

Title I Annual Parent Meeting Hendricks Public School

Welcome

Review Title I program

- What is Title I – Part A of ESEA provides finance assistance to schools to ensure all students meet challenging academic standards. Schools who receive funding are required to provide ALL children with fair and significant educational opportunities to obtain high-quality education which also helps students to be proficient in state testing.
- Programming – Highly qualified staff will implement strategies based on research of which will be supported by organized parent involvement.
- How do children qualify? – State testing scores, Parent/Teacher Recommends
- What is the exit criterion? – Students can exit with decision made by parents, teachers, administration. Decision based on test scores, survey & parent input.
- Review of implementation and effectiveness – Implementation based on test scores, teacher recommendation, parents welcome. Effectiveness of program is determined by test scores, student performance.
- Parent-teacher conference – agenda – Discuss student performance during conferences but more meetings may certainly be set up as needed.
- Homeless
 1. School-age children may qualify for rights and protections under federal McKinney-Vento Act
 2. Local Homeless Liaison is Bruce Houck.

Parent Involvement

- Suggestions for revisions – HPS would like parent feedback and suggestions on the Title 1 program.
- How will HPS keep parents informed and involved in their child's progress? Conferences and meetings as needed.
- How can parents help their child in reading and math?
- Upcoming meetings

Questions and Answers

Make Title 1 a "bigger deal":

1. Flyers, invitations to parents whose children qualify or who we think might. Send last minute reminder through email, posters, etc.
2. Fall Open House - talk about Title 1 program and let families know a meeting is coming soon or have the Title I meeting during Open House – or Title 1 "booth" at open house

Do we need to back up and signed permission slips from parents whose children are receiving services from Title 1? If don't have signed permission slips, are we still eligible for Title 1 funding?

If the Title 1 teacher is seeing student that meets SPED qualifications, will the Title teacher still be able to work with the student under direct supervision of the SPED department?

Important:

- Parents have the right to request qualifications of their child's teachers.

- Parents have the right to be involved in their child's education.
- HPS wants to make it as easy as possible for all parents to take part in their child's education.
- Information about Title I and other programs at HPS can be found on the school website.

