 Revision Date: 08/2025

ONE-YEAR ACTION PLAN

*SCHEDULE OF SCHOOL, FAMILY, AND COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS TO REACH SCHOOL GOALS*

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| **School: Huntington Middle** | | **School Year: 2025-2026** | | | |
| **GOAL 1: ACADEMIC: To have 50% of the lowest 25% of students reading at or above the appropriate grade level Lexile by May 20, 2026. Monitoring will take place two times during the school year.** | | | | | |
| PARENT-BASED ACTIVITIES | **DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITIES** | | **DATES OF ACTIVITIES** | GRADE LEVEL(S) | **PERSONS IN CHARGE AND HELPING** |
| Open House: Lexile Night  SHALL: Curriculum Standard and Literacy | This event will help parents understand the meaning of the Lexile Score and how to help their child improve their score. Strategies for improvement of scores will be provided to parents. College and Career Ready information was also provided. Parents also have the opportunity to follow their child’s schedule, visiting all content areas. | | August 26, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  All Faculty |
| Lunch & Learn:  How to Help Your  Child Be Successful and  Organized in School  SHALL: Curriculum Standards | This training is to inform parents how they can help their child build the skills necessary to manage the increasing demands put on their time. Hands-on exercise and case studies help them access their current time-management skills, develop strategies for achieving short-and-long-term goals, create a weekly planner, prioritize tasks, conquer clutter, and more. This training also encourages parents to take an active role in their child’s academic life. We want to describe the challenges children face as they enter middle school and practical tips for parents and students on making a smooth transition. | | September 17, 2025 | ALL | FEL \_ Ms. Allen  Counselors – Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Roberts |
| ESOL Parent Workshop  SHALL: ESOL | This event is intended to help ESOL parents learn the importance of supporting their child’s education success. | | August 6, 2025 | ALL | **ESOL Teacher** – Ms. Dempsey  ESOL Parent/Student Liaison |
| Parent–Teacher Conferences  SHALL: Curriculum Standards | Parents meet with teachers to discuss academic and behavioral issues to promote students' success in school and at home. | | October 13, 2025  On-Going | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **ALL Faculty** |
| Open House:  STEM Night  SHALL: Curriculum Standards | Parents will see how we are getting ready to integrate an interdisciplinary approach to learning that provides hands-on and relevant learning experiences for students. STEM teaching and learning goes beyond the mere transfer of knowledge. It engages students and equips them with critical thinking, problem-solving, creative and collaborative skills, and ultimately establishes connections between the school, workplace, community and the global economy. Parents will learn how with STEM, students can understand and apply math and science concepts, the foundations for success in college and career readiness. | | October 20, 2025 | ALL | FEL - Ms. Allen  **All Math and Science Teachers**  Thomas Olgesby  Harris Jackson  R. L. Johnson  Grady Bennett  Richardson Jordan  Williams Reynolds  D. Todd Wynn  Woodley Bess  Duncan McKenzie  Ragin Ray  Cherry King  Woodward Colbert  Simpson Lofland |
| Lunch and Learn (Homework and Study Habits)  SHALL: Curriculum Standards  ` | This training is to help parents identify common homework challenges and learning styles. We will map out study habits, learn tips for success and identify mapping strategies for organization. | | November 20, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |
| Open House:  Literacy Night  SHALL: Literacy | This event provides Break Out Sessions and Interactive Activities for Parents and students. Parents will learn the importance of Reading and ways they can make reading fun with their child. Door Prizes and treats were provided. Dinner will be provided by one of our Community Partners. | | November 17, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **All ELA Teachers**  Nelson T. Askew  M. Askew Styles  Jacobs Jenkins  S. Todd Bess  M. Johnson Lee  S. McGhee Ervin  R. Johnson Heath  P. McGhee |
| Technology Night: Talking Points, ALEKS, Progress Learning, MAP and IXL Workshop  SHALL: Technology | Talking Points, ALEKS, Progress Learning and IXL are valuable online test tools that students can use inside or outside of school from any computer with web access to help them prep for the EOG test. These tools are fun, easy to use and provide many features that will help students succeed. Students will be able to access a variety of tests, practice activities, games, and much more designed to keep students actively learning and preparing for the Georgia Milestones End of Grade test. | | November 17, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **Faculty**  Drummond  Townsend  Olson  Blackwell |
| Open House:  Grade Level Subject  Content Parent Day  SHALL: Curriculum Standards | The objective of this day is to engage the parents in the Common Core Performance Standards & empower parents with practical tools so that they will enhance student learning at home. Parents will be divided up by teams and experience different Reading, Social Studies, Language Arts, Math and Science exercises. Teachers will display hands-on activities to demonstrate a day in academic classes here at Huntington Middle School. | | December 8, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **ALL Faculty** |
| Lunch and Learn: Study  Guides – How To Help Your  Child Prepare for Semester  Finals  SHALL: Curriculum Standards | This training is intended to help parents understand the purpose of study guides and help prepare their child for semester finals. We will stress the importance of completing study guides and using them as a study tool. | | December 11, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms Allen |
| Open House: GMAS Info and  Prep for Parents  (EOG Night)  SHALL: Testing | Parents will be given information on the current testing system. We will provide the format, scoring, study material and helpful websites for parents to help their child prepare at home. | | January 27, 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **Ms. Wildes**  **All Faculty** |
| Lunch & Learn (How to Help  Your Child Prepare for  Standardized Testing  SHALL: Testing | This training will help parents understand the main types of standardized test their child will take. They will receive tips on how to help their child do their very best on tests. They will also learn the reasons for standardized testing and how the results are used. | | February 11, 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **Counselors** – Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Roberts |

