**Michigan Collegiate Parent Involvement Plan**

**Goal**

* A true partnership for learning will exist between the home and the school.

**Activities**

* A school compact will be signed by the teacher, student, and parent.
* The compact clearly defines the responsibilities of the teacher, student, and parent to ensure a successful learning experience for the child.
* The school compact will be discussed annually at parent-teacher conferences.
* The home-school partnership will be cultivated throughout the year by continual communication, as well as family activities and events that will inspire a positive school environment.

**Goal**

* Classroom teachers will communicate with parents regarding upcoming educational events, academic and behavioral progress, class expectations, homework, and classroom activities.

**Activities**

* Newsletters
* Email
* Classroom Websites
* Weekly Folders
* Conferences
* Progress Reports/Report Cards
* PowerSchool Parent Portal

**Goal**

* MC will promote a sense of school community with students, parents, and staff.

**Activities**

* Orientation BBQ
* School wide Community Project
* Field Day
* Cinderella Ball/ Mother-Son Bowling
* Music Concerts
* Career Day
* Parent Empowerment Nights

**Goal**

* MC parents will be aware of the Common Core Standards for each grade as well as MC’s expectations regarding their academic progress.

**Activities**

* Teachers will share/distribute information regarding the common core standards for their grade-level.
* Curriculum will be posted on MC website.
* Teachers will aide parents in interpreting Explore results during parent-teacher conferences.
* Parents will receive written communication (progress report or report card) regarding student progress every 7 weeks.

**Goal**

* MC parents will have opportunities to gain an understanding of how to help their children academically and socially.

**Activities**

* A Parent Empowerment will be held 1-2 times each year. Parents will be given suggestions on how to aide in their child’s academic progress.
* Teachers will give periodic suggestions/tips on how to help their child with specific academic or behavioral skills (Ex. MEAP Tips).
* The school newsletter will have academic tips and discipline strategies for parents.
* Online programs (ex. SuccessMaker, Achieve 3000, Zeo’s) are available for students to access at home for extended learning time.

**Goal**

* MC parents will be involved in school improvement and the school-wide program.

**Activities**

* All parents will be invited to a yearly meeting to inform them of the programs and services provided to students through Title funds.
* Select parents will be invited to the annual Title I Evaluation to determine if our programs are having a significant impact on attaining our school improvement goals and increasing student achievement.
* All parents will be given a survey to evaluate MC on academic progress, school climate, opportunities for parent involvement, title I programs, etc. Feedback will be used to improve the school-wide program.