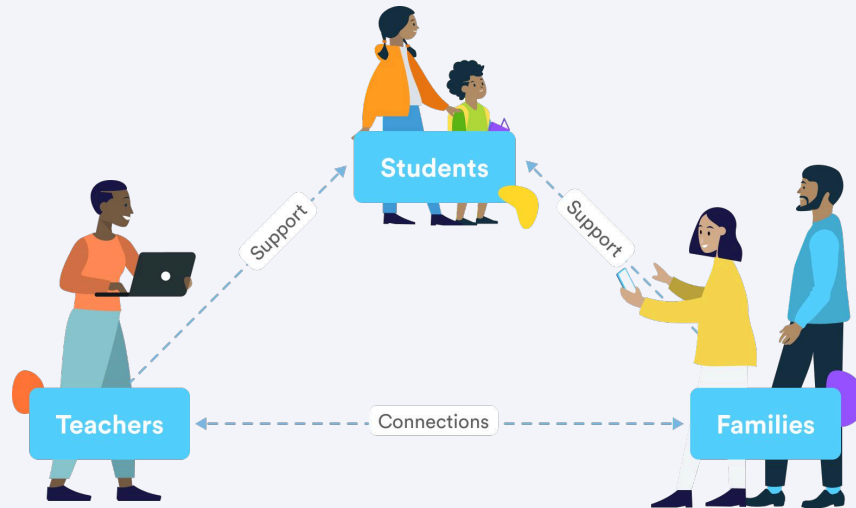


TALKINGPOINTS SIGN-IN

Unlocking the potential of ALL families with
two-way translated family engagement



We are excited to announce that we are partnering with TalkingPoints to provide a way to connect with families through two-way, translated communication. Families receive a text in their preferred home language. They can respond in that language, and it is translated back into English for the teachers and staff to read.

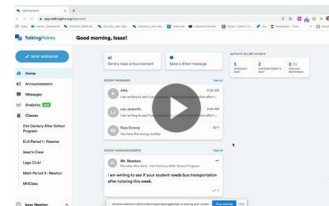
TO LOGIN

Click the button below and use your district or school credentials to sign in



GETTING STARTED IS EASY!

Watch this [quick video](#) to learn how to send your first message or announcement and start building meaningful relationships with your students' families.



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FAQs

Why is this needed?

We want to close the communication gap with our families whose primary language is not English. They may not use email, and texting is often the fastest way to reach them with a question or reminder.

Is this for all students and families?

Yes. Even though the translation component is important, this tool can be used for sending a text to any family.

When would I use this instead of another tool?

TalkingPoints should be used when you want to receive a response from a parent/guardian.

What are examples of how I would use this?

- Office staff may reach out to a parent/guardian if their student is absent or tardy.
- Teachers may reach out regarding a grade or assignment if other forms of communication are not successful.
- Principals can send school wide communication if they want to share an announcement that requires a response from parents/guardians.

How many languages are supported?

TalkingPoints translates into 150 languages and continues to add more each year.

Will I need to use my own cell phone?

No. TalkingPoints can be accessed through a district desktop or laptop. A smartphone app is available but not required.

What does this replace?

Because we have purchased a districtwide license, this should replace any free version of TalkingPoints currently used by staff.