

Monessen Senior High/Middle School Title I Parent/Family Engagement Policy



The Monessen City School District and the families of the students participating in activities, services, and programs funded by Title I, agree that this compact outlines how families, the entire school staff, and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement and build a partnership that will help children achieve the State's high standards. This compact was updated on August 25, 2018, with input by families and goes into effect for 2018-2019.

Monessen Senior High/Middle School is committed to family engagement as an ongoing partnership. School staff will assist families in meeting their obligation as their child's first teacher, promote dialogue between home and school, and supports families as leaders and decision makers at all levels of the education of their children.

We invite families to an annual Title I meeting when the educational program and families' rights to be involved are explained. Family Advisory Council meetings and programs are held throughout the year, planning sessions, technology and other literacy programs are provided by the school with input from families.

The Title I meetings will provide families timely information regarding the Title I program including curriculum and forms of academic assessments utilized by the district to measure students' progress. When students require special adaptations to their program at school, Title I support can cooperate with the family and teachers to assist the student to succeed.

The school will keep families informed of their rights and responsibilities as an educational partner including opportunities to formulate suggestions regarding the Title I program. Whole school and individual student achievement will be shared with families in a clear concise and easy to understand manner during meetings, conferences and reports sent home.

Families will provide input in the planning, review and improvement of the Title I program, Schoolwide Plan and any School Improvement Plan through meetings held during the school year. Families will be involved in the planning, review of improvement of the school's Family Engagement Policy yearly.