



Title I Overview For Parents

Open House/Back to School
Aug/Sept 2024

Title I: 101

- Title I is a federal formula grant
 - School districts get Title I funds based on the number of students receiving free or reduced lunch or specific services
 - As of October 1, 2023:
 - D11 has 21,489 students
 - 11,717 students identified for specific programs and/or free and reduced lunches.
 - The poverty index for the district is 54.53%

How Do Schools Get To Be Title I?

- The Federal Government says schools must be funded in rank order by percentage of poverty
- District 11 funds schools based on free and reduced lunches or students eligible for services – 66.55% or higher for secondary and 62.36% for elementary schools. D11 is serving 31 schools in 24-25.

How are Title I funds used?

- To increase reading and math achievement
 - Hiring additional teachers and aides
 - Paying for tutoring for students who need extra support
 - Materials and supplies for above
 - Staff Development opportunities for teachers

Title I Program Types

- In a Schoolwide program, all students in the building are eligible for services.
- In a Targeted Assistance program, students are assessed and given extra learning opportunities based on individual student need.

Title I Schools 24-25

- Adams
- Audubon
- Bijou
- Carver
- Columbia
- Eastlake HS
- Edison
- Fremont
- Galileo
- Grant
- Henry
- Jackson
- Keller
- Madison
- Mann
- Midland

- Mitchell HS
- Monroe
- Penrose
- Queen Palmer
- Rogers
- Roosevelt Charter Academy
- Sabin MS
- Swigert Aerospace Academy
- Taylor
- Tesla HS
- Tesla MS
- Twain
- West ES
- West MS
- Wilson

Required Reports and Notices

- Understandable format and language
- State and local reports cards
- Individual reports
- Accountability Notices
- Teacher Qualifications
- LEP “opt out”
- District and School Parent Involvement Policy
- Building capacity for parents
- School-Parent compacts



Opportunities for Parent Involvement

- Title I Parent Advisory Committee
- Title I School-Parent Compacts
- Title I Parent Involvement Policy
- PTA/PTSA/PTO
- School Accountability Committee
- Parent/Teacher Conferences



- Questions?
- For additional information, call the Title I office at 520-2372