## **Morrow Elementary School**

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## **Spring Evaluation Summary**

Analysis of the data collected from the 2019 Annual Spring Survey and from The Focus Group questionnaire shows parents feel Morrow Elementary School (MES) does a great job communicating with parents. They find many of the programs and activities in place at MES very useful and beneficial to both parents and students. A common theme in many response is, "Great job! Continue to do what you are doing". However, there is large number of parents who cannot attend the activities due to work conflicts, scheduling issues, and or lack of or not enough notice of events.

The primary method of notifying parents of activities is sending home information with students. This method has a few critical areas of failure: students do not relay information to their parents in a timely manner; information does not go home as scheduled; parents do not check student folders for information. Increased use of email has helped to improve delivery of information to parents. Several parents have commented they enjoy receiving emails regarding school events and activities. Also, the use of text messaging applications will help as well. Collaboration with class room teachers to gain access to parent cell numbers is a viable solution.

To combat the issue of schedule conflicts or the inability to attend parent workshops, online solutions are being explored. Several parents request on-line access to workshops, information, etc. All Title I parent notification is posted on the school website in addition to being sent home to parents. The amount of information posted on the school website will be expanded to include as much information as possible.

Many parents are pleased with the administration, faculty, and staff here at MES. They stated the school is open and has a welcoming environment. A few dissenting parents were unclear on the rules and policies of MES and /or Clayton County Public Schools. Efforts will be made to inform all parents of the rules and policies.

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