

Coweta Charter Academy

Title I Presentation

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Title I Overview

What is Title I?

- **Definition:** Title I is a federally funded program designed to provide financial assistance to schools with high numbers or percentages of children from low-income families.
- **Goal:** To ensure that all children meet challenging state academic standards.
- **Focus Areas:**
 - Enhancing instructional programs
 - Providing additional support to students
 - Engaging families and communities



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What is the purpose of Title I ?

- **Improve educational opportunities for disadvantaged students.**
- **Close the achievement gap between high and low performing students.**
- **Provide additional resources for students most at risk of failing.**
- **Promote parent and family engagement.**



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How do schools qualify for Title I?



Eligibility Requirements:

- Based on the percentage of students receiving free or reduced-price lunch.
- Schools with at least 40% low-income students may operate a Schoolwide Title I program.
- Schools below this threshold may operate a Targeted Assistance program.

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Examples of Title I Services

- Additional instructional staff
- Supplemental programs and resources
- Professional development for teachers
- Intervention programs
- Family engagement initiatives



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Parent and Family Engagement

- **Why It Matters:** Strong family-school partnerships improve student achievement and well-being.
- **How Title I Supports Families:**
 - Hosting workshops and family nights
 - Providing resources for learning at home
 - Encouraging parent involvement in decision-making
 - Ensuring parents have access to information in their preferred language



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Title I Responsibilities

- Regularly assess and address student needs.
- Engage families and the community.
- Use Title I funds responsibly to support student success.
- Monitor and evaluate program effectiveness.



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How can parents get involved?

- **Attend parent-teacher conferences and school meetings.**
- **Volunteer at the school or in programs.**
- **Support your child's learning at home.**
- **Share feedback with school leaders.**



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How do we measure success?

- **Evaluation Methods:**
 - a. Student achievement data (test scores, progress reports, etc.)
 - b. Surveys and feedback from families and staff
 - c. Program reviews and adjustments
- **Accountability:** Schools must demonstrate how Title I funds are used effectively to improve outcomes.



Questions

Thank you for attending!

