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Dear Parents,

As a part of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), all Title I schools, as well as the district, are required to develop a Parent and Family Engagement Policy and invite parents to be a part of its annual revision. School representatives, community members and parents met on the following dates to revise the 2017-2018 District Parent and Family Engagement Policy:

- April 24 and 26, 2018
- May 8, 2018

Enclosed is a copy of the revised 2018-2019 Parent and Family Engagement Policy for the Griffin-Spalding County School System. This policy details multiple ways for parents to be involved in educational processes. Research repeatedly shows that parent participation and engagement pays huge dividends in terms of a child's academic success.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the District Parent and Family Engagement Policy, please feel free to contact me. I look forward to a great school year!

Sincerely,

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