

AUSTIN ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

ANNUAL TITLE I MEETING 2023-2024



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Tameca Lewis, TITLE I Family Engagement Liaison

Primary Session
Thursday, October 19, 2023
6:30pm-7:30pm

Additional Session Online
October 20 - October 25
<https://schoolwires.henry.k12.ga.us/arm>
<https://schoolwires.henry.k12.ga.us/Domain/14376>

View at anytime on ARMS Website

WHAT IS A TITLE I SCHOOL?

The purpose of parental involvement under Title I, Part A is to promote active involvement among local educational agencies (LEAs), administrators, school staff, parents, community leaders, and other stakeholders working to improve student achievement and promote academic success.



HOW DO WE SPEND OUR TITLE I MONEY?

- Educational Supplies for our scholars
- Technology for scholars
- Personnel
 - Title I Teachers
 - Instructional Paraprofessionals
- Parent and Family Engagement
 - Parent & Family Resource Center
 - Academic support resources for parents



TITLE I REQUIREMENTS

At Austin Road Middle School, we are required to

- Involve parents in the development and annual revision of the Parent and Family Engagement Plan and School-Parent Compact.
- Involve parents in the development and annual revision of the School-Wide Plan
- Notify parents of their Right to Know their teacher's qualifications.
- Build parent capacity through engaging workshops and resources that assist parents in increasing student achievement.

AUSTIN ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

TITLE I DESIGNATION

Under the ESEA waiver, Austin Road Middle is not a designation focus school

Austin Road Middle is a School-wide Title I School.

In a school-wide school, all students benefit from Title I resources.



WHAT IS OUR SCHOOL'S DESIGNATION STATUS AND WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

The Georgia Department of Education applied for a waiver seeking relief from the federal No Child Left Behind Act. As a result, the United States Department of Education agreed to use a new system, the College & Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI), to report the progress of Georgia's public schools. In January 2013 the Georgia Department of Education released the final list of indicators on which schools will receive a CCRPI score.

2022 CCRPI Score
50.1

AUSTIN ROAD MIDDLE'S

CONTINUOUS SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

(SCHOOL-WIDE GOALS)

Goal 1: Austin Road Middle School will increase the percentage of students in grade 8 reading on or above grade level from 60% to 65% as measured by the 2024 Spring MAP Assessment.

Goal 2: Austin Road Middle School will increase the percentage of students in Algebra 1 scoring proficient and above on the 2024 Georgia Milestones Assessment from 45.83% (based on 2022 – 2023) to 50%.

Goal 3: Austin Road Middle School will increase the percentage of parental and community engagement opportunities by 50%

SUPPORTS IN PLACE TO HELP US REACH OUR GOALS

- Student Support Facilitator (SSF)
- Remedial Reading Instructor (Read 180)
- Remedial Math Instructor (Math 180)
- 2 Para-Professionals



SUPPORTS IN PLACE TO HELP US REACH OUR GOALS

- Parent & Family Resource Center
- Parents
- Guardians
- Community Members
- Parent academic resources are available for checkout in the Parent & Family Resource Center

Contact Ms. Lewis for more information
Tameca.Lewis@henryk12.ga.us or 770-507-5407



WHAT CURRICULUM DOES OUR SCHOOL USE?

Georgia Standards of Excellence

<https://www.georgiastandards.org/Frameworks/Pages/BrowseFrameworks/Frameworks.aspx>





WHAT TESTS WILL MY CHILD BE TAKING?

State Assessments

ACCESS for English Language Learners

Local Assessments

Common Assessments (Units)

WHAT TESTS WILL MY CHILD BE TAKING?

- Formative Assessments
Georgia Milestones (EOG/EOC)
- Summative Benchmark Assessments
- NWEA's Measure of Academic Progress (MAP)



SUPPORT FOR EL LEARNERS

When a student enrolls in Henry County Schools and indicates a language other than English on the Home Language Survey or registration form, eligibility screening for language services must begin.

Georgia is a member of the WIDA Consortium. All members of the WIDA Consortium utilize the same screeners to assess eligibility for language assistance services.

Henry County uses the WIDA-ACCESS Placement Test (W-APT).

WIDA DEVELOPMENTAL STANDARDS

Standard 1 – Social and Instructional Language

English language learners communicate for social and instructional purposes within the school setting.

