



Annual Title I Parent Meeting Agenda

All schools receiving Title I, Part A funds are required to convene an annual Title I, Part A parent meeting

- to inform parents and families of their school's participation
- to emphasize the program's intent to improve student academic achievement
- to explain the requirements of the Title I, Part A program
- to explain the right of families to be involved and how they support their child's learning



Title I, Part A Program

All five Red Oak ISD Elementary campuses operate a Schoolwide Title I Program. Title I funds are utilized for:

- Instructional Coaches Tiffany Munoz (PK-2nd) and Sara Brown (3rd-5th)
- Literacy Specialists Nancy Atkins (All grade reading support and dyslexia support)
- Instructional Materials We use district instructional materials for basic curriculum, but also use Title 1 funds for extra supports such as Science Penguin, House System resources, Science materials, and online resources such as iready and smarty ants



Purpose of Title I

Title I, Part A is a federally funded grant program intended to provide all children significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education, and to close educational achievement gaps.



Title I, Part A Requirements

- Written Parent and Family Engagement Policy
- Annual Meetings at flexible times
- Involvement of parents/guardians and families
- Provide parents with
 - Timely information about their student
 - Description and explanation of curriculum, assessments, achievement levels of State standards
 - Opportunities for regular meetings if requested
- School-Parent Compact
- Building Capacity (professional development for staff and family engagement/resources for families)



Parent and Family Engagement

- One of the greatest success factors is parental involvement in the education of their children.
- We encourage parent and family participation in our school through a variety of methods. For example, our math and literacy nights, STAAR Information sessions, and various enrichment activities throughout the year.
 - Volunteering
 - PTA events, meetings, and schoolwide specialty activities hosted through the PTA
 - Campus Volunteers to support staff projects
 - D.A.D.S. Program, male role models volunteering one time per year and at schoolwide events
 - Enrichment events such as Amazing Shake, Polar Express, Class Parties, Career Day, etc.
 - Parent-Teacher conferences
 - Sign ups to come, October 2nd 4-8pm and October 3rd 8-12pm
- We welcome you and your family.



Reservation of Funds

Any school district with a Title I, Part A allocation exceeding \$500,000 is required by statute to set-aside 1% of its Title I, Part A allocation for parent and family engagement.

- Of that 1%, 90% must be allocated to the Title I schools in the district to implement school-level parent and family engagement.
- Red Oak ISD allocates 100% of those funds to Title I campuses for parent and family engagement activities.
- Title I, Part A parents have the right to be involved in the decisions regarding how these funds will be used for parent and family engagement activities.



Teacher Qualifications

- Parents have the right to request information regarding the qualifications of their child's teacher.
- Schools are required to notify parents that the students has been assigned, or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by, a teacher who does not meet applicable state certification requirements at the grade level and subject area in which the teacher has been assigned.



Parent Questions or Suggestions

Now the floor is open to accepting any general questions about the Title I, Part A Program presented today.



Thank you for your attendance!



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