

TITLE I PARENT INVOLVEMENT POLICY

BARKSDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The parents and staff of Barksdale Elementary believe the Title I program in our school can only be effective if parents and school form a true partnership for the purpose of providing high quality education for all students.

- I. Parental Involvement in the development, implementation, and evaluation of a school-level parent involvement policy:
 - a. The Title I planning team, composed of staff and parents, will develop a parent involvement policy, including a compact for Barksdale Elementary School to be distributed by the end of the first grading period.
 - b. At the annual Title I meetings, all parents of Title I students will be given a copy of school-wide and system-wide parent involvement policy and be given the opportunity to review the parent involvement policy and suggest changes. Changes to the policy will be made by vote of the majority, but all suggestions will be recorded in the minutes of the meeting.
- II. Parents will receive support from Barksdale Elementary in becoming full partners in their child's education. This support will include:
 - a. An annual meeting will be held for the purpose of explaining the Title I program, as well as giving the parents an opportunity to review the program and suggest changes.
 - b. Parents will be provided with written progress reports of their child's academic performance every three weeks.
 - c. One parent teacher conference day will be set each year with the opportunity for parents to schedule multiple conferences throughout the year as needed.
 - d. Parents will receive timely information about Title I programs through pamphlets, Title I school newsletters and phone calls to parents.
 - e. Requested workshops will be held for parents at The Learning Centers.
 - f. Child care will be provided during parent workshops to enable parents to participate.
 - g. A Title I Day will be celebrated each year at The Learning Centers.

The Learning Centers are located at 343 Pageant Lane (behind Moore Elementary) or Lafayette Road (behind Northwest High School).