

**2015 Catoosa County Title I Annual Evaluation
Lakeview Middle School**

Please take 5 minutes to complete our parent involvement survey. Return it with your child to school by **Friday, March 13th**. Your feedback will help our parent group to make a plan to improve parent involvement in our school.

School Environment

	<u>Not at All</u>	<u>Minimally</u>	<u>Quite a Bit</u>	<u>Tremendous Amount</u>
1. How welcome does the school staff at your child's school make you feel?				
2. How often do you participate in school events because your child encourages you to be involved?				
3. Overall, how much do you feel your child's school values parent input?				

	<u>Never</u>	<u>Once or Twice</u>	<u>Every Few Months</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Weekly or More</u>
4. In the past year, how often have you visited your child's school?					
5. In the past year, how often did you participate in a parental involvement activity, event, or program at your child's school?					
6. In the past year, how often have you talked with the school about how they can help your child learn?					

7. Which of the following would enable you to participate in parent meetings and school activities? (Circle all that apply.)					
<u>Childcare Assistance</u>	<u>Transportation Assistance</u>	<u>Reminders One Week Before the Event</u>	<u>Events Offered at Various Times</u>	<u>Prefer Access to Information Online</u>	<u>Other (Please explain.)</u>

8. Circle the best time for you to attend a school event for parents?				
<u>Before school (M-F)</u>	<u>During school, before lunch (M-F)</u>	<u>Evenings (M-F)</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>During school, after lunch (M-F)</u>

Communication

9. Do you know with whom to communicate at your child's school when you have a question or concern? Circle.			
<u>Not at All</u>	<u>Minimally</u>	<u>Quite a Bit</u>	<u>Tremendous Amount</u>

	<u>Never</u>	<u>Once or Twice</u>	<u>Every Few Months</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Weekly or More</u>
10. How often does your child's school provide you with information about ways to be involved in the education of your child?					

11. How often have you had opportunities to visit with your child's teachers to discuss your child's progress?					
12. In the past year, how often did you communicate with teachers at school?					

In your opinion, how effective are the following when it comes to the school communicating with you or your family?	<u>Not Effective</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Very Effective</u>
13. Open House			
14. Math or Language Nights			
15. Parent Teacher Conferences			
16. Newsletters			
17. Calls from the School			
18. Flyers			
19. Email			
20. School Website			
21. Text Messages			

22. What are the best ways for you to provide input regarding your child's school? (Circle all that apply.)					
<u>Attend Meetings</u>	<u>Complete Surveys Online</u>	<u>Phone Calls</u>	<u>Complete Paper Surveys</u>	<u>Emails</u>	<u>Send Note to School</u>

23. Do you have difficulties with any of the following? Circle and feel free to explain.		
<u>Understanding School Policies</u>	<u>Accessing the School Website</u>	<u>Accessing the Parent Portal</u>

24. Circle how many times per month you initiate interactive study tools with your child? (Flash cards, online resources, etc.)		
<u>0-5</u>	<u>6-9</u>	<u>10 or More</u>

25. Circle how many times per month you access the school website?		
<u>0-5</u>	<u>6-9</u>	<u>10 or More</u>

Student Achievement and Advocacy

	<u>Not at All</u>	<u>Minimally</u>	<u>Quite a Bit</u>	<u>Tremendous Amount</u>
26. How clear is your understanding of the programs and courses that are offered for your child?				
27. I am informed as to how my child is doing academically in school.				
28. How confident are you in your ability to support your child's learning at home?				
29. How confident are you in your ability to help your child make choices about programs and courses he/she needs to take?				

	<u>Never</u>	<u>Once or Twice</u>	<u>Every Few Months</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Weekly or More</u>
30. In the past year, how often have you					

talked with the school about ways that you can help your child's learning at home?					
31. In the past year, how often have you given advice to the school?					

32. Circle how many times per month do you access your child's grades online?		
<u>0-5</u>	<u>6-9</u>	<u>10 or more</u>

33. What type of informational programs would you like the school to provide? (Circle all that apply.)						
<u>What My Child Is Learning</u>	<u>Reading Night</u>	<u>Social Studies Night</u>	<u>Math Night</u>	<u>Homework Help</u>	<u>Test Prep</u>	<u>Science Night</u>

34. What types of training or programs to improve student academic achievement would you be likely to participate in if they were offered by the school? Circle all that apply.						
School Decision Making Groups	Lunch 'N Learn Sessions	Parent Meetings or Presentations	Family Fun Learning Nights	Online Parent Classes	Mentoring	Volunteering

35. Did you participate in any of the following decision-making opportunities requiring parental input and partnership? (Circle all that apply.)				
<u>Title I Program Planning</u>	<u>Development of School Parent Involvement Plan</u>	<u>Development of School-Parent Compact</u>	<u>Parent Advisory Groups</u>	<u>Parent Teacher Conferences</u>
If so, which did you find most meaningful and enjoyable to be a part of?				
If you did not participate in any, why not?				
Would you be interested in participating in the future?				

36. How well do you feel that the school's parent involvement policy and plan provides opportunities for effective involvement of parents to support student academic achievement?				
<u>Not Well</u>	<u>Mildly Well</u>	<u>Fairly Well</u>	<u>Quite Well</u>	<u>Extremely Well</u>

37. Our school is required to set aside a percentage of Title I money for parental involvement activities to actively engage parents in the academic achievement of their children. In the past, money has been spent to provide the school with a Parent Involvement Coordinator position and to fund the Parent Resource Center. What are your suggestions for how Title I parental involvement money should be spent?

38. What support do you need from the school to ensure your child moves from one grade to the next?

39. How can our school improve on actively involving parents and community members in the activities of our school to increase student academic achievement?

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40. Please list any possible community organizations and/or businesses that you feel would be ideal school partners:

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41. Circle your child's grade level.

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42. What is the primary language spoken in your home?

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43. Circle your relationship to your child.

<u>Mom</u>	<u>Dad</u>	<u>Stepparent</u>	<u>Grandparent</u>	<u>Aunt/Uncle</u>	<u>Other</u>
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Please provide your contact information if you would like for the school to follow up with you about any feedback provided or ways to get you more involved in the school as indicated on the survey.

Contact Information (OPTIONAL)

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Email address: _____

Phone number: _____ Address: _____

Child's name: _____

Thank you for taking the time to complete this very important survey.