

**Acushnet Public Schools
Title 1 Parent Involvement Policy**

The Acushnet Public School District welcomes the participation of parents in support of student learning and recognizes that parental involvement increases the opportunities for student success. It is the hope of the Title 1 Department to foster and maintain ongoing communications with parents concerning their children's educational progress. In the Acushnet Schools, the Title 1 Department encourages this involvement in the following ways:

1. The Title 1 Department will notify each student's parents or guardians that the student has been selected to participate in Title 1 and the reasons for that selection.
2. The Title 1 Department will notify each student's parents or guardians with timely information concerning the Title 1 program. This will include a program overview each fall and evaluations each spring.
3. The parents or guardians of each student selected for Title 1 services will be informed of the instructional goals for their child.
4. Parents and guardians of Title I students will be provided opportunities to meet with Title I personnel when questions or issues occur.
5. The parents and guardians of Title 1 students will be informed of their child's progress through conferences and reports sent home.
6. The Title 1 staff will provide opportunities for training and sharing information with families whose children are enrolled in the Title 1 program for the purpose of promoting the education of these children at home as well as at school.
7. The Title 1 Department will solicit suggestions from parents/guardians in the planning, development, and operation of the program.
8. The Title 1 Department will survey parents annually to determine how the school can work with families to best achieve the program's objectives.

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