

**Talawanda School District
Continuous Improvement Plan
Public Engagement Committee**

Vision: Excellence – A Talawanda Community Commitment

Mission: To ensure success for all students through the provision of a quality program and instruction, engaging all stakeholders, and ensuring fiscal sustainability.

Goal 1: To develop a genuine school community.

Strategy A: We will make our schools more accessible and friendly to the general public.

Activities to Accomplish Strategy 1-A	Person(s) Responsible	Resource(s)	Time Line	Completed
1 In newsletters, invite parents, community members, local agencies, businesses, and Miami University to give input on school issues.	Building Principals/Coordinator of Community Relations	Communications Budget & Building Budget- no additional cost	Ongoing	
2. Use public access cable television to provide district information to our community.	Building Principals/Coordinator of Community Relations	District Budget- no additional cost	Ongoing	
3. Continue the Community Leader/Realtor Reception & Tour.	Coordinator of Community Relations	Communications Budget	Ongoing	

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5. Utilize district/building web sites and web pages to provide access to district/building information, district activities, athletics and extra-curriculars.	Director of Technology/Director of Athletics/ Building Principals	District Technology Department	Ongoing	
6. Update the Talawanda Alumni Directory every five years.	Coordinator of Community Relations	Public Engagement Budget	Nov 2010-2011	
7. Send E-news to all subscribers for district/building newsletters, menus, and calendars.	Director of Technology	District Technology Department	Ongoing	

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Goal 2: To strengthen the bond between home and school.

Strategy A: We will develop and implement an informational program to stress the importance of parent and family responsibility.

Activities to Accomplish Strategy 2-A	Person(s) Responsible	Resource(s)	Time Line	Completed
1. Include age appropriate parenting information in building newsletters.	Building Staff	Building Budgets	Ongoing	
2. Teachers/tribes will communicate via Progress Book/website.	Administrator/Teachers	Building Budgets	Ongoing	
3. Develop forms & databases for more methods of communications with district families.	Coordinator of Community Relations/Director of Technology	District Technology Department	Ongoing	
4. Parent access to Progress Book will be maintained across all buildings so that it can be viewed via the internet.	Building Principals, Technology Dept.	District Technology Department	Ongoing	

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Goal 3: Utilize the collaborative resources of the Talawanda and Miami Communities to enhance the educational experience for all learners.

Strategy A: To better serve the academic, social, and emotional needs of the greater community.

Activities to Accomplish Strategy 3-A	Person(s) Responsible	Resource(s)	Time Line	Completed
1. Support collaborative educational programming.	Partnership Task Force	Partnership Task Force	Ongoing	
2. Publish a newsletter which chronicles Partnership programming & activities.	Office of Partnership	Partnership	Semi-annual	

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Goal 4: To enable employees to understand their role of serving as ambassadors to the community.

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Activities to Accomplish Strategy 4-A	Person(s) Responsible	Resource(s)	Time Line	Completed
1. Provide weekly updates via FirstClass from administrators, regarding state of the buildings/district to staff.	Administrators	First Class	Weekly	
2. Host parent informational meetings in district buildings during the school year.	Administrators / Guidance / Special Services / Title I	Building Budget	Ongoing	
3. Continue the use of E-News at building levels.	Administrators / Director of Technology	Building Budget	Ongoing	

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Goal 5: To provide appropriate information regarding district initiatives and programs to both our internal and external audiences.

Strategy A: Evaluative data and testing summaries will be accessible to the community.

Activities to Accomplish Strategy 5-A	Person(s) Responsible	Resource(s)	Time Line	Completed
1. Provide current information/data regarding standardized assessments to internal/external stakeholders via website newsletters and district mailings.	Asst Superintendent/Director of Curriculum/Building Principals	Test Data	Ongoing	
2. Share summative district academic data through State of the Schools presentations.	Central Office Administration	Test Data	Ongoing	