

# SHILOH HIGH SCHOOL

## THE PLAN... THE PROMISE...

2022-2023



**Home of the Generals!**

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### WHAT IS A FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PLAN?

It is a plan that describes how our school will provide opportunities to improve family engagement that will support student learning at school and at home. All students and their families are invited and encouraged to fully participate in the opportunities described in this plan. The school will provide information and as many opportunities as possible for the participation of all family members.

### WHAT IS A SCHOOL-FAMILY PROMISE?

It is a written agreement that outlines how the school, the students, and the family will work together to ensure your child's academic success. An effective School-Family Promise contains the following elements:

- Clear learning goals that are linked to the school's improvement plan
- Specific skills students will learn during the year
- Strategies that staff, families, and students will use to improve student learning
- Ways to extend learning at home
- Methods teachers and family members will use to communicate about student progress
- Opportunities for family members to observe and participate in the classroom
- Jointly-developed by families, school staff, students, community business partners, and other stakeholders during our Planning Meeting
- Reviewed and revised throughout the year
- The School-Family Promise will be reviewed with families at Title I meetings and during family events throughout the year

### LET'S TALK

Shiloh High School is committed to keeping open lines of communication with families. We have several ways to communicate. We utilize two-way communication through the school website, email, phone calls, parent-conferences, social media, Parent Portal and eClass to reach our students and families.

*If you need interpretation and/or translation services, please contact: Pamela Gilkes at (678) 344-2735 or [pamela.gilkes@gcpsk12.org](mailto:pamela.gilkes@gcpsk12.org)*

### ACTIVITIES TO BUILD OUR PARTNERSHIP

Shiloh High School will offer the following activities to build our partnership with families.

- Curriculum Night
- Parent Engagement Nights
- Annual Title I Parent Meeting
- FAFSA Meeting
- Dual Enrollment
- Rising Freshman Night
- Title I Planning Meeting
- Title I Draft Document Review

Please visit our website and social media on a regular basis, and please read our weekly message to learn about dates, times, and details regarding upcoming events.



## WHERE IS THE PLAN AVAILABLE?

The Family and Community Engagement Plan and all other Title I information are available on our school's website at <https://www.gcpsk12.org/ShilohHS> under Parents/Parent Information. Families can also find paper copies of this Family and Community Engagement Plan in our Parent Center. The Plan/The Promise can also be reviewed electronically anytime on MyPaymentsPlus and on your student's eClass page.

## HOW IS THE PLAN DEVELOPED AND REVISED?

It is reviewed and revised at least annually during the Planning Meeting in the spring. All feedback forms from the Planning Meeting are submitted to the Office of Federal Programs for review. Families who are not able to attend the Planning Meeting have the opportunity to review draft documents and provide input during the draft document review period.

## COMMUNICATION

Shiloh High School communicates with parents in family-friendly language through emails, social media and our school website.

Shiloh offers flexible meeting times to best meet the needs of our families. If you would like to schedule a meeting, you may do so by scheduling large group teacher meetings with your child's counselor through the Counseling Department or you may contact your child's teachers directly.

Counseling Department:

<https://www.gcpsk12.org/Page/16382>.

If a parent is unable to attend a meeting or requests a specific meeting, the parent may contact Pamela Gilkes at (678) 344-2735 or [pamela.gilkes@gcpsk12.org](mailto:pamela.gilkes@gcpsk12.org) for special scheduling.

## ENGAGING AND EMPOWERING FAMILIES WITH...

- ❖ **Title I Program Information:** Program information is available during the Title I Planning Meeting in the spring and Annual Parent Meetings in the fall, on the school website, and in the Parent Center.
- ❖ **Curriculum Information:** Knowing what your child is learning at school is important. We will keep you informed throughout the year about what your child is learning during parent meetings, conferences, eCLASS, and on our school website.
- ❖ **Student Progress Monitoring:** The Parent Portal is an online resource that allows families to view grades, attendance, schedules, assessment, and your child's results, course history, and much more. Monitoring your child's progress in school is an important way to be engaged.
- ❖ **Parent Resources:** We have many resources available for checkout to use at home with your child. We also host several parent workshops to empower you as you work with your child at home.
- ❖ **Staff Training:** We will train our staff to effectively communicate with you. Your input on how we train our staff is valuable.
- ❖ **Communication:** We will communicate, to the extent feasible, all information with you in a language and format you understand. Whenever possible, we will provide interpreters during parent workshops, and academic events. Translation is available for most documents.
- ❖ **Transition Support:** Entering a new school can be scary for both students and families. We will host events to make sure both you and your child are aware of what is expected and how you can prepare as your child transitions to a new school level, college, and career.

