

MIDDLETOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: TITLE I - PARENT
INVOLVEMENT/FINK
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ADOPTED: November 13, 2006

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<p>1. Purpose Pol. 131.1</p> <p>2. Delegation of Responsibility</p> <p>3. Guidelines</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">131.1C. TITLE I - PARENT INVOLVEMENT/FINK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL</p> <p>Middletown Area School District shall establish and maintain a parent involvement policy to provide assistance, information, and general support to the parents of students served through Title I educational programs.</p> <p>The Title I Coordinator working collaboratively with the Title I teachers shall develop, implement, and/or conduct annual activities designed to meet the needs of Title I parents. Each activity shall occur a minimum of one (1) time per school year. The coordinator will maintain ultimate responsibility for scheduling each activity and the production of appropriate documents.</p> <p><u>Activities</u></p> <p>The following activities have been developed to assure the involvement of parents with the design and implementation of Title I educational programs:</p> <p>1. Parent Notification</p> <p>Letters of notification and permission are distributed to all identified Title I participants. The form requests a parent signature, date, and general input into the program.</p> <p>2. Progress Reports</p> <p>To every reasonable extent, reading specialists conduct an individual conference with parents of students being served through Title I programs. Reading specialists are available at the annual Open House to confer with parents. Written progress reports are available on request, with all students receiving an end-of-the year report or exit letter.</p>
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	<p>3. Home/School Compact</p> <p>Each parent of a student participant will receive a Home/School Compact outlining the role of the Title I teacher, classroom teacher, parent, and student. Signatures by parents are voluntary.</p> <p>4. Parent Libraries</p> <p>A library of parent resources is available for review and use by Title I parents. The Title I teacher serving in each respective building will maintain the inventory and checkout process.</p> <p>5. Needs Assessment</p> <p>An annual program evaluation is issued to parents. Comments are solicited on instructional services, parent involvement, and other aspects of the Title I program.</p> <p>6. Informational Sessions</p> <p>An annual meeting is held to provide an overview of Title I programming, funding, and teaching initiatives. Parents are given opportunities to interact with Title I personnel and provide input into the development of future programming. A presentation on a topic of current interest will be made at the annual meeting. Training sessions developed to serve parents of Title I students will be publicized as a means of offering parents a learning opportunity. Reasonable costs will be underwritten through Title I funds.</p>
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