for engaging parents to build a stronger relationship between the school and families and to improve student academic achievement. Staff will also be given an overview of the Schoolwide Title I Program inclusive of the School-Parent Compact and Parent & Family Engagement Plan.	☐ Academic Understanding & Support for Families ☐ Parent Training & Educational Materials ☐ Coordination with Other Programs	☐ School Analysis ☐ School Input ☐ Joint Development ☐ PFE Plan/Compact ☐ Title I Input ☐ State/Local
Aug - Sep 30		Title I Annual Meeting (Required)	Parents will be given an overview of the Schoolwide Title I program, School Goals, and be provided the	☐ Academic Understanding & Support for Families	☐ School Analysis ☐ School Input

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			opportunity to give input into the annual Title I Budget, School Parent Compact and the Parent & Family Engagement Plan. Time will be allotted to ask questions and give feedback.	☐ Parent Training & Educational Materials ☐ Coordination with Other Programs	☐ Joint Development of PFE Plan/Compact ☐ Title I Input ☐ State/Local
Nov 11, 2026		Parent-Teacher Conferences (Required)	Families will meet with their child's teacher (s) to learn about their child's academic progress and discuss strategies to help them achieve academic success. Families will also have an opportunity to provide feedback on the School Parent compact.	☐ Academic Understanding & Support for Families ☐ Parent Training & Educational Materials ☐ Coordination with Other Programs	☐ School Analysis ☐ School Input ☐ Joint Development of PFE Plan/Compact ☐ Title I Input ☐ State/Local
Feb - Mar		Title I Parent Input Meeting (Required)	Parents/Families will have the opportunity to provide input on how to use the parent portion of the Title I Budget to help revise the Parent and Family Engagement Plan for the upcoming school year. The school will collaborate/partner with parents to help review and revise the Parent and Family Engagement Plan and School Parent Compact.	☐ Academic Understanding & Support for Families ☐ Parent Training & Educational Materials ☐ Coordination with Other Programs	☐ School Analysis ☐ School Input ☐ Joint Development of PFE Plan/Compact ☐ Title I Input ☐ State/Local
Apr - May		Transitional Parent Night (Required for Elementary Schools & Academies)	Incoming Prekindergarten and Kindergarten families will receive academic information to prepare students for the upcoming school year.	☐ Academic Understanding & Support for Families ☐ Parent Training & Educational Materials ☐ Coordination with Other Programs	☐ School Analysis ☐ School Input ☐ Joint Development of PFE Plan/Compact ☐ Title I Input ☐ State/Local