

Parent and Family Engagement Jonesboro Public Schools

Jonesboro Public Schools recognizes and supports families, the child's first and most important teachers, as essential partners for student success through engaging in meaningful communication to provide an effective learning experience for each student. Parent and Family Engagement reflects the four principles upon which the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA). These principles provide the framework through which families, educators, and communities can work together to improve teaching and learning:

- Accountability for results
- Local control and flexibility
- Expanded parental choice
- Effective and successful programs that reflect scientifically-based research

Parent and Family Engagement also focuses on accountability between schools and parents for high student achievement, while offering parents important insight into their children's education, the professional qualifications of their child's teacher and the quality of the schools they attend. The district has FACE Coordinators at each building to ensure that connections are made and opportunities are provided to families to have a voice in the educational environment of the students served.

To access each school's plan, go to www.jonesboroschools.net and click on the "Schools" tab at the top of the page. On the school's website, scroll down to "Shortcuts" and "More About" in the gray box on the right of the screen. You will see a link to the Parent and Family Engagement Plan and/or Parent Center.

To access the district's Parent and Family Engagement Plan, go to jonesboroschools.net and scroll down to the gray box on the right. Next, click on the "State Required Information".

FACE (Family and Community Engagement) Coordinators for JPS are as follows:

Jonesboro Public Schools District FACE Coordinator: Suzanne Ray Faught, 870-933-5800

Health, Wellness, and Environmental Studies Elementary School-Alicia Rose 870-933-5850

International Studies Elementary School-Katie Beth Lovell 870-933-5825

Jonesboro Kindergarten Center- Paige Cothern 870-933-5835

Math and Science Elementary School-Sara Rout 870-933-5845

Microsociety Elementary School-Lindsay Phillips 870-933-5855

Visual Performing Arts Elementary School-Carri Baker 870-933-5830

Annie Camp Junior High School-Elizabeth Corey 870-933-5820

Douglas MacArthur Junior High School- Rebecca Long 870-933-5840

The Academies of Jonesboro High School- Deb Cook 870-933-5881