What is Title I?

Title I is the nation's largest federal assistance program for schools.

The GOAL of Title I is to assist children in obtaining a high-quality education by funding resources for students who need them the most.

Schoolwide Title I programs benefit every student who attends the qualifying school by providing programs and services such as:

tutoring,
additional staff, resources
such as computers, and
professional development
for staff

Parents as Partners

Children are most successful when they know that parents and teachers are partners in their education. You can help your child by:

- 1) Participating in the Schoolwide Title I annual meeting
- 2) Volunteering your time to work with other parents and teachers
- 3) Assisting in developing, reviewing, and implementing the school's Title I plan

Know Your Rights

Parents in Title I schools have the right to:

Review progress reports on your child and school

Request information about the qualifications of your child's teachers

Participate in the Title I meeting and offer suggestions for improvement





SCHOOLWIDE

TITLE I PROGRAMS





Title I programs are comprised of federal, state and local governments working together. Federal funds are made available to each state, which in turn, distributes the funds to the local educational agency. If a school qualifies for Schoolwide Title I services, resources are then made available to <u>all</u> students in the school.

Curriculum standards are used by the district to ensure that all students receive an appropriate education.

Annually, students are evaluated to determine their academic performance. Student assessment data will be used in considering programming and supplemental services. Title I services allow for additional professional development and resources for teachers and students.



"In times of change, learners inherit the Earth, while the learned find themselves beautifully equipped to deal with a world that no longer exist."

~Eric Hoffer



ASSESSMENTS

LOCAL ASSESSMENTS

Assessments used to guide a teacher's instruction are referred to as formative assessments. Prairie Grove Schools use I-Ready assessments for K-8.

NORM REFERENCED TEST (NRT)

Norm referenced tests are designed to compare your child's scores to other children's scores across the nation.

CRITERION REFERENCED TEST (CRT)

Criterion referenced tests are designed to see how your child meets a criteria that has been established for each grade level.

For a listing of which assessment your child will participate in, please contact your school.

To view your school's performance report, please visit: https://adesrc.arkansas.gov/