The attached document was created by members of the District's Coordinated School Health Committee. The document was created to help principals and others to have the local district policies and state and federal laws in one condensed and concise document to reference easily. The document includes what the current policies and laws were at the time of the document's creation. The document will be updated accordingly as policies and laws are changing currently. Initial principal feedback regarding these documents is positive and best practices documents will also be created.

## Summary of Current Federal, State, and Local Regulations and Policies Relevant to Family and Community Involvement

Updated 9/30/2013

## Family and Community Involvement

An integrated school, parent, and community approach can enhance the health and well-being of students. School health advisory councils, coalitions, and broadly based constituencies for school health can build support for school health program efforts. Schools actively solicit parent involvement and engage community resources and services to respond more effectively to the health-

related needs of students.

## **Regulations and Policies**

Note: If policies differ, the most stringent policy will apply.

Federal	Website/References
1. Title 1 Program	Title 1, Part A Handbook for 2012-13
<ul> <li>Annual Evaluation: An annual evaluation of the effectiveness of the school's Parent Involvement Policy and activities must be conducted.</li> <li>School Parent Involvement Policy: Each Title 1 school must jointly develop, agree upon, and distribute to parents of participating Title 1 children a written parental involvement policy.</li> <li>School-Parent Compact: All Title 1 participating schools must develop a school-parent compact jointly with parents of Title 1 participating students.</li> <li>Annual Meeting: All Title 1 schools must convene an annual meeting, at a convenient time, and invite parents of participating children. The meeting should inform parents of their school's participation in Title 1, Part A, and explain the requirements of the parent involvement statute and the parent's right to be involved.</li> <li>*Adapted from Title 1, Part A Handbook for 2012-13.</li> </ul>	Office of Next Generation of Schools and Districts Division of Consolidated Plans and Audits, Kentucky Department of Education.  Parent Involvement NCLB, Title 1, Part A, Section 1118 School Level Requirements (pages 71-73).
2. Federal Head Start Program Performance Standards:	
<ul> <li>Parent involvement in health, nutrition, and mental health education.</li> <li>Advisory committees: Each grantee directly operating an Early Head Start or Head Start program, and each delegate agency, must establish and maintain a Health Services Advisory Committee which includes Head Start parents, professionals, and other volunteers from the community.</li> </ul>	1304.40(f) 1304.41(b)
State	Website/References
1. <b>School-based Decision Making:</b> Elementary or secondary educational institutions that are under the administrative control of a principal and are not a program or part of another program are required to form a school-based decision making (SBDM) council, composed of two parents, three teachers, and the principal or administrator. This school council shall provide an environment to enhance student achievement.	KRS 160.345 KRS 160.160 KRS 160.290 http://www.lrc.ky.gov/Statutes/statute.aspx?id=42589
2. <b>Family Resource and Youth Service Centers</b> : Designed to meet the	KRS 156.496
needs of children and their families by providing services to enhance a students' ability to succeed in school.	http://www.lrc.ky.gov/Statutes/statute.aspx?id=3207
Grants to Local School Districts for Family Resource and Youth Service Centers	KRS 156.4977 http://www.lrc.ky.gov/statutes/statute.aspx?id=3210



Local	Website/References
1. District Planning	JCPS BOE Policy 01.111
"The plan shall be updated on an annual basis, provide assistance in	
reducing physical, mental health, and academic barriers to learning, and	
address student equity."	
2. Policies related to SBDM	
<ul> <li>Exemption</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy 02.413
Alternative Models	JCPS BOE Policy 02.414
Election of School Council Members	JCPS BOE Policy 02.421
School Council Authority	JCPS BOE Policy 02.422
School Council Meetings	JCPS BOE Policy 02.423
<ul> <li>School Council Relationships</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy 02.4231
School Council Policies	JCPS BOE Policy 02.4241
Appeal of Decisions	JCPS BOE Policy 02.42411
<ul> <li>School Budget and Purchasing</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy 02.4242 JCPS BOE Policy 02.4244
School Hiring	JCPS BOE Policy 02.4244 JCPS BOE Policy 02.431
<ul> <li>Training of School Council Members</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy 02.431 JCPS BOE Policy 02.4331
<ul> <li>School Staffing (SBDM)</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy 02.432
Waiver of Board Policy	Jet 3 Boll I oney 02.432
3. Use of Tobacco (certified staff)	JCPS BOE Policy 03.1327
4. Community Use of School Facilities	JCPS BOE Policy 05.3
5. Safety (Transportation)	JCPS BOE Policy 6.2
When students who are under seven (7) years old and between forty (40)	
and fifty (50) inches in height are transported in District-owned or leased	
vehicles designed for ten (10) or fewer passengers, they shall be properly	
secured in a child booster seat.	
6. Relationships with Community Organizations	JCPS BOE Policy 10.3
7. Parent/Family Involvement	JCPS BOE Policy 10.31
8. Visitors to Schools	JCPS BOE Policy 10.5
9. Gifted and Talented Students	JCPS BOE Policy GT 08.132
10. Policies Related to Uniform Progression, Promotion, and Grading	
<ul> <li>Uniform Student Progression, Promotion, and Grading</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy IKA
Student Conferences	JCPS BOE Policy IKAC
Parent Conferences	JCPS BOE Policy IKAD
<ul> <li>Homework</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy IKB
<ul> <li>Acceleration</li> </ul>	JCPS BOE Policy IKEB
Early Graduation	JCPS BOE Policy IKFA
11. Student Wellness	JCPS BOE Policy JI
12. Title I and Head Start- Parental Involvement	JCPS BOE Policy KCA

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Best practices regarding wellness are always encouraged. For more information regarding these policies, contact JCPS Community Support Services at 485-3056.

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