

## **DeKalb Alternative School**

## PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020-2021 School Year

\*Due to COVID-19 dates will be released upon DCSD and CDC Guidelines for the 2020-2021 School Year\*

Date	Time	Title of Event	Description of Activities
Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2020	4:30-6:00 PM	Title I Stakeholder's Input Meetings	During this meeting, stakeholders can share in the decision-making process for the development of the Continuous School Improvement Plan (CSIP), Parent and Family Engagement Policy, the School-Family Compact, Building Staff Capacity, the 1% Parent and Family Engagement Set-Aside, and the Parent and Family Engagement Calendar of Events.
Wednesday, October 7, 2020	3:30- 5:00 PM	Title I Annual Meeting	All parents and stakeholders are invited to this meeting to learn about the Title I Program for the 2020-2021 school year and how this will benefit their children.
Tuesday & Thursday Every Week 2020-2021	1:15 -2:15 PM	Parent Orientation Meetings (Entry Conferences)	During this orientation meeting The DAS Title I School-Wide information is shared, parents sign The Compacts, all school rules, regulations, expectations, initiatives and upcoming programs are discussed and parents are given survey information for their on-going input.
Monday -Thursday 2020-2021	3:30-4:30 PM	After School Tutorial Programs	After school tutorials support students with small group instruction in the various academic areas throughout the school year. Best practices and strategies are given to support continued learning at home.
Thursdays 2020-2021	3:30-4:30 PM	"A Better Me" or "Men of Distinction" Mentoring Groups	These mentoring groups meet after school to support students in improving academics, behaviors, social-emotional learning, as well as decision-making abilities. Parents and students participate in a variety of activities throughout the school year.

Thursday 2020	3:30-5:30 PM	Science Parent Engagement Forum	The Science Forum features interactive displays and student-facilitated centers with teachers as support. Parents will engage in hands-on projects and activities as they learn about the math curriculum and how to assist their child to improve their math academics at home.
Thursday 2020	3:30-5:30 PM	English Language Arts (ELA) Parent Engagement Forum	The ELA Forum features interactive displays and student-facilitated centers with teachers as support. Parents will engage in hands-on projects and activities as they learn about the ELA curriculum and how to assist their child to improve their ELA academics at home.
Thursday 2021	3:30-5:30 PM	Social Studies Parent Engagement Forum	The Social Studies Forum features interactive displays and student-facilitated centers with teachers as support. Parents will engage in hands-on projects and activities as they learn about the social studies curriculum and how to help their child improve their academics at home.
Thursday 2021	3:30-5:30 PM	Math Parent Engagement Forum	The Math Forum features interactive displays and student-facilitated centers with teachers as support. Parents will engage in hands-on projects and activities as they learn about the math curriculum and how to assist their child to improve their math academics at home.
Upon Request of Parent	Varied-Flexible	Parent-Teacher Conferences	Parents are invited to attend Parent-Teacher Conference. Parents will meet with teacher, and/or administrator to discuss their child's academic, behavioral, and social emotional progress. Appointments may be made by contacting DeKalb Alternative School at (678) 676-2302.
On-going	3:30-5:30 PM	Transition Meeting	Parents and guardians are invited to attend an informational session to learn about the transition into High School. Parents will learn about the High School curriculum and best practices to prepare their children for school.
On-going	Virtual	College 101	Join the Region VI Post-Secondary Transition Specialist and Agnes Scott College as you embark on your college application journey. Sessions are designed to assist scholars with successful tools and tips in scholarship searching and college essay writing. (Contact your DAS counselor for registration information)