Clarifying Family Engagement and Volunteer Support Positions

MTSS Family Engagement Facilitator This position is district-based. Each Family Engagement Facilitator is assigned to all schools within a specific feeder pattern/cohort. Responsibilities include:	Family Engagement Site Contact This position is site-based, and must be filled by a certified staff member and funded through a Level A supplemental. Responsibilities include:	Volunteer Site Contact The person filling this position (staff member, parent or community member) is responsible for coordinating school volunteers and volunteer activity. Responsibilities include:
 Working with Principals, MTSS Leadership Teams, Cohort Support Teams and Instructional Coaches to support family engagement components of MTSS. Creating a support system for each cohort of family engagement contacts through monthly training sessions and follow-up activities. Attending Family Engagement Teams meeting for schools in their assigned cohort to present strategies and resources and to support development and implementation of Family Engagement Action Plans. Assisting with planning and presenting Family Engagement and MTSS information at Volunteer Site Contact monthly meetings. Developing researched-based materials that will be disseminated to staff through training sessions and the family engagement website. Ensuring Title 1 compliance through support to schools on compacts, policies and the District Parent Advisory Council. 	 Providing leadership and facilitation to the school Family Engagement Team in efforts to implement MTSS. Attending monthly Family Engagement Site Contact meetings to acquire information on research, best practices and resources. Establishing a link from district training to Family Engagement Teams to staff. Utilizing resources from training meetings and the family engagement website to support team and staff planning. Helping to build capacity in their buildings to welcome, honor and connect all families. Sharing resource materials to support team and school-wide implementation of Family Engagement Action Plan, compact and policy. Participating in the evaluation of family engagement practices to ensure fidelity of implementation. All resources are available on the family engagement website: www.familyengagement.weebly.com 	 Working collaboratively with school and district staff, parents and community members to recruit, train and assign volunteers. Participating in monthly Volunteer Site Contact training. Coordinating efforts to support tutors, mentors and other school volunteers. Surveying families and working with building staff to identify school volunteer needs. Assisting in aligning volunteer efforts with MTSS (academic and behavior goals) and school improvement. Identifying and supporting school connections with business and community partners. Coordinating volunteer efforts with family engagement, Site Council and community initiatives. Working with staff to provide ongoing recognition for all volunteers. Maintaining documentation of volunteer and partner hours and activities.

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