Internet Child Protection Act

Loudon County School System is in compliance with the Internet Child Protection Act (CIPA) .

Adult Education Opportunities

- *Family Resource Center of Loudon County*

  Cindy Lawson 458-8502

- *Loudon County Adult Education Program*

  Susan Williamson 988-1959

- *Community Agencies– Loudon County Health Improvement Council's Resource Directory– Parent link from system website k12.loudoncounty.org*

Your input on any of the above policies and procedures is valued and appreciated. Please contact Mr. Jason Vance, Director, at the Loudon County Board of Education (458-5411) with any comments or questions relative to this brochure.

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NONDISCRIMINATION POLICY

The Loudon County School System does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or disability in its programs and activities.

NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND (NCLB)

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No Child Left Behind Act (NCLBA)

System & School Status

- *TN State Department of Education reports that the Loudon County System is in "Good Standing" in academic status. The System & School report cards are available at:*

  www.state.tn.us/RptCrd02/

Teacher Qualifications

- *Parents may request information about professional qualifications of their child's teacher(s). If a paraprofessional serves the child, his/her qualifications may also be requested. A request form is available from the Board of Education.*

Parent Involvement Policy

- *The success of each student depends on our success in working together to enable every student to achieve at a high level and to become a self -directed lifelong learner. Our Loudon County District Strategic Plan and individual school improvement plans identify parent and community involvement as a critical element for student success. The following system/school components promote effective parent/community involvement:*

  ~ Parent representation in district and school planning (committees, surveys)

  ~ Parents and the community volunteering services

  ~ A two way communication process that includes:

  ** Weekly progress (i.e., notes, folders, graded assignments, planners)*

  ** Grade cards and standardized achievement test results*

  ** Opportunities for school or parent to request a conference at any time*

  ** Opportunities for parents to visit (i.e. , special events such as breakfast, plays, classrooms)*

  ** A formal complaint process to address needs/concerns.*

- *Title I Schools/Programs shall:*

  ~ Convene an annual meeting inviting all parents , explain their school's program and provide an opportunity for parental input into design

  ~ Share their school's Parent Involvement Policy, encourage involvement , and provide parents an opportunity for input with policy

  ~ Offer additional opportunities for parents to meet

  ~ Develop a school-parent-student compact outlining shared responsibilities in achieving student academic success

  ~ Build capacity by explaining to parents the state's standards and how to monitor their student's progress

  ~ Provide newsletters with specific suggestions on helping students be academically successful

  ~ Provide parents with information on the achievement level of their child on each of the state academic assessments as soon as is practicably possible after the test is taken

  ~ Give timely notice to parents if their child has been assigned or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who is not highly qualified

Loudon County's Parent Involvement Policy can be accessed on our system website at www.loudoncounty.org

Homeless Legislation: *To comply with the McKinney-Vento legislation, a free and appropriate public education will be provided to all homeless children and youth. For information regarding Homeless Education contact Kim McGimsey, Homeless Liaison for the Loudon County School System at (865) 458-5411.*

Transfer Option for Students Victimized by Violent Crime at School

Under the Tennessee State Board of Education's Unsafe School Choice Policy, any public school student who is the victim of a violent crime as defined under Tennessee Code Annotated 40-38-111(g), or the attempt to commit one of these offenses as defined under Tennessee Code Annotated 39-12-101, shall be provided an opportunity to transfer to another grade-level appropriate school within the district.