

**SOUTHERN TIOGA SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
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SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: PARENT INVOLVEMENT IN  
 TITLE I READING

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105.1 PARENT INVOLVEMENT IN TITLE I READING	
1. Purpose	<p>Parents of students attending Title I Reading shall be given an opportunity to participate in program improvements</p> <p>Each Spring parents and teachers shall be given an opportunity to submit a Title I needs assessment form indicating their priorities and suggestions for improvement of the program.</p>
2. Program Implementation	<p>Parents of students attending Title I Reading shall be informed of the procedures for implementation of the program, and the purposes and guidelines for Title I students.</p> <p>A. Each student projected from fall baseline assessment results and from classroom teacher observation forms shall be referred for Title I services. The test results shall be made available to parents upon request.</p> <p>B. Parents of students referred for the Title I Program shall receive a formal permission form to be signed and returned to the school indicating approval of placement. Parents indicating they do not give permission for their child to participate in Title I shall be given a waiver form to sign.</p> <p>C. Parents are invited to attend a conference each school year to review the instructional progress of their child. Title I teachers are available to meet with parents at conference and, by appointment, throughout the year.</p> <p>D. Parents who have children in the Title I Program shall receive a formal invitation to attend a Title I meeting during the first semester. The purpose of the meeting is to explain the program goals, the amount of allocation, and the ways parents may assist and participate in the program.</p> <p>E. Parents who have children in the Title I Program and parents of all other children shall be invited to attend a participation workshop in reading during the school year. The purpose of the workshop is to share ideas for parent/student interaction at home.</p>

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<p>3. Program Evaluation</p>	<p>Evaluation of the Title I student's progress shall be shared with the parents.</p> <p>A. Parents who have children in the Title I Program shall receive a formal invitation to visit classes in later Spring to see their child in the small group instructional program, see materials used and to better understand the program.</p> <p>B. Parents who have children in the Title I Program shall receive a survey form in the Spring of each year to evaluate the program for their child. A checklist and a space for written comments are provided.</p> <p>Through conference with the Title I specialist in the child's school, parents shall be given an opportunity to receive guidance and materials on how to help their child at home.</p>
<p>4. Responsibility</p>	<p>The Title I Supervisor assures he/she will act as consulting resource person overseeing the implementation and follow-through of the Parent Involvement Policies.</p>