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| **GOAL 2: WELCOMING CLIMATE: Increase the percentage of parents that feel welcome at school.** | | | | | |
| PARENT-BASED ACTIVITIES | **DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITIES** | | **DATES OF ACTIVITIES** | GRADE LEVEL(S) | **PERSONS IN CHARGE AND HELPING** |
| Meet and Greet | This event allows families to visit their child’s school prior to the first day. | | July 25, 2025 | ALL | **All Staff** |
| Annual Title I Meeting | The purpose of this meeting is to inform parents of what it means to be a part of a Title I school. School staff will discuss with parents Title I Plans, curriculum, budgets, parent input and rights as well as family engagement for the agenda provided by Ga DOE. | | August 26, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  Administration |
| Houston County Resource Guide  Houston Co. Family Connections | This resource brochure is available to parents in the Parent Resource Center and during all parent events. The guide lists many of the services and supports that are available throughout the Houston County community. | | On-going | All students and families | FEL |
| Family Night at the Book Fair | Scholastic Book Fairs: students, parents and the community purchase books; extended hours for parents and the community. | | August 26, 2025 | ALL | **Media Specialist** – Ms. Blackwell |
| Grits with Grandparents | In celebration of Grandparents Day, we invited all Grandparents to breakfast for Grits with Grandparents. We offered this time for grandparents and grandchild(ren) to spend time together. We presented the grandparents with a key chain or a Pin in recognition of their day. | | September 5, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |
| Thanksgiving Luncheon | Families are invited to have lunch with their students to celebrate the holiday season. | | November 20, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |
| Christmas Luncheon | Families are invited to have lunch with their students to celebrate the holiday season | | December 11, 2025 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |
| Donuts for Dads | As a jester of our Open Door policy for parents, we included this activity to invite male figures of our students to come out and share donuts with their students. This non-academic event allows males to show a presence in our school and for the school to show uniformity with parents and families. | | January 16, 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |
| Family Movie Night | This event is a Family Fun Event. Families are invited out for a free movie. The movie is shown on the lawn or in the cafeteria if the weather is a factor. All in attendance received free popcorn. | | March 26, 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |
| Month of the Military Child | Houston County Schools is proud to partner with Robins AFB to celebrate our military students. HMS will provide activities to involve the entire family during this month. | | April 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **Counselors** – Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Roberts, **Military Counselor**, **Faculty and Staff** |
| Muffins for Moms | In celebration of Mother’s Day and as a jester of our Open Day policy, we included this activity to invite all mothers and female figures in the lives of our students the opportunity to come out and share muffins with their students. This is not an academic event, just an opportunity to create a warm climate for communication and visiting. | | May 8, 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen |

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| **GOAL 3: SHARED DECISION MAKING (SDM): Increase the number of parents who participate in shared decision-making opportunities.** | | | | | |
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| Shared Decision Making Meeting for Parents – Voices for the Vision | **Primary Source for Input**  Parents are given the opportunity to provide their input regarding Title I plans, compacts, budget and programs during an in-person meeting. The information gathered is used to help plan for the next school year. | | March 2026 | ALL | FEL |
| Shared Decision Making Meeting for Faculty – Voices for the Vision  and  PD “Can You Hear Me Now?” | Teachers are given the opportunity to provide their input regarding Title I plans, compacts, budget and programs during an in-person faculty meeting. The information gathered is used to help plan for the next school year. The Parent Satisfaction Survey results are shared and discussed. | | March-April 2026 | ALL | FEL |
| Parent Action Team Meeting  **(1 required meeting by the end of the 1st semester)** | **Primary Source for Input**  All parents are invited to attend and give feedback regarding any issues of concern to them. | | September 17, 2025 | ALL | FEL |
| Parent Satisfaction Survey | **Secondary Source for Input**  Parents are given the opportunity to provide their input regarding the Title I program, budget and supports via an online or hard copy survey. The information gathered is used to help plan for the next school year. | | January 2026 | ALL | DFEC, FEL |
| Online Feedback Form | **Secondary Source for Input**  Parents have an on-going opportunity to provide input regarding the Title I program, budget and supports via an online feedback form. The information gathered is used to help plan for the next school year. Each Title school has the link to the feedback form on its school FE webpage. | | On-going | ALL | FEL |
| Surveys, Questionnaires or Q&A sessions during Academic-based Parent Events | **Mixed Source for Input**  Parents are given an opportunity to provide feedback regarding academic parent workshops and events. | | On-going | ALL | FEL |

