

What to Know:

- Title 1 provides funding to schools to help students who are low achieving or at most risk of falling behind.
- Funding is based on the percentage of students receiving free/reduced lunch.
- Schools with a percentage of at least 40% are eligible - schools at 75% must be funded.

Requirements for Schoolwide Title 1:

- School must collect and analyze data that affects student achievement
- School must develop a continuous improvement plan and annually review the effectiveness of the plan.

Lafayette Schoolwide Program is Accomplished Through:

- Training for teachers and assistants to improve best practices in reading, student dialog, data collection and analyzing.
- Additional staff - additional teaching assistants who teach small group reading and intervention.

Parent Rights and Involvement:

- Right to request teacher qualifications
- Participate in decisions affecting your child
- Participate in school activities
- Request opportunities to meet regularly with staff or parent involvement
- Review school's Title 1-A Plan and make suggestions
- District Parent Involvement Policy
- School Parent Involvement Plan
- School-Parent Compact
- Annual Meeting for Title 1 parents of public and private school students
- Parent Notifications
- Parent Involvement Opportunities:
 - Parent-Teacher Conferences
 - Title 1 Meeting
 - Family Evening Events such as Wellness Night/Title 1 Meeting and Reading Nights

Lafayette's Three Goals:

1. Increase reading skills - specifically beginning reading skills and reading fluency (reading with speed and proper expression)
2. Teaching students with the framework of Quality Teaching of English/All Learners (QTEL). This framework provides rich, higher level thinking experiences and speaking/writing skills.
3. Increase Problem Solving Skills through our Positive Behavior Intervention Systems and Incorporating Collaborative Problem Solving practices.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

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