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# Fulton PreK-5 School Title I Annual Parent & Family Meeting Agenda Tuesday, September 17, 2024

## **PSCC AGENDA**

- Welcome and Staff Introductions
- Title I Overview
  - Intent and Purpose of Title I
    - Title 1 school means that we receive federal funding to supplement the school's existing programs
  - Title I Budget
    - Used for various things that improve the school and experiences for students
    - Staffing
    - Supplies
    - Refreshments for some family meetings
    - Parent and Family Engagement
  - Discussion about how to utilize the Title I parent and family engagement budget
    - Budget is \$4,371 this year
    - Parents and families can make suggestions for how this money is spent
  - o Review of School Improvement Goals
    - Parent and Family Engagement Policy will be reviewed on Tuesday, September 17, 2024 at the PTA/PSCC Meeting
- Review Curriculum and State Standards
  - Reading Curriculum: Open Court
    - IXL, Supercha ged/Power Readers, Reading Horizons Discovery, Reading Horizons Elevate
  - Math Curriculum: Illustrative Math
    - Illustrative Math digital program, Smarty Antz
  - o Science Curriculum: Carolina
- Assessments (including progress monitoring)
  - Eligibility
    - State Testing:
      - Pennsylvania System of School Assessment (PSSAs) Grades 3-5
    - Local/ District Assessments:
      - English Language Arts
        - o Classroom Diagnostics Tests (CDTs) Grades 3-5
      - Mathematics





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- Notification of when assessments will be given and resources to support student readiness
- Progress Reports
- Parent and Family Engagement
  - Parent Trainings
  - How to get involved and participate in your child's education
  - o Review District volunteer clearance policy
- School Level Parent and Family Engagement Policy
  - o Review and Revise
  - o Reviewed and Revision presented to parents on September 17, 2024
- School-Parent Compact
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- Questions and Answers

#### HANDOUTS OR SHOWN VIA SCREEN SHARE IF MEETING IS VIRTUAL:

- Prior Year Parent and Family Engagement Policy
- Prior Year School-Parent Compact
- Volunteer Flyer
- Other

Exit Ticket: Parent and Family Survey

# Click here to view the Title 1 Annual Meeting PowerPoint presentation

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### **PTA AGENDA**

- Welcome (Laura)
  - Introductions
    - Laura Mullen, President
    - Berlin Carter, Vice President
    - Shannon Striner, Secretary
    - Meredith Knight, Treasurer
- Calendar of Events and How To get Involved (Laura)
  - Volunteer by contacting the PTA at pghfultonpto@gmail.com
  - Upcoming event dates and jobs that we need volunteers for:
    - Fulton Gear Sale: September-October
      - Fulton Gear from Commonwealth
    - Teacher Conferences: October 14
      - PTA Table with snacks, coffee, sign-ups and gear sale
    - Election Day Bake Sale: November 5
      - Volunteer Coordination
      - Donations from Le Gourmandine
    - Holiday Shop: December 9-13
      - Purchase Inventory
      - Volunteer Coordination
      - Manage Shop
    - BHM Speaker Series: February 21
      - Recruit speakers
      - Plan day-of breakfast and assembly & speaking
    - BHM Poster Contest: February 14
      - Judge posters
    - Mardi Gras: March 4
      - Buy and deliver king cakes
    - Primary Election Day Bake Sale: May 20
      - Volunteer Coordination
      - Donations from Le Gourmandine
    - Teacher Appreciation Week: May 12-16
      - Solicit Donations
      - Coordinate Week of Events (tacos, raffle, etc.)
    - Spring Fling: May 29
      - Uniform Exchange
      - Italian Ice
      - Gear Sale
      - Firetruck/Ambulance Attendance





- Treasurer Report
  - Next month- Meredith is not present at this meeting
- Facilities Utilization Plan Updates (Shannon)
  - Pittsburgh-parents.com
  - The board is supposed to announce their plan on October 15
  - We need to continue advocating for Fulton
  - Contact the PTA for more information about how you can support Fulton
- Election Day Bake Sale Volunteers
  - O Sign up to help out
  - You can volunteer to donate goods or
- Parent Q&A
  - Halloween Parade
  - Safety Concerns
  - Questions for PTA (general)
  - Vacancies (Social Worker)
  - Volunteer Clearance Policy
  - Bullying & Child Safety
- Concerns from Parents about Safety/Bullying
  - Students are being injured and bullied at school and want to know what is being done
  - There are repeat issues with the same students, but nothing seems to be changing
  - What are the processes in place to address safety and bullying issues?
    - School crisis team
      - Are they trained?
        - No, training is out of date
      - What are they allowed to do when trained?
        - "Safe restraints"
        - Staff are not really supposed to touch children though
    - Increased supervision
      - One-on-one supervision for the child(ren)
      - Behavior support plan
      - Behavior supports
      - Therapists
    - Mr. Littlehale is currently staffing the main office and is having difficulty addressing issues as the principal in a timely fashion
  - O How are the rest of the students still learning?
    - "The rest of the students are in another room"
  - What can we do to ensure that Fulton is staff enough to provide supports for safety and learning
  - What supports are OTHER students who are witnessing these safety and bullying issues receiving?
    - Student assistant program
    - Licensed therapist
    - Behavior/safety plans for victims





- o If parents want supports for their students, can they reach out to Mr. Littlehale?
  - Yes, contact the principal at <u>elittlehale1@pghschools.org</u> or call the school at 412-529-4600