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| **GOAL 4: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR STAFF: Increase the faculty and staff’s understanding of the importance of parent engagement and how to communicate with and work with parents as partners. *(2 opportunities per semester requirement)*** | | | | | |
| PD ACTIVITIES | **TOPICS and DESCRIPTIONS** | | **DATES OF ACTIVITIES** | GRADE LEVEL(S) | **PERSONS IN CHARGE AND HELPING** |
| PD of Staff #1:  **“Together We Can Grow With Stronger Communication” –**  **HCSD App** | This PD covers the common methods schools use to communicate with parents and introduces the new HCDS App. It also provides information to staff on ways to connect families to resources and support personnel. The focus is to improve two-way communication between home and school. A copy of the 1-year Action Plan will be provided to staff and reviewed. | | July 28,  2025 | All Faculty | FEL |
| PD of Staff #2:  **“How to use the School-Parent Compact during Conferences”** | During this PD, the content of the School Parent Compact(s) will be reviewed with teachers/counselors. Staff will be reminded of the requirements regarding reviewing the Compact with parents during conferences, as well as the correct way to document this feedback and collaboration opportunity. | | September-October  2025 | All Faculty | FEL |
| PD of Staff #3  **“Self-Check – How’s it Going?”** | This PD is an opportunity to evaluate the uses, responses and communication capabilities of the HCSD App between school and home. | | February 2026 | All Faculty | FEL |
| PD of Staff #4:  **“Can You Hear Me Now?”**  **and**  **Voices for the Vision Faculty SDM** | During this PD, the results of the Parent Satisfaction Survey will be shared with school staff. School Staff will also have the opportunity to give their input during the Shared Discussion Making portion of the meeting. | | March-April 2026 | All Faculty | FEL |

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| **GOAL 5: TRANSITION: Increase the amount of support provided to families as students transition through school. Increase the coordination/collaboration efforts with early education programs and college career-ready resources.** | | | | | |
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| Rising 6th Grade Students and Parents Visitation | This is an opportunity for Rising 6th Graders to visit HMS with their class and teachers. A brief introduction of is presented by the administrators. HMS Band and Chorus will perform. Different Clubs and the Athletic Dept. will give a spill of their requirements. Parents are welcome and encourage to attend. | | March 17, 2026 | 6TH Grade | FEL – Ms. Allen  **Counselors** – Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Roberts |
| Middle School 101 | Information and communication are two very important tools for middle school parents. This workshop is for those families new to HMS and was designed to let parents know where they can get the information they want about their student’s grades, assignments, attendance, activities, etc., and how they can communicate with the school. | | August 26, 2025  January 27, 2026 | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen  **Counselors** – Mrs. Gibson and Mrs. Roberts |

Examples:

HS - Academic Advisement, FAFSA, CTAE, Dual Enrollment, AP, College Fair, Rising 9th grade Parent Night

MS- Rising 6th Grade Parent Night, Middle School 101

ES- Collaborative Mtg with MG HeadStart, Away to K, Early Learning Center Packets

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| **GOAL 6: COMMUNITY COLLABORATION: Increase community engagement and participation in school activities.** | | | | | |
| C.C. ACTIVITIES | **DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITIES** | | **DATES OF ACTIVITIES** | GRADE LEVEL(S) | **PERSONS IN CHARGE AND HELPING** |
| Big Brother/Big  Sister Mentorship at HM | Volunteers in the BBBS program are matched with a student for mentoring. They will meet once a week for about an hour to talk about and work on reading, working on schoolwork, playing games, sports, etc. The activities take place during the school hours and only at school. | | SY 2025-2026 On Going | ALL | FEL – Ms. Allen BBBS Program |
| StarBase 2.0 | StarBase 2.0 is a Department of Defense after-school mentoring club that focuses on hands-on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics), goal setting, and team-building activities. This club is designed to enhance student engagement in STEM subjects and provide the opportunity for students to explore enrichment activities in a safe environment. The club meets on Tuesdays from 3:30-5:30 pm. | | SY 2025-2026 On Going | ALL | Community Partners |
| Mentoring | Community Partners will come once a week to mentor a group of young men. This program is designed to Motivate Students in their Academics, to build Character Education, Behavior Motivation, Self-Control and Awareness, Social Skills, Self-Respect, etc. | | SY 2025-2026 On Going | ALL | Omega Psi Phi Community Partner  Christian Men Mentoring, Serving in the Community |
| Backpack Buddies | This program provides food to children who need additional food for the weekend. The program provides bags of food on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month. Teachers can refer a student, a student can sign themselves up or parents can sign the family up for the program. The church delivers the food bags and the bags are distributed to the students. | | SY 2025-2026 On Going | ALL | Bonaire United Methodist Church  First Baptist Church of Warner Robins |