



WHAT IS TITLE I?

Title I is a program through which most school districts receive federal funding to provide supplemental instruction for students who qualify. The funds for each school district are based on a state formula that is calculated by the number of students from economically disadvantaged homes. However, Title I Services provided with federal funds are based on the academic needs of students. Students who qualify for academic support may be served in the areas of Language Arts and/or Mathematics.

Students in the Bound Brook School District are provided with a multitude of assessments throughout the school year. These formative, summative and performance assessments provide the teachers with the data they need to be able to meet the specific needs of each child. The goal of the Title I program is to provide the instructional services the students need in order to increase student performance and academic achievement.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- DRA 2
- DIBELS
- Standardized Tests (NJ ASK)
- Classroom Based Assessments
- Learnia
- Teacher Recommendations

PROGRESS MONITORING

Students who receive Title I services in Bound Brook are served by Academic Support Teachers who have been trained in the areas of Reading, Language Arts and/or Mathematics. The ASI teacher works with your child's classroom teacher in monitoring your child's progress. The data may be in the form of performance on assessments, a collection of your child's work, or classroom observations. You are encouraged to contact your child's teacher to discuss progress, or take advantage of the opportunity to meet when progress reports are completed.



NOTICE

In accordance with recent federal legislation, the No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB), school districts that receive Title I federal funds are required to notify parents of their right to request information regarding the professional qualifications for their child's teacher including degrees and certifications held and whether the teacher is certified in the area he/she is teaching. For more information regarding your child's educators, please contact Dianne Ianniello.

HOW YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

- Keep in contact with your child's teacher through telephone, conversations, or email
- Participate in school-based events that are intended for attendance of all families (Family nights, concerts, meetings, etc.)
- Serve as a role model, showing your child that you support his/her progress in school
- Keep your child's teacher informed about events in your child's life that may affect his/her performance in school
- Support your child's extra-curricular activities
- Discuss ideas for parent involvement with your child's teacher and parent organization
- Get involved in the governance of the school and have a voice
- Volunteer as a guest speaker or helper and get involved in the day to day running of your child's school



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