

WELCOME TO THE BARBOUR COUNTY PRIMARY SCHOOL TITLE I INFORMATIVE FOR PARENTS

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WHY ARE YOU REVIEWING THIS TITLE INFORMATIVE?

The **Every Student Succeeds ACT of 2015** requires that each Title I School hold an Annual Meeting of Title I Parents for the purpose of...

- Informing you of your school's participation in Title I
- Explaining the requirements of Title I
- Explaining your rights as Parents/Guardians to be involved

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN...

What does it mean to be a Title I school?

What is the 1% Set-Aside for parent and family engagement?

What is the LEA Title I Plan?

What is the LEA Parental and Family Engagement Plan?

What is a ACIP?

What is the School-Parent Compact?

How do I request the qualifications of my child's teacher(s)?

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE A TITLE I SCHOOL?

A Title I School receives Federal Funding (Title I Funds) to <u>supplement</u> the school's existing programs. These funds can be used for the following:

- Identifying students academic difficulties
- Purchasing supplemental staff/programs/materials/supplies
- Conducting parent and family engagement meetings/trainings/activities

**PARENTS HAVE THE RIGHT TO KNOW THE PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS OF THEIR CHILD'S TEACHER AND/OR PARAPROFESSIONAL.

WHAT IS THE 1% SET ASIDE AND HOW ARE PARENTS INVOLVED?

Any LEA with a Title I Allocation exceeding \$500,000 is required by law to set aside 1% of it's Title I allocation for Parent and Family Engagement.

Each Title I School receives its portion to implement school-level parent and family engagement with clear expectations and objectives for meaningful involvement.

WHAT IS THE LEA CONSOLIDATED PLAN?

The LEA Consolidated Plan addresses how the LEA will use Title I Funds throughout the school system.

Topics include:

- Student academic assessments
- Additional assistance provided to struggling students
- Coordination and integration of federal funds and programs
- School programs including migrant, pre-school, school choice, EL, Homeless, and supplemental educational services as applicable.
- Parent and Family Engagement Strategies, which is included in the Parent and Family Engagement Plan.

WHAT IS THE LEA PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN?

This plan addresses how the LEA will implement the Parent and Family Engagement requirements of Every Student Succeeds Act.

It includes...

- The LEA's expectations for Parents and Families
- How the LEA will involve parents in decision-making
- How the LEA will work to build the schools' and parents' capacity for strong parental involvement to improve student academic achievement

WHAT IS A ACIP?

The ACIP is your school's Continuous Improvement Plan and includes:

- A Needs Assessment and Summary of Data
- Goals and Strategies to Address Academic Needs of Students
- Professional Development Needs
- Coordination of Resources/Comprehensive Budget
- The School's Parent and Family Engagement Plan.

**BCPS ACIP can be found on our School's webpage.

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN THE SCHOOL'S PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN

This plan addresses how the school will implement the parent and family engagement requirements of Every Child Succeeds Act of 2015.

Components include...

- How parents can be involved in decision-making and activities
- How parental and family engagement funds are being used
- How information and training will be provided to parents
- How the school will build capacity in parents and staff for strong parental and family engagement through "evidence based" strategies

You have the right to be involved in the development of your school's Parent and Family Engagement Plan.

WHAT IS THE SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT?

The compact is a commitment from the school, the parent, and the student to share in the responsibility for improved academic achievement.



You have the right to be involved in the development of the

School-Parent Compact.



Home and School must maintain regular, meaningful communication, and in a language family members can understand.

HOW IS THE **EVALUATION** OF THE LEA PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT PLAN **CONDUCTED?**

Evaluation Requirements

LEAs and Schools must outreach to Parents and Families...reaching beyond barriers of culture, language, disabilities, and poverty.

- Conduct annually
- Conduct with Title I Parents/Families
- Analyze Content and Effectiveness of the current plan
- Identify Barriers to parental involvement
- Data/Input may include...
 - Parent Survey (Required)
 - Focus Groups
 - Parent Advisory Committees

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