



Galena Park
Independent School District

Parent & Family Engagement Annual Calendar 2024-2025

Counselor(s): Mrs. Zavala/Mrs. Porschua Davis Campus: Galena Park Middle School

Date	Time	Meeting/Event Topic	Focus	Location	Number of Parents
July/August & September Character Trait – Citizenship and School Pride					
Wednesday 7/31	5:00 - 7:00 pm	Encounters Open House	Getting to know each other; Learning the class rules, procedures, and policies; Filling out relevant forms	Cafeteria	
Thursday 8/1	5:00 - 7:00 pm	Meet the Counselors/ 6th Grade Orientation	Getting to know, picking up schedules, school tour	Gym	
Friday 8/30	8:30 - 9:30 am	Family Friendly Schools Meeting (Staff Development)	An opportunity for parents to take part and give their input on campus goals and school programs	MPR	
Friday 9/06	8:00 - 9:00 am	Breakfast with Grandparents	Grandparents' eat with their grandchildren and spend time with them and get more involved.	Cafeteria	
Wednesday 9/18	9:00-11 :30 am	District PFE Title 1 Meeting	Title 1 Rights, Parent Engagement Meeting	Joyce ZOTZ	
Thursday 9/19	5:00 - 7:00 pm	Annual Title 1 Parent & Family Engagement Meeting Rights & Responsibilities (1 st meeting), Parent Compact, Campus Policy/ Open House	Title 1 Meeting Rights, Parent Compact, Campus Policy, PFE Calendar, and Counselors' Budget	Cafeteria	
Thursday 9/19	8:00 - 9:00 am	Fathers Take Your Child to School	Father parental involvement and volunteer opportunities	Cafeteria	

October: Character Trait - Compassion & Tolerance					
Thursday 10/10	8:30 - 9:30 am	Title 1: PFE Calendar, Counselors' Budget, Parent Compact, Campus Policy Parent Meeting, (2nd meeting); Skyward Training	Title 1 Meeting Rights, Parent Compact, Campus Policy, PFE Calendar, and Counselors' Budget Overview to aid parents access to Skyward and becoming familiar with Google Classroom and School Website	MPR	
Wednesday 10/16	6:00 - 8:00 pm	GPISD College Night- College and Career Planning	Getting the parents and students familiar with college applications and what they have to offer.		
Thursday 10/24	5:00 - 7:00 pm	Trunk or Treat Family Night	Getting our stakeholders involved- Community involvement	GPMS ground	
Mon-Fri 10/21- 10/25	All Week	Red Ribbon Week: Phoenix (Speaker) will present on Oct. 24	Drug Awareness and Anti-bullying activities for students, staff, and families	GPMS	

November: Character Trait - Fairness					
Monday 11/18	9:00 - 12:00 pm	Thanksgiving Baskets	Providing for our families in need	GPMS	

December: Character Trait – Honesty & Integrity					
Friday 12/13	8:30 - 9:30 am	Coffee with the Counselors- Crafts Day	Community Resources; Invite CIS Family Event - Making Christmas cards and decor	MPR	

January: Character Trait - Perseverance					
Friday 1/24	8:30 - 9:30 am	Health & Wellness Line Dancing	Nurse shares pertinent information on health, wellness, and nutrition: CIS, Ms. Sanders, will lead the line dance and explain healthy practices	MPR	

February: Character Trait - Responsibility					
Wednesday 2/12	5:30 - 7:30 pm	Father and Daughter Dance	Parent Involvement-Family Event	Cafeteria	
Friday 2/28	8:30 - 9:30 am	Coffee with the Counselors- Teen Dating Violence	Educating our parents on teen violence	MPR	

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March: Character Trait - Respect					
Friday 3/28	8:30 - 9:30 am	Coffee with the Counselors- 4 Year Career Plans	Inform parents about various careers and endorsements	Cafeteria	

April: Character Trait – Self-Discipline					
Wednesday 4/2	4:00- 5:00 pm	CPAC Meeting	Approving Campus Policy, Compact, and Calendar	N104	

May: Character Trait - Trustworthiness					
Friday 5/9	5:30 - 7:30 pm	Mother and Son Dinner	Family Engagement: Mother and Son Bonding Moment	Cafeteria	
Friday 5/16	11:00 - 1:00 pm	Luncheon with Volunteers	Parent/Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon and Awards- Planning for Mother and Son Dinner	Team Planning Room	