

Stephens Elementary



2024-2025

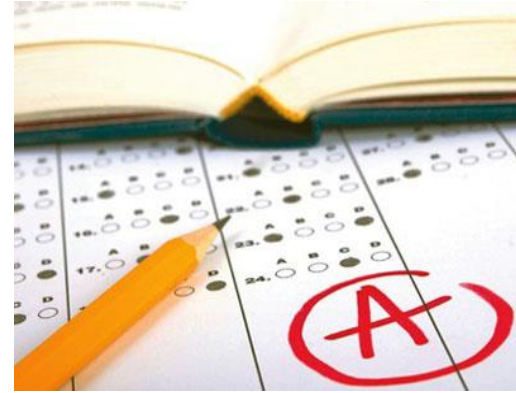
Title I Programs Support the Katy ISD Mission

Katy Independent School District, the leader in educational excellence, together with family and community, provides unparalleled learning experiences designed to prepare and inspire each student to live an honorable, fulfilling life...to create the future.



Title I Overview

Title I, Part A is a federal program designed to help all students meet the state's challenging academic performance standards. Schoolwide Title I Programs provide supplemental funds that are used to improve the educational program of the school.



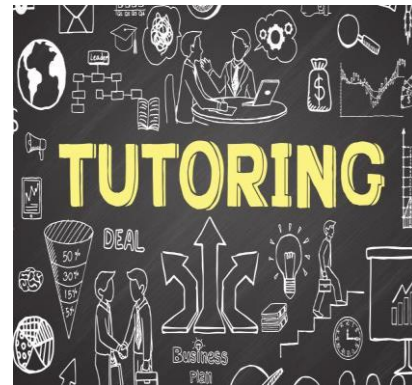
Purpose of Title I

- The Title I Program strives to ensure that every child is able to learn and perform at levels that meet or exceed the state academic standards.
- Title I funds allow us to provide additional staff and enhance instructional programs for all students.
- These funds also support activities for parents to be involved in their children's education.



Benefits of a Schoolwide Title I Program

- Instructional services such as intervention or tutoring
- Educational materials to improve instruction
- Professional development for teachers and support staff
- Parental involvement opportunities



Parent Participation

Parents are encouraged to:

- Provide input and offer feedback on the Title I program
- Participate in the development of School/Parent/Student Compact and Parent & Family Engagement Policies
- Review information regarding:
 - The curriculum used in our school
 - The forms of academic assessment used to measure student progress
 - The proficiency levels that students are expected to meet in order to be academically successful

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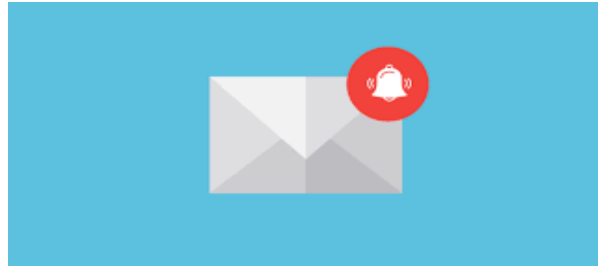
Other opportunities include:

- Parent workshops & volunteer opportunities (ex. Bookfair, Field Day, etc.)
- Parent-child interactive sessions designed to help parents support their children's academic progress (ex. [Watch DOGS, STREAM Night –Spring 2024](#))
- Participation on campus and district committees (ex. [PTA, Campus Advisory Team](#))



Notice of parent activities

Parents receive invitations and reminders for all activities. These invitations and advertisements are provided in a variety of ways such as the school's website, newsletters, flyers, calling systems, and the school marquee, etc.



Parent Rights

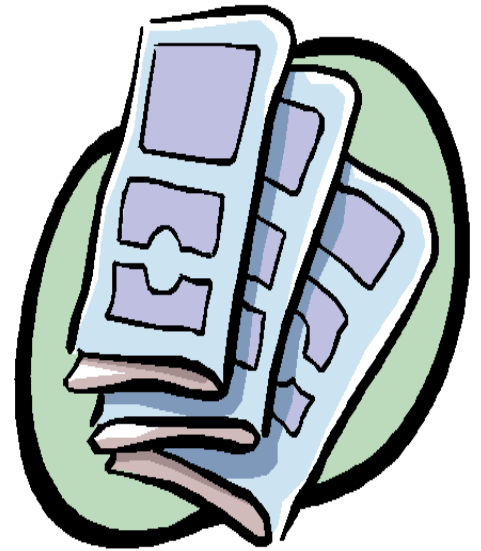


Title I campuses shall provide assistance to parents in understanding:

- State academic content and academic achievement standards
- State and local assessments
- How to monitor your child's progress:
 - >Progress Reports & Report Cards will be shared electronically in HAC (Home Access Center) and must be electronically signed
- How to work with your children to improve student achievement

Parent and Family Engagement Plan Title I Information Brochure

- Each school has a Title I Parent and Family Engagement Plan which describes the school's plan for involving parents in their child's education.
- The Title I Parent Information brochure, which is sent home to each family, includes detailed information about Parent's Rights and the Title I program at the campus and district levels.



Parent Rights

As the parent of a student at a Title I campus, you have the right to request the following information about each of your child's classroom teachers.

- Whether the teacher meets the state qualifications and state certification criteria for the grades and subjects taught.
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or probationary status because of special circumstances.
- The teacher's college major, level of degree, and field of the certification or degree.
- The qualifications of any paraprofessional providing services to your child.



Title I School/Parent/Student Compact

- Each school provides a Title I School/Parent Compact. The compact outlines how parents, campus staff, and students share responsibility for improved student performance.
- Research shows that when parents know what their children are doing in school and it is reinforced at home, children will be more successful.



Thank you!

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Parent Resources