

**WALTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
TITLE I PROGRAMS
2018-2019**

Title I is a part of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). The purpose of Title I is to provide all children significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education, and to close educational achievement gaps.

Title I provides federal funds through the Georgia Department of Education to local educational agencies (school districts) with high numbers or percentages of poor children to help ensure that all children meet challenging State academic content and student academic achievement standards.

School districts target the Title I funds they receive to their schools with the highest percentages of children from low-income families. These funds may be used for children from preschool aged to high school. Title I is designed to support State and local school reform efforts tied to challenging State academic standards in order to reinforce and enhance efforts to improve teaching and learning for students. Title I programs must be based on effective means of improving student achievement and include strategies to support parental involvement.

Some of the goals of the Title I Program are to:

- Meet the educational needs of students designated schools using strategies to increase academic achievement
- Promote family engagement by giving parents and family members substantial and meaningful opportunities to participate in the education of their children
- Implement effective programs to close the achievement gaps between high and low performing students

Title I Schoolwide Programs for 2018 - 2019
<i>Atha Road Elementary School</i>
<i>Bay Creek Elementary School</i>
<i>Harmony Elementary School</i>
<i>Monroe Elementary School</i>
<i>Walker Park Elementary School</i>
<i>Walnut Grove Elementary School</i>
<i>Carver Middle School</i>
<i>Youth Middle School</i>
<i>Monroe Area High School</i>

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