

Title I Annual Review
Thursday, May 24, 2018
@ 8:30 am in the Library

The Title I Annual Review Meeting was held in the library at the Powers Lake School. Present were Title I Teachers: Nicolle Maruskie and Cayleen Thorlaksen; Administration: John Gruenberg and parents.

Items on the agenda were discussed:

1. Review of desired outcomes and assessments: we reviewed the assessment criteria that we use to qualify students to Title I. We discussed how students qualify for summer school and how we use our spring data to do Spring selection to start services right away in the fall.
2. Title I Parent Involvement
 - Professional Development: we discussed the Title I Conference that is available to us each fall.
 - Reports from the Title I office for the year: we discussed the Title reports that came back from the state, everything looked fine.
 - Allocations for 2017-2018: We are once again qualifying to have our own Title I program. Our allocations will cover 50% of one salary.
3. Review Goals for 2017-2018
 - Make parents aware of testing scores: We discussed testing scores at conferences and they are on our progress reports, which go home in the fall and spring.
 - Additional information to parents in helping with homework: We share ideas with parents during conferences and have supplies they can check out if they need extra resources.
 - Have parents fill out an application for free and reduced hot lunch and make them aware of the cost of living: At the beginning of the year and at parent teacher conferences we remind parents of the importance of filling out an application even if financial situations change during the middle of the year.

4. Three goals for 2018-2019 School Year:
 1. Work toward getting Title support (study skills) for the Middle School grades.
 2. Increase our Parent-School Connection – homework tips, helpful information, etc.
 3. Have parents fill out an application for free and reduced hot lunch and make them aware of the cost of living.

5. Other concerns. There were no other concerns discussed or mentioned. We thank you all for your input in evaluating the Title I program, filling out the survey, and providing suggestions on how to improve the program for the students.

Thank you,
Mrs. Maruskie & Mrs. Thorlaksen