

# FAMILIES ARE VITAL!

You are invited to become an active part of our Title I program. Your involvement in the district or school Title I program will:

- Serve as a role model for your child
- Help your child understand how important their education is to you
- Assure you are aware of your student's educational progress
- Teach your child that your input at the school is appreciated and you support educational efforts
- Increase your understanding of the school system and help to improve and enhance your student's educational experience

If you would like to be involved in policy development and program coordination or have any concerns about our Title I program, please contact Marcia Dempsey at 360-677-2623.

For Citizens' Complaints regarding Federal Programs, please follow the Skykomish School District Board Policy.

If concern continues, see information at: <http://www.k12.wa.us/TitleI/CitizenComplaint.aspx>.



## Skykomish School District Title I Program offers the following benefits:

- Small group and/or individual instruction for specialized instructional opportunities
- Para-educators dedicated to Title I and LAP students
- Opportunities for professional development of school staff
- Extra time for teaching Title I students for successful understanding of math, reading and writing skills
- Intervention materials to supplement student understanding of core concepts
- Supplemental learning materials
- Individualized programs and one-on-one instruction for students

Please contact your child's teacher for their individualized plan.

SKYKOMISH SCHOOL DISTRICT

# Title I Program 2015-2016



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## What is Title I?

Title I is a federal program that provides additional academic assistance to students needing academic support in math, reading, and English language arts to reach proficiency.

## What is the goal of Title I?

The goal of Title I is to provide additional instructional services and activities to students who would benefit from extra support beyond regular classroom instruction in mathematics, reading, and writing.

## Where do Title I funds come from?

As part of the ESEA, the Federal Government provides money for Title I to our State Education Agency. School Districts then receive a grant and allocate money to schools based on several factors, including free & reduced lunch rates.



## Skykomish School District is a Title I School.

School-wide: All students fall under the Title I designation and those students who demonstrate academic need are given additional support. Title I activities are available to all students.

*To help students succeed, Title I teachers:*

- Identify students who need additional educational support
- Create an individualized program
- Focus on improving reading and math skills
- Measure student progress to determine the success of the title I program for each student.

## Research Shows:

Family involvement has a direct impact on student learning. The following are ways to take an active role in your students' education:

- Join the Skykomish PTSO
- Support school activities
- Volunteer in the classroom/school
- Attend parent-teacher conferences
- Communicate with your student's teacher on a regular basis
- Keep your student's teacher informed about significant events that may impact school life

## Skykomish School District Summer School Program

Skykomish Elementary and Middle School students are invited to attend the Summer School Program from July 11 - August 4, 2016. Reading, writing, and math will be the focus of learning.

Monday - Thursday, students will receive breakfast, class time, and lunch. On Wednesday and Thursday, transportation to the Snohomish Aquatic Center will take students to swim lessons, followed by recreational swimming. Bus transportation will be provided to school and back home. Please contact the school office for more information.



## After School Program

The Title I Program supports the Skykomish After School Program, which meets most Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, from 2:45 pm - 4:00 pm. Bus riders are provided transportation home following the program. Students receive a snack, homework assistance, reading and math supplemental activities. Contact the school office for more information.