

Teachers: Below is a list of items you should go over with parents at your Title I Parent Conferences.

Parent Conferences

Student assessments and explanation of results: Fountas & Pinnell, SCREADY, SC PASS, MAP, Common Assessments, etc.

Upcoming assessment dates

Curriculum and State Standards

Strategies to Improve Student Achievement: Examples (schools will differ):

- Intervention for students in grades K-8
- Literacy Coaches employed at all Title I schools
- 2-hour uninterrupted Language Arts block
- Hands-on, inquiry-based science curriculum (science kits)
- Study Island, Reading Eggs, SuccessMaker, Math Seeds
- Before, during, and after school tutoring
- Response to Intervention (RtI)
- Student incentives: awards, celebrations
- Professional development for teachers, staff, and administrators
- Computer Labs for research, keyboarding, assessments, enrichment
- Full Day Pre-K programs
- Flexible grouping of students during the day
- Character education programs
- Support for teachers with instructional materials
- Involve parents through workshops, family events, parent organizations and committees, and on-going communication

What Parents Can Do.....

- Ensure that students attend school every day, unless as absence is necessary for the child's health
- Ensure that students are on time for school each day
- Complete parent surveys to share suggestions and provide feedback
- Attend parent conferences
- Utilize Parent Portal
- Participate actively in PTO, Title I School Planning Team, and SIC activities
- Correspond to newsletters, the student agenda, daily behavior folders, and communication from school
- Volunteer in the classroom, on field trips, and at school events
- Attend parent workshops to learn additional ways to help children at home
- Read to and with children at home
- Monitor homework and enforce a regular, consistent time to study at home