

Title I Annual Meeting Pelion Middle School

**Date: 7/31/2024 and
8/05/2024**

**Time: 9:00 a.m
7:00 p.m**

PMS is a Title I School

- **Being a Title I school means PMS receives federal funding (Title I dollars) to supplement the school's existing programs. These dollars are used for...**
 - **Identifying students experiencing academic difficulties and providing timely assistance to help these students meet content standards**
 - **Funding supplemental staff, programs, materials, or supplies**
 - **Conducting parental involvement through meetings, trainings, or activities**
 - **Recruiting, hiring and retaining Highly Qualified Teachers**
- **Being a Title I school also means that parents are strongly encouraged to be involved in all aspects of their child's education.**

What is included in the Title I Plan?

- The *PMS Title I Plan* addresses how we will use Title I funds throughout the school. Topics include:
 - Student academic assessments;
 - Additional assistance provided to struggling students;
 - Parental Engagement Strategies, including the *Parent and Family Engagement Plan*.
- You, as a Title I Parent, have a right to be involved in the development of the PMS Title I Plan.
- Feel free to contact any PMS administrator if you would like to make a recommendation or provide input.

2024-25 PMS Title I Funds

- **Family Liaison/Project Specialist .5 (Liliana Esparza)**
- **Instruction Coach**
- **School Supplies**
- **Academic Supports, Supplies, and Technology**
- **Family Engagement Activities**
- **Some Field Trips**
- **Professional Learning - Renewed Harmony**



PMS Project Specialist & Family Liaison

- **Manages the Family Resource Center**
- **Maintains the Title I Budget and allocates funds**
- **Collaborates with District Parent Engagement Specialist**
- **Facilitates family workshops and activities**
- **Works with families to improve school attendance**
- **Assists families in accessing community resources**
- **Conducts written and oral surveys of parent needs**

Ways to Volunteer & Serve

Volunteering

For ways to volunteer contact Liliana Esparza.

Email: lesparza@lexington1.net Phone: 803-821-2318

Please make sure you have completed a volunteer application on the Lexington One website and have received approval first. This has to be completed annually.

Ways to Serve

- Title I Planning Team (twice a year)
- District Title I Planning Team (twice a year)
- School Improvement Council
- Contact Liliana Esparza if you are interested in serving on any of these groups.



Measures of Success

- SC Ready
- iReady
- Classroom Assessments
- Classroom Observations
- Attendance

School Curriculum

- Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive, effective, and safe learning environment
- Progress monitor with formative assessments (part of daily instruction) and summative assessments (end of chapter tests, end of semester tests, projects, labs, and state tests) to support each student's yearly growth in reading and math.
- Assist all students in meeting their learning targets by providing academic and behavioral supports
- Provide parents reasonable access to staff through phone calls, voicemail, email, written notes and parent-teacher conferences at various times to accommodate parents
- Align curriculum to State Standards to support higher learning
- Provide enrichment through activities such as the after-school program, athletic participations, fine arts and clubs

Parent and Family Engagement Policy

- **Components include...**
 - How parents can be involved in decision-making and activities?
 - How parental involvement funds are being used?
 - How information and training will be provided to parents?
 - How the school will build capacity in parents and staff for strong parental involvement?
- **As Title I parents you have the right to be involved in the development of your school's Parental and Family Engagement Policy.**
- **A copy of the Parent and Family Engagement Policy will be shared on our website and ParentSquare. We will have hard copies available at school.**
- **Please read the policy & return any suggestions on the sheet provided!**



Parent and Family Engagement Policy “Highlights”

- Each “highlight” that is noted is the main point of a bullet point in the Parent and Family Engagement policy
- A copy of the “Highlights” will be shared on our website and ParentSquare.
- There will also be copies of this document at the school

PMS Family/School Compact

- **The compact is a commitment from the school, the parent, and the student to share in the responsibility for improved academic achievement.**
- **You, as Title I parents, have the right to be involved in the development of our *Family/School Compact*.**
- **You will be asked to provide feedback as you see necessary.**
- **A copy of the family school compact will be shared on our website and ParentSquare.**



Parents' Right-To-Know

- This document explains the rights of parents to become involved in school programs and how they can support their child's learning at home.
- All families will receive this through **ParentSquare.**

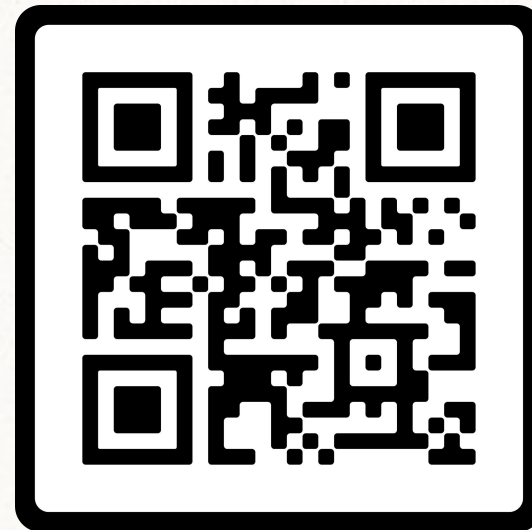
Resources



Helpful Links



**Lexington One Students &
Families Page**
Contains all links to stay connected.



**2024-25 Lexington One
Academic Calendar**

Questions???



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