



Title I Parent Information

Improving Achievement

Title I is a federally funded program that provides supplemental funding for improving student academic achievement. The program's goal is to ensure that all children have a fair and high-quality education and to close educational achievement gaps. Title I supports may include academic resources, parent involvement, and professional learning for educators to improve instruction and educational services.

Eligibility for Schools to Qualify

A school is eligible for Title I funding if at least 40% of students are from low-income families.

Federal funding through Title I can be provided in two ways:

- Schoolwide Program - Schools can utilize funding resources to serve the academic needs of all students, especially students with low achievement in reading, language arts, and mathematics.
- Targeted Assistance Program - Schools use funding resources to assist specific students who are identified as academically failing or at-risk of failing.

Title I Services and Supports

Title I funds are generally used for:

- Class size reduction
- Interventions and Tutorials
- Supplemental instructional materials
- Counseling and Mentoring
- Professional development and learning
- Parent and Family education and engagement

Summary

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- Improving academic proficiency for all students
- Providing supplemental supports to students most at-risk of failing
- Promoting parent education and involvement
- Increasing staff professional development and training opportunities

Title I Parent Rights

Parents have the right to:

- Attend an annual Title I meeting to understand provided school Title I services
- Review and provide suggestions to assist with the development of the parent involvement plan and activities in the SPSA
- Review and provide suggestions to the school's Title I Parental & Family Engagement Policy and School-Parent Compact
- Review school achievement data
- Receive understandable information in a language you understand
- Receive training in how to best support your child academically
- Receive support in understanding your child's assessment results

