Parent Involvement Funds

The goal of title I parent Involvement is to encourage as many parents of Title I children to participate in an activity as possible. Therefore, activities should be planned which interest the parents to engage in literacy or math topics/activities with their children. It is important to plan the event to coincide with the hours when most parents can attend and should be short enough to make it feasible for parents to be involved. There are also local business owners who would love to sponsor or contribute to an event. These events may be held at anytime during the school year and may include other students.

Some suggestions are the following, but please use your imaginations.

- Workshops where students and parents learn together
- Family reading night
- Stations night including both literacy and math activities
- Breakfast event that features literacy or math topics
- Outside speakers
- Authors of children’s books
- Activity at a local non-school location
- Theme night

The Title I Parent Involvement funds may cover materials, guest speaker fees, stipends for staff involved (only with a sign-in sheet) in the activities, snacks or light refreshments, and inexpensive books for only Title I students. The funds do not cover busing.

Please outline your plans including estimations for expenditures and send it to the Title I Director for approval. Receipts must be submitted for reimbursement. Parent sign-in sheet and staff sign-in sheet for stipends must be given to Title I Director.

Media coverage such as the Superintendent’s newsletter, television coverage, or newspaper articles would be appreciated. Please send a copy to the Title I Director.