

The Role of the School

- Deliver **high-quality instruction** in a positive learning environment.
- Hold parent-teacher conferences and provide parents with **frequent communication** on the child's progress.
- Host parent involvement and family **engagement opportunities** throughout the year.
- Include opportunities for parents to **volunteer and participate** in their child's educational career.
- Provide **joint decision-making** opportunities.

Parents and Guardians

- Monitor your **child's attendance**.
- Ensure **homework** is completed.
- Supervise the amount of time your child uses **electronic devices** or watches television.
- **Volunteer** in your child's classroom.
- Participate in any **collaborative decision-making** related to your child's education.
- Promote positive use of your child's **extracurricular time**.
- **Stay informed** of your child's education and communicate with the school.

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Carroll County Public Schools'
Title I Program



What is Title I?

Title I is the largest federally funded program with-in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) and authorized under the newest legislation, Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) of 2015.

This program provides federal funds to school districts, including Carroll County, to ensure all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high-quality education and reach proficiency on academic achievement standards and academic assessments.

In Carroll County, elementary schools identified as having the highest free and reduced meal percentages are selected to receive Title I funds and programming.

Involvement

Family involvement/engagement opportunities are available at all Title I schools. Contact your child’s school for more information.

Services Available

Title I services may include academic, social and emotional, and family involvement/engagement opportunities at the school. Students may receive additional instructional support in reading and or math through supplementary learning. These instructional opportunities are provided by certified teachers and may occur during the school day, before or after school, or during the summer.

Families have opportunities to participate in family learning events throughout the year, including conference nights and activities designed for family involvement/engagement and learning.

“Together, It’s Possible.”



Program Options

Title I offers two models of support: targeted assistance and schoolwide support. Schools with free and reduced meal percentages at 40% or greater may be identified to implement a Title I Schoolwide program and a Title I Targeted Assistance program designated to support all students at the school.

Elmer Wolfe, Robert Moton, Taneytown Elementary Schools, Cranberry Station, Westminster Elementary, Saint John Catholic School(Non-Public) and Mother Seton School (Non-Public) are Carroll County’s Title I schools for the 2022-2024 school year.

Eligibility

To be eligible to receive services in a Title I Targeted Assistance program, a student must live in a Carroll County Public School district identified as receiving Title I Targeted Assistance funding. The student must currently be in grades Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 5 and be identified through multiple assessment measures to be at risk of not meeting academic achievement standards. Free and reduced meal status is not a criterion for receiving services.

All students attending a Title I Schoolwide program can receive the supplemental instructional services. The emphasis in a Title I Schoolwide program is on serving all students who show an academic need and improving the academic and social structures of the school by braiding all resources to enhance academic achievement.

Additionally, Carroll County Public Schools reserves Title I funds necessary to provide educational, support services to homeless children and youth, regardless of whether or not they attend a Title I school.