

Title I Parent Power

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All of our Title I Schools will soon be in the process of planning for the next school year. Each Title I school will be preparing for Spring Planning Meetings. Schools are required by law to include parents in this process. Please be watching for more information from your child's school so that you can be involved and offer your input.

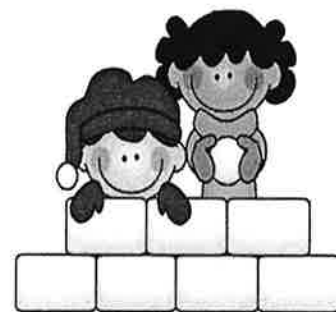
Key Values to Help Parents Focus on Success for Their Student

Do:

- Focus more on the process of learning, not always the product.
- Encourage students to advocate for themselves to speak up and tell adults what they need.
- Keep a long-term perspective.
- Maintain a healthy sleep schedule.
- Love your child for who they are.
- Value goals over grades.
- Help students find a balance and create an effective routine.
- Keep school-home lines of communication open to better support your student.
- Promote good study habits with your student.

Don't:

- Overschedule your student.
- Encourage helplessness with your student.
- Compare students to one another.
- Love students based on performance.
- Look back but help students use experiences to be better next time.
- Say negative things about student's teacher in front of the student (this can lead to confusion for your student).



Parent Engagement Leads to Successful Students...
Studies show that the best predictor of student success is how much families encourage learning at home and engage themselves in their child's education.

**The state testing window for grades 3-5 is April 18th - May 6th and high school EOC's are April 18th - May 20th. Information from your student's school will be sent home as the*

testing dates

approach.

