

GASTON HIGH SCHOOL

Parent/Family Engagement 2020-2021



OUR MISSION

A Gaston Bulldog will be great and graduate as a respectful, resourceful, and responsible citizen who is college and career ready.

DREAM, BELIEVE, ACHIEVE

EVENTS

Parents are invited to attend and volunteer at many events including:

- Meet and Greet
- Grades 7-12 Orientation
- PTSO Meetings
- Homecoming Events
- Field Trips
- Book Fairs
- Annual Title I Parent Meeting
- Fundraisers
- Senior Parent Night
- Athletic Events
- Gaston High School Athletic Club

COMMUNICATION

The school will communicate with parents through:

- Messenger-Text messaging and/or voicemail
- School Newsletter
- School Website
- District Website
- Written Notes
- Email
- Remind App
- School Marquee
- Local Media
- Progress Reports every four and a half weeks
- Report cards every nine weeks
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- School-Parent Compact

FUNDS

The parental involvement funds will be used to purchase:

- Mailing out report cards or progress reports
- Brochures with information about homework help, technology tips, and school success
- School planners for all students

The Title I funds will be used to purchase:

- Technology for students
- Title I Teacher salaries
- Classroom size sets of books
- Test prep materials
- IXL –Reading and Math

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

PTSO Officers

Becky Bagley, President
 Jill Albert, Vice-President
 Crystal Vance, Treasurer
 Richard Tant, Secretary

Parent Advisory Committee

Lee Wadsworth
 Cassie Skaggs
 Jennifer Collins
 Tammy George
 Richard Tant
 Becky Bagley
 Jill Bouldin

GASTON HIGH SCHOOL IS A TITLE I SCHOOL

Gaston High School is a Title I School with a Schoolwide Plan in place. A schoolwide program is built on schoolwide reform strategies and serves all students in the school. The purpose is to generate high levels of academic achievement in core subject areas for all students. High quality instruction, comprehensive reform strategies and methods are all based on the use of scientifically researched based materials, professional development, and the consolidated use of funds to ensure high levels of academic achievement.

Parents are encouraged to take part in the activities offered each year at Gaston School. Stay updated about our school's activities and our ongoing efforts towards continuous improvement by visiting our website.

<https://gaston.ecboe.org>

Parents may request and the school will provide in a timely manner, information regarding the professional qualifications of your student's classroom teachers. To obtain this information, please contact Mrs. Tiffany Scott , Federal Programs Director of Etowah County Schools at (256) 549-7565.

To view the complete Title I Parent/Family Engagement Plan, visit www.gaston.ecboe.org.