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Title I Annual Parent Meeting

Tuesday, September 29, 2020

6:30 PM

Google Meet: Please use the link below to join

<https://meet.google.com/jru-ucik-eus>

Please join us as we provide information to parents about Title I, Part A of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)*. Title I is the federal program that allocates funding to local school districts to improve the academic achievement of low performing students, particularly in English Language Arts and/or Math. Your child is currently receiving additional help in one or both of these areas. At this meeting, we will talk about our Title I program in addition to the following items:

- How your child was identified for Title I services
- The assessments we use and what they mean
- How we will help your child meet state proficiency goals
- How you can be involved in the Title I program at school
- District and School-Level Parental Involvement Policies
- School-Parent Compact

We look forward to seeing you at the meeting. However if you are unable to attend all information will be sent home with your child. Feel free to contact me at jcitro@milltownps.org.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Jaclyn Citro
Assistant Principal
Milltown School District

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SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

The Milltown School District and the parents of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) (participating children), agree that this compact outlines how the parents, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and the means by which the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards.

This school-parent compact is in effect during the school year 2020-21.

School's Responsibilities

The Milltown School District will:

1. Provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating children to meet the State's student academic achievement standards as follows:
 - a. Hold parent-teacher conferences (at least annually in elementary schools) during which this compact will be discussed as it relates to the individual child's achievement. Parent-teacher conferences will be held November 18 and 19.
 - b. Provide you with frequent reports regarding your child's progress. Student grades are entered into Genesis and can be checked at any time.
 - c. Provide you with opportunities to talk with staff members. Teachers and staff members are available via email, phone, or Google Meet. Email addresses are available on the district website as well as by communicating through Parent Square.
 - d. Provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities. Parental involvement activities are listed on the school website as well as in the Back to School Night presentation. ***Please note that these opportunities will be restricted to what is allowable by the Governor of New Jersey during Covid-19***
 - e. Provide staff with appropriate professional development activities.
 - f. Maintain highly qualified teachers whose credentials are on file in the office of the Superintendent.
 - g. Provide a safe and secure learning environment.

Parent's Responsibilities

We, as parents, will support our children's learning in the following ways:

1. Ensure that my child attends school daily and arrives at school on time either virtually or in-person.
2. Encourage my child to follow the rules and regulations of the school.
3. Monitor and provide support to my child in the completion of their homework.
4. Monitor the content and the time spent by my child on the Internet, social media, and television.
5. Attend parent/teacher conferences and participate, when appropriate, in discussions relating to the education of my child.
6. Volunteer in my child's school and classroom if time or schedule permits and if it is allowable under current Covid-19 restrictions.
7. Communicate in a positive manner when discussing school information regarding teachers, principals, coaches, and other personnel with my child.
8. Seek information regarding my child's progress by communicating with teachers, principals, and other district personnel.

Student's Responsibilities

We, as students, will share the responsibility to improve our academic achievement in the following ways:

1. Attend school regularly.
2. Complete and turn in all homework on time and ask for help when needed.
3. Accept responsibility for my actions.
4. Cooperate, show respect, and take responsibility for myself, others, and the school environment.
5. Practice perseverance in all that I do.
6. Resolve conflicts peacefully.

School, Parent, & Student Responsibilities

1. High student expectations.
2. Improve student academic achievement.
3. Build and develop a partnership to assist the children of the community to achieve high academic standards.

Please review this compact with your child. The contents of the compact may be discussed with you during parent/teacher conferences as it relates to your child's school progress. In lieu of returning a slip of paper, please complete the form linked here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdKLOWa443_JOsJgh08w4VKtYZus8mdZws2RyWg8aX4XMCVCw/viewform?usp=pp_url

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in your child's education. Please feel free to contact me at any time at 732-214-2370 or jcitro@milltownps.org.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Jaclyn Citro

Assistant Principal

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