

Witt Elementary School
Parent Involvement Plan

The Hamblen County School System and Witt Elementary encourage the involvement of parents to act as advisors and resources in the following areas:

- *Increase parental/family engagement and enhance family literacy
- *Serve as stakeholders in the school improvement process in order to promote academic achievement and growth
- *Actively support and provide input for school activities/events
- *Promote community relations that foster a positive relationship between home and school

Witt Elementary School invites parents to take an active roll in their child's education by participating in school activities:

Events: PTO meetings, Open House, Annual grade level parent meetings, field day, fundraisers, Fall Festival, Food City and Ingles programs, BoxTops for Education, and the recycling program.

Classroom Activities: Homeroom parents, field trips, School Lunch Week, American Education Week, Read Across America Day, Career Day, Literacy Days, Book Character Day, library helpers, guest readers, and other activities as needed on a daily basis.

Academic Achievement: Parents are encouraged to provide a positive environment at home where students can study, complete homework assignments, and work on school projects as assigned by the classroom teacher.

To ensure that parents have an adequate opportunity to participate in the planning, designing and implementation of the achievement program, the school shall:

1. Convene an annual PTO meeting to discuss Title I information
And parental involvement
2. Provide progress reports throughout the year during mid-terms
And grade cards each six weeks
3. Conduct parent conferences in the fall and spring to discuss test
data and identify strengths/areas of improvement as needed
4. Provide copies of state standards for parents to have at home
5. Provide translation services for non-English speaking students
6. Provide opportunities for parents to voice their opinions and
concerns through discussions and surveys
7. Inform parents of district meetings designed to assist parents with
educational decisions—provide reading materials through the
school library
8. Develop a student/teacher/parent compact to outline
responsibilities
9. Promote school activities through newsletters, Parent Portal,
Notify Me, and the school website
10. Consult with parents about Title I purchases for academic
Achievement