

GARLAND ISD WILL ENSURE ALL STUDENTS GRADUATE PREPARED FOR COLLEGE, CAREERS AND LIFE BY INCREASING STUDENT PERFORMANCE MEASURES, POSTSECONDARY READINESS, AND GRADUATION RATES AND DECREASING STUDENT MANAGEMENT INCIDENTENCES.



## DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW

- [Dallas Morning News Story](#)
- [Department Website](#)
- Twitter: [@gisdengagement](#)
- YouTube: [GISD FACE Department](#)

## THEORETICAL FRAMEWORK

- [Dual Capacity Framework](#)
- [Four Core Beliefs](#)
- [National PTA Standards](#)

## DEPARTMENT INITIATIVES

- [Partnership School Program](#) (Sam Houston Middle School, Park Crest, Weaver, Pearson, Watson)
- [Parent Workshops](#) (Literacy, Parenting)
- Skyward Family Access Campus Based Parent Workshops
- [First Steps](#)
- Scholastic Summer Reading Program #GISDreads
- [Evening Study Center](#)
- [Family Digital Literacy Program](#)
- Title I Parent Involvement
- Promote [volunteer opportunities](#)
- Promoting diverse community [cultural performance groups](#)

## RESOURCES

- *Powerful Partnerships: A Teacher's Guide to Engaging Families for Student Success* by Karen Mapp
- *Beyond the Bake Sale: The Essential Guide to Family/School Partnerships* by Anne T. Henderson
- [National PTA Center for Family Engagement](#)
- [Title I, Part A Parent and Family Engagement Statewide Initiative](#)