

What Is a Title I School?

Information for Parents

A Title I school is a school that receives money from Title I – the oldest and largest federally funded education program in the US.

Title I provides financial assistance to schools that qualify. Schools use these funds to help students who are academically at-risk, and to help ensure that all students meet state academic standards.



Title I Facts and Stats

More than
50% of public
schools receive
Title I funding.

Most Title I
funds go to help
students in
grades K–6.

There are
50,000+ Title I
schools
nationwide.

Title I provides
15+ billion
dollars a year
to schools.

Schools use Title I funding in a variety of ways. Keep reading to learn how these funds are used.

How do schools use Title I funds?

Here are just a few of the ways schools use Title I funds to improve their educational programs.

Additional teachers and teachers' aides

Teaching equipment and supplies

Individualized support for students

Parent involvement programs and materials

Parent involvement is an important part of Title I.

Title I schools understand that while in-school programs can help students a great deal, nothing is as crucial to a child's success as the involvement and support of a parent.

Here are some ways you can support your child.

- ▶ Make education a top priority in your home.
- ▶ Show consistent and genuine interest in what your child is learning in school.
- ▶ Make sure your child is in school every day.
- ▶ Be involved. Attend parent programs, open houses, and conferences. Also, regularly check your school's website for news and updates.
- ▶ Monitor your child's academic progress. If you have questions or concerns, talk to your child's teacher(s) and/or counselor.



To review, watch this quick video.