

# **West Virginia** Family Engagement Center

Strengthening Students, Families, Schools & Communities



### Who We Are:

The West Virginia Family Engagement Center (WVFEC) provides customized, evidence-based approaches to family engagement that improve student achievement through stronger schoolfamily-community partnerships.

#### **Our Goals:**



Increase family engagement in all 55 WV counties through applied knowledge.



Enhance family well-being, strengthen educational connections, and promote stability through tailored family engagement opportunities.

### **Key Service Areas**

We deliver comprehensive support across five key service areas:





**Culture** Building



**Elevated** Communication



**Foundation** Building



Readiness

### Partner with us!

Let's explore how we can work together to strengthen connections and enhance family engagement across West Virginia!



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### What We Offer:

#### **Training & Resources**

- Customized training and resources for rural Appalachian communities
- Annual Family & Community Engagement Summit (virtual and accessible statewide)
- Regional workshops for schools and families
- Professional learning opportunities
- Quarterly Stakeholder Advisory Council

96%

of WVFEC Summit attendees plan to implement new practices as a result of participation

### **Leadership Development**

- L.I.F.E. Program: Team-based leadership development for school leaders
- WV Family Engagement Fellows: Initiative designed to recognize and celebrate Family Engagement Leaders across West Virginia (Spring 2025 Kickoff)
- Everyday Leaders Program: Caregiver focused leadership programming that empowers caregivers by building their capacity to actively engage with their child's education

98%

of LIFE participants report enhanced family engagement at their schools

### **School Support & Consulting**

- Customized school-level coaching for sustainable family engagement
- Family well-being initiatives
- Strategic Doing for family engagement stakeholders



