

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA

SERIES 300 INSTRUCTION

CODE: 342.4

TITLE I PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT AND OTHER PROCEDURES

The School District of Waupaca realizes that parent/guardian interest and guidance are a major factor in successful schooling. In an effort to provide parents/guardians of Title I students with the opportunity to become involved in their child's education, the School District of Waupaca shall:

- Clarify the relationship between the school's role and the parent/guardian's role;
- Build the capacity for parent/guardian involvement in the Title I program;
- Set expectation and provide the framework for participation by parent/guardian;
- Allow for the joint development of the Title I program, school review, and improvement plans;
- Provide coordination, technical assistance, and support;
- Integrate Title I parent/guardian involvement with other programs;
- Include parent/guardian involvement in an annual evaluation;
- Use evaluation findings in designing strategies for school improvement and in revising parent/guardian involvement policies.

Activities utilized to carry out the above shall include, but are not limited to:

- 1) Notifying each child's parent/guardian, in a timely manner, that their child has been selected to participate in Title I and why the child has been selected.
- 2) Informing each child's parent/guardian of the specific instructional objectives for the child.
- 3) Reporting the child's progress to each child's parent/guardian.
- 4) Establishing conferences between individual parent/guardian and teachers.
- 5) Providing materials and suggestions to parent/guardian to help them promote the education of their children at home.
- 6) Training parent/guardian to promote the education of their children at home.
- 7) Providing timely information concerning the Title I program including program plans and evaluations.
- 8) Soliciting parent/guardian suggestions in the planning, development and operation of the program and in working toward program objectives.
- 9) Facilitating volunteer and/or paid participation by parent/guardian in school activities.
- 10) Designating Location Education Agency parent/guardian coordinators.
- 11) Establishing parent/guardian advisory councils.

Parent/guardian of all eligible children shall be invited to a public meeting for the purpose of carrying out the above activities. Support with Title I funds may include, but is not limited to:

- 1) Reasonable access to meeting space and materials.
- 2) Providing information concerning the Title I law, regulations, and instructional programs.
- 3) Training programs for parents.
- 4) Other resources as appropriate.

Any person having a grievance against the School District of Waupaca for alleged violations of this policy shall follow the Grievance Procedures detailed in Waupaca School District Policy Code 114.

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CROSS REFERENCE:

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