

UNDERSTANDING TITLE I

Partnering with Families for Student Success

Title I is a federally funded program that provides additional resources to schools to help every student succeed academically. **Our goal is to ensure all children have access to a high-quality education and the support they need to meet Tennessee academic standards.**



HOW DOES TITLE I BENEFIT MY CHILD?

Title I funds may be used to provide:

- Additional academic support
- High-quality instructional materials
- Supplemental technology and classroom resources
- Professional learning for teachers
- Family engagement activities
- Programs designed to improve student achievement

Each Title I school develops a School Improvement Plan based on the needs of its students.



PARENTS HAVE IMPORTANT RIGHTS

As a parent of a Title I student, you have the right to:

- Learn about your child's academic progress
- Request information about your child's teachers and paraprofessionals
- Participate in your school's Title I Annual Meeting
- Help develop and review your school's Parent and Family Engagement Policy
- Participate in developing the School-Parent Compact
- Be involved in planning and improving Title I programs
- Receive important information in a language and format you can understand



HOW CAN FAMILIES GET INVOLVED?

Research consistently shows that students are more successful when families are actively engaged.

- Attend school events and parent meetings
- Communicate regularly with teachers
- Read with your child every day
- Monitor homework and attendance
- Encourage positive study habits
- Volunteer when opportunities are available
- Participate in school decision-making opportunities



WORKING TOGETHER

A strong partnership between families and schools helps students:

- Build confidence
- Improve attendance
- Increase academic achievement
- Develop positive attitudes toward learning



FEDERAL PROGRAMS PARENT HANDBOOK

QUESTIONS?

Contact your child's school or
the KCS Federal Programs Department

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