



## Parental Involvement Policy United World International School (UWIS)

United World International School (UWIS) recognizes the crucial role parents and guardians play in their child's education and development. This Parental Involvement Policy outlines our commitment to fostering a strong partnership between the school and parents, in alignment with the guidelines provided by the Council of International Schools (CIS) and other international schools. By working together, we can create a supportive and enriching learning environment for our students.

- 1. Shared Responsibility:** At UWIS, we believe that education is a shared responsibility between the school, parents, and the community. We encourage parents to actively participate in their child's education and engage in collaborative decision-making processes. We aim to establish open lines of communication and provide opportunities for parents to contribute their insights and expertise.
- 2. Communication:** UWIS is committed to maintaining effective communication channels with parents. We will provide regular updates on school activities, policies, and programs through a variety of means, such as newsletters, emails, the school's website, and social media platforms. Additionally, we will organize parent-teacher conferences, workshops, and information sessions to discuss student progress, curriculum, and any relevant issues.
- 3. Parental Engagement Opportunities:** We value and encourage parental involvement in various school activities and initiatives. UWIS will offer opportunities for parents to participate in school events, committees, and volunteer programs. Parents may contribute their time, skills, and resources to enhance the educational experience for all students. We will also establish parent support groups to foster connections among parents and facilitate the sharing of experiences and ideas.
- 4. Curriculum and Learning Support:** UWIS recognizes the importance of parental support in students' academic success. We will provide resources and guidance to parents to help them understand the curriculum, teaching methods, and assessment practices. Workshops and informational sessions will be organized to assist parents in supporting their child's learning at home. Parents will be encouraged to communicate with teachers to understand their child's progress and discuss strategies for improvement.
- 5. Home-School Partnerships:** UWIS promotes active partnerships between parents and teachers to create a cohesive learning experience. We encourage parents to engage in regular communication with teachers, attend parent-teacher conferences, and participate in progress discussions. We will provide a platform for parents to share concerns, suggestions, and feedback, and ensure that it is duly considered in decision-making processes.



6. **Parent Education and Empowerment:** UWIS is committed to providing parents with opportunities for ongoing education and empowerment. We will organize workshops, seminars, and training sessions to enhance parental skills, knowledge, and understanding of relevant educational topics. These sessions may cover areas such as child development, learning strategies, and effective communication techniques.
7. **Respect and Inclusivity:** UWIS values diversity and aims to create an inclusive environment where all parents feel respected, valued, and welcome. We will ensure that our policies, practices, and communication are sensitive to cultural, linguistic, and individual differences. We will also encourage parents to actively participate in promoting an inclusive and respectful atmosphere within the school community.
8. **Policy Review and Evaluation:** UWIS will periodically review and evaluate the Parental Involvement Policy to ensure its effectiveness and relevance. Feedback from parents, staff, and other stakeholders will be considered during this process. Any necessary updates or amendments will be communicated to parents in a timely manner.

By adopting this Parental Involvement Policy, UWIS aims to strengthen the partnership between the school and parents, ultimately enhancing the educational experience and success of our students. Together, we can create a supportive and enriching environment where every child can thrive.