



Welcome to the
District Title I Presentation
Harmony Public Schools – El Paso
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Why are we here?



- *ESSA* (Every Student Succeeds Act) requires that each Title I School hold an Annual Meeting of Title I parents for the purpose of...
 - Informing you of your school's participation in Title I
 - Explaining the requirements of Title I
 - Explaining the rights of parents to be involved

What you will learn...



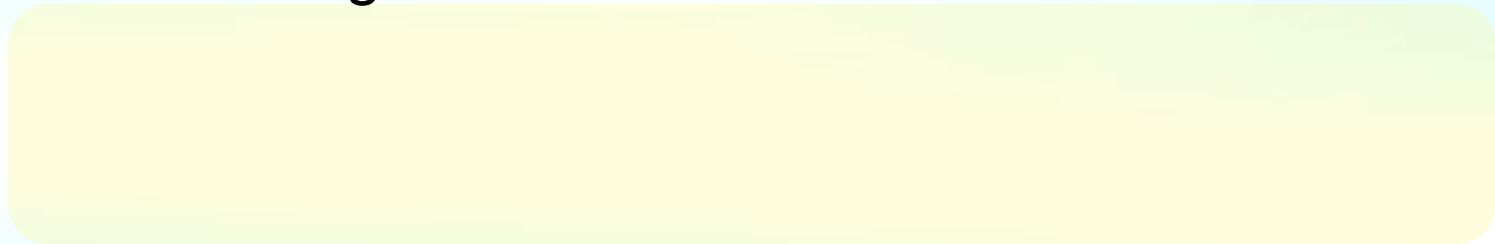
- What does it mean to be a Title I school?
- What is the LEA Title I Plan?
- What is the LEA Parental Involvement Plan?
- What is a DIP?
- What is the School-Parent Compact?

What you will learn...

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- How is the Annual Evaluation of the Parental Involvement Plan conducted?
- How can I be involved in all of these things I'm learning about?



What does it mean to be a Title I School?



- Being a Title I school means receiving federal funding (Title I dollars) to supplement the school's existing programs. These dollars are used for...
 - Identifying students experiencing academic difficulties and providing timely assistance to help these student's meet the State's challenging content standards.
 - Purchasing supplemental staff/programs/materials/supplies
 - Conducting parental Involvement meetings/trainings/activities
 - Recruiting/Hiring/Retaining Effective Teachers
- Being a Title I school also means parental involvement and parents' rights.

What is the LEA Title I Plan?



- The LEA Title I Plan addresses how the LEA will use Title I funds throughout the school system. Topics include:
 - Student academic assessments
 - Additional assistance provided struggling students
 - Coordination and integration of federal funds and programs
 - School programs including migrant, pre-school, school choice, and supplemental educational services as applicable.
 - Parental Involvement Strategies, including the LEA Parental Involvement Plan

What is the LEA Parental Involvement Plan?



- This plan addresses how the LEA will implement the parental involvement requirements of *ESSA*. It includes...
 - The LEA’s expectations for parents
 - How the LEA will involve parents in decision-making
 - How the LEA will work to build the schools’ and parents’ capacity for strong parental involvement to improve student academic achievement

What is a DIP?



- The DIP is your school's District Improvement Plan and includes:
 - A Needs Assessment and Summary of Data
 - Goals and Strategies to Address Academic Needs of Students
 - Professional Development Needs
 - Coordination of Resources/Comprehensive Budget
 - The School's Parental Involvement Plan

What's included in the school's Parental Involvement Plan?



- This plan addresses how the school will implement the parental involvement requirements of *ESSA*. Components include...
 - How parents can be involved in decision-making and activities
 - How information and training will be provided to parents
 - How the school will build capacity in parents and staff for strong parental involvement

What is the School-Parent Compact?



- The compact is a commitment from the school, the parent, and the student to share in the responsibility for improved academic achievement
- Distribution of the Compact.

How is the evaluation of the LEA Parental Involvement Plan Conducted?



- Evaluation Requirements
 - Conduct annually
 - Conduct with Title I parents
 - Analyze Content and Effectiveness of the current plan
 - Identify Barriers to parental involvement
 - Data/Input may include...
 - Parent Survey (Required)
 - Focus Groups
 - Parent Advisory Committees
- Process and Timeline
- How the evaluation informs next year's plan



Questions?