## DID YOU KNOW?

- ✓ Title I is a federal program designed to support school reform efforts to improve teaching and learning for all students.
- ✓ Title I programs are based on effective means of improving student achievement and include strategies to support family engagement.
- ✓ The Title I Office reserves at least one percent of the district's allocation to fund family and community engagement programs. The use of these funds is based on suggestions gathered at our spring Planning Meetings from families and community members. Funds are distributed equally to all our Title I schools.
- ✓ Childcare and/or transportation may be provided for meetings and school events.

## ***Our Mission***

***Relentlessly pursue high level teaching and learning with a global perspective for all students and staff.***



## OUR DISTRICT GOALS

**Language Arts:** All students will graduate as analytical readers, writers, and communicators of language.

**Math:** Students are expected to demonstrate proficiency through a deep understanding of numeracy with the ability to compute with fluency, think critically, and communicate their mathematical reasoning effectively.

**Science:** Students will develop a strong content understanding in the Earth, life, and physical sciences as well as develop problem-solving and critical-thinking skills.

**Social Studies:** Students will develop a strong understanding of themselves and their role and responsibility in society by discovering the heritage of their nation within a global context.

## OUR SCHOOL GOALS

We will provide all students with high quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment to meet high academic standards.

2022-2023 School Goals:

1. Increase Shiloh HS 4-year graduation rate to 85% in SY 2022-2023.
2. Increase the percentage of student proficiency above 50% in math and 70% in ELA on all local, state, and national assessments.

To meet these goals, we will focus on the following:

1. Academic interventions to improve writing strategies using evidence and source documents.
2. Academic interventions to improve numeracy and solving in mathematics to improve proficiency through operations.
3. Engage parents and families through training, workshops, and continuous communication about academics and student support to increase student readiness and on-track progress for graduation.

## WORKING TOGETHER TO ENSURE SUCCESS

*Shiloh High School will...*

- Offer Parent Engagement workshops and events with learning centered on writing strategies and effective practices and progress monitoring for students and numeracy and solving resources and learning as part of parent engagement events.
- Provide strategies for home use to promote and improve writing across all content areas and building numeracy capacity through daily applications.



*Dr. Danyel Dollard*

6/1/22

Principal's Signature

Date

*As Students, we will...*

- Actively attend and engage in learning writing and improving skills through intervention and enrichment opportunities.
- Actively attend and engage in learning numeracy and solving skills through intervention and enrichment opportunities.
- Continuously practice skills and use resources and strategies provided by teachers to help support academic performance.



*As Families, we will...*

- Attend Family Engagement events and workshops offered by the school to learn strategies to support at-home learning.
- Monitor student progress via parent portal, parent-teacher conferences, communication, and other tools made available by the school.
- Encouraging our students to practice literacy, math, and critical thinking skills continuously.



## VISIT OUR PARENT CENTER

Our Parent Center has learning games, books, and many other resources available for families to checkout and use at home. Our Parent Outreach Liaison is Pamela Gilkes. She is available to help you find resources, navigate the Parent Portal, connect with teachers, and learn about ways you can help your children at home.

Our Parent Center is located in room 1.103, the office closest to the bus lane.

**Hours of Operation:**

Monday – Thursday

8:00 AM– 1:00 PM

Please contact Pamela Gilkes for additional information about our Parent Center and resources available for check-out.

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## Volunteer opportunities



Shiloh High School would love for parents to get involved. Please stop by our Parent Center for information on upcoming volunteer opportunities.

If you wish to observe your child in class, please contact your child's academy administrator to schedule an appointment.