



**VICTOR VALLEY UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Hook Junior High School**  
**Title I School-Level Parental Involvement Policy**  
**2017-2018**

**School-Parent Compact**

Hook Junior High School distributes to parents of Title I students a School-Parent Compact. The compact, which has been jointly developed with parents, outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. It describes specific ways the school and families will partner to help children achieve the State's high academic standards. It addresses the following legally required items, as well as other items suggested by parents of Title I students.

The school's responsibility to provide high-quality curriculum and instructions.

The ways parents will be responsible for supporting their children's learning.

The importance of ongoing communication between parents and teachers through, at a minimum, annual parent teacher conferences; frequent reports on student progress; access to staff; opportunities for parents to volunteer and participate in their child's class; and opportunities to observe classroom activities.

The School-Parent Compact is developed jointly in the fall with Spring revisions for immediate distribution in the subsequent school year. This joint development takes place during School Site Council meetings, ELAC meetings, and other parent functions. The policy is primarily distributed to all parents and students upon initial enrollment and in annual registration packets. Additionally, it is posted on the school website and is available at the front counter of the Main Office. Additional copies are also made available in Athletic Clearance Packets.

**Building Capacity for Involvement**

Hook Junior High School engages Title I parents in meaningful interactions with the school. It supports a partnership among staff, parents, and the community to improve student academic achievement. To help reach these goals, the school has established the following practices:

The school provides Title I parents with assistance in understanding the State's academic content standards, assessments, and how to monitor and improve the achievement of their children. Hook Junior High School provides a multitude of methods a year to provide parents with information on student achievement including Back-to-School Night, SSC meetings, ELAC meetings, parent-teacher conferences, IEPs, SSTs, 504 plans, and other parent functions.

The school provides Title I parents with materials and training to help them work with their children to improve their children's achievement. Hook Junior High School provides various methods to equip parents with materials and resources to support their children's academic achievement through Back-to-School Night meetings, Family Night presentations, SSC meetings, ELAC meetings, parent-teacher conferences, IEPs, SSTs, 504 plans, and other parent functions.

With the assistance of Title I parents, the school educates staff members about the value of parent contributions, and in how to work with parents as equal partners. Hook Junior High School educates staff members about the value of parent contributions and how to work with parents as partners in education through monthly SSC and biannual ELAC meetings.

The school coordinates and integrates the Title I parent involvement program with other programs and conducts other activities during parent events to encourage and support parents in fully participating in the education of their children. Hook Junior High School has scheduled multiple opportunities throughout the school year to provide information and resources for parents including parent trainings and input on school programs.

The school distributes information related to school and parent programs, meetings, and other activities to Title I parents in a format and language that the parents understand. Hook Junior High School distributes information to parents by means of NTI messages in both English and Spanish, ensures that written communication are also in both English and Spanish and provides agendas and minutes, and handouts in ELAC meetings in both English and Spanish. Translation is also available for parent meetings.

**Accessibility**

Hook Junior High School provides opportunities for the participation of all Title I parents, including parents with limited English proficiency, parents with disabilities, and parents with migratory students. Information and school reports are provided in a format and language that parents understand. Hook Junior High School ensures that all documents are provided in English and Spanish and that translation is also available for all parent meetings. All reasonable accommodations are made for any parents with disabilities.

Student Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_