

# **2023-2024**

# Annual Title I & Family Engagement Meeting

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Central Point Elementary

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# Why are we here?

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- CPE is a Title I school
- The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires that each Title I school hold an annual meeting of Title I families in order to:
  - Inform you of your school's participation in Title I
  - Explain the requirements of Title I
  - Explain your rights as parents and family members to be involved

# What is Title I?

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- Title I was passed in 1965 under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). It is the largest federal assistance program for our nation's schools and serves millions of children each year.
- The goal of Title I is a higher quality of education for every child.

# What is a Title I school?

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- Title I schools receive extra funding from the federal government to:
  - Identify and help students who are most in need of academic support
  - Purchase additional staff, programs, materials, and more
  - Conduct parent and family engagement activities
- Our school implements a schoolwide Title I program

# What are my rights?

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## **It is your right to:**

- Be involved and request opportunities for regular meetings
- Be provided information on your child's level of achievement on state assessments in English language arts(ELA), mathematics, and science
- Request and receive information on the qualifications of your child's teacher

# How does our school use Title I funds?

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Our School's Title I funds provide the following supplemental support:

- Additional teachers and paraprofessionals
- A variety of supplemental teaching materials, equipment, and technology
- Small-group interventions
- Additional training for school staff
- Parent and family engagement activities/resources

# How is parent and family engagement funded?

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- Any district receiving more than \$500,000 in Title I funds is required by law to set aside part of this money (1%) for parent and family engagement
- Most of the money that is set aside (90%) must be divided among all Title I schools in the district
- You, as Title I parents and family members, have the right to be involved in how this money is spent (Site Council)

# What is the SIP?

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- The SIP is the School Improvement Plan
  - The SIP is developed by the Site Council (school planning team)
  - The school must include family representatives on our school planning team



# What is a Parent and Family Engagement Policy?

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- These plans address how the district and school will implement the parent and family engagement requirements of ESSA and include information about:
  - How the school involves parents in the planning, review and improvement of programs
  - Opportunities for parents to learn how to work with their children to improve achievement
- You, as a Title I parent or family member, have the right to be involved in the development/revision of these plans
  - Reviewed and revised annually (Site Council)
- The policy can be found on our school website

# What is a School-Parent Compact?

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- A school-parent compact is a written commitment that outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement
- You, as a Title I parent or family member, have the right to be involved in the development/revision of the compact (Site Council)
- The compact can be found on our school website and is included in online registration

# What curriculum does our school use?

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- The Oregon State Standards:
  - Form the framework for everything taught at CPE
  - Establish high expectations for all students
  - Identify what your child needs to know and be able to do in all content areas at each grade level
- For more information about Oregon's academic standards, see:  
<https://www.oregon.gov/ode/educator-resources/standards/Pages/default.aspx>

# What tests will my child be taking?

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- Statewide assessments
  - English Language Arts (ELA): Grades 3-5
  - Math: Grades 3-5
  - Science: Grade 5
- Schoolwide benchmark (screening) assessments (AimsWeb Plus)
  - Literacy
  - Math
- Classroom assessments

# How can I be involved?

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- Research has proven that family engagement in education has more impact on student achievement than any other factor. Here are just a few ways to be involved in your child's education:
  - Encourage attendance
  - Monitor grades and schoolwork
  - Share information about your child's interests and abilities with teachers
  - Volunteer in classrooms and/or join the PT0
- To get involved with the SIP, Parent and Family Engagement Policy, and School-Parent Compact through CPE's Site Council please contact Tiffany Slaughter or Cara Taylor.

**WE JUST WANT TO SAY...**

**THANK YOU!**