Standard 2 – Language of Language Arts

English language learners communicate information, ideas and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of language arts.

Standard 3 – Language of Mathematics

English language learners communicate information, ideas and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of mathematics.

Standard 4 – Language of Science

English language learners communicate information, ideas and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of science.

Standard 5 – Language of Social Studies

English language learners communicate information, ideas and concepts necessary for academic success in the content area of social studies.

SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES FOR ESOL STUDENTS

Current EL students who are receiving ESOL services at our school may also qualify for Supplemental Services through our Title I Program.

Students who did not score above a 4.3 on their most recent WIDA Screener will receive additional support through Title I.

SUPPORT FOR EL PARENTS

When a parent indicates a language other than English is spoken at home, the school will make every reasonable effort to communicate (translations and interpreters) in the language.

Our school's Title I Program is for ALL parents including parents of our EL students. This includes invitations to attend our Parent Workshops and meetings as well as access to the Parent & Family Resource Center.

WHAT IS REQUIRED BY LAW FOR PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT?

Notification of Parents Right to Know of teacher's qualifications

Opportunities for Parent and Family Input and Involvement.

Offerings to build Parent and Staff capacity in the area of Parent & Family Engagement.

WHAT IS REQUIRED?

District Plan

Found in the front of the District calendar you received and also on the website: Henry.k12.ga.us/arm

Parent and Family Engagement Plan

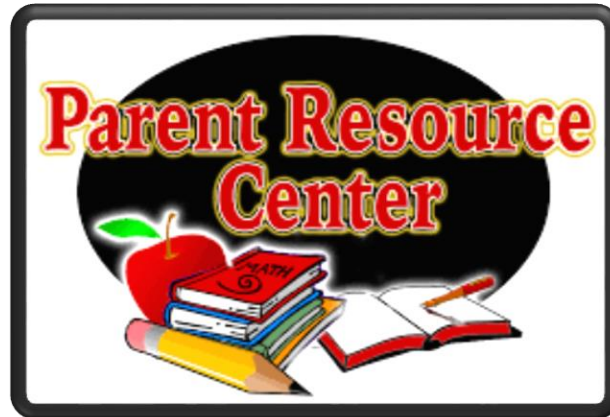
Found in our Parent & Family Engagement Guidebook and also on our school's website under Title I:
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School-Parent Compact

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HOW IS TITLE I PARENT AND FAMILY ENGAGEMENT MONEY SPENT?

- Instructional resources for parent checkout
- Books, brochures, and pamphlets for parents
- Parent Involvement Professional's salary



ARE THERE OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARENT'S TO BE INVOLVED AT AUSTIN ROAD MIDDLE?

Absolutely!

Volunteers
Field Trips
School events



Participation in various workshops
School-wide Initiatives and Projects



PARENT DECISION-MAKING OPPORTUNITIES

- School Council/ PTO**
- Parent Input Meetings (Fall and Spring)**
- Title I Survey (Fall and Spring)**
- Teacher-Parent Conferences**
- Flexible opportunities for parents**

PARENT & FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

Visit our Parent & Family Resource Center Rm. 801

Monday-Friday 9:00-3:30 *additional hours available upon request

Resources are available for check-out and use at home to assist with scholar achievement.



HOW WILL OUR SCHOOL BE RESPONSIVE TO PARENTS?

We strive to keep an open door and open line of communication with our parents at all times. Parents are invited to contact the school.

770-507-5407 Front Office

Ms. Libra L. Brittian, Principal: Libra.Brittian@henry.k12.ga.us

Ms. Ashlee Addison-Wrighton, Assistant Principal:
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Ms. Lewis, Family Engagement Liaison (FEL) Tameca.Lewis@henry.k12.ga.us

HOW WILL AUSTIN ROAD MIDDLE BE RESPONSIVE TO PARENTS?

- Conferences
- Infinite Campus Messages
- Austin Road Middle School website: henry.k12.ga.us/arm

For questions about TITLE I contact:

Ms. Libra L. Brittian, Principal: Libra.Brittian@henry.k12.ga.us

Ms. Tameca Lewis, Title I FEL: Tameca.Lewis@henry.k12.ga.us

Thank you for Participating!

Thank you for taking time out of your schedule!



Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions or concerns.