



Parent & Family Engagement = Student Success

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Title I Tidbits... A Parent & Family Resource Newsletter



It's that time of year again!

The Title 1 Spring Survey will be coming home at the end of this month! Please take the time to complete this very important survey. The feedback and input we receive from the survey will help guide our planning for the 2019-2020 school year! Copies of the survey will also be available on our school website, www.ges.catoosa.k12.ga.us, and in the Parent Resource Center.

*****Students who return the survey will get a special treat! *****

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THESE EVENTS!

- T.A.P.P Meeting, Feb. 7th: K-2 @ 6:00 PM & 3-5 @ 7:00 PM
- PAC Meeting, April 16th @ 11:00 AM
- Volunteer Appreciation April 16th @ 11:30 AM
- April 22 - 26, GA Milestones testing for grades 3, 4, 5

Spring T.A.P.P. meetings are here!



Join us this Thursday, February 7th, and come see how much progress your child has made so far this year. We are excited with how much our students are growing academically and we can't wait to share that with you! This meeting will be held in the evening so please pay close attention to the schedule below.

K - 2	3 - 5
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

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If you have any questions or concerns about our school's Title 1 program, please feel free to contact us at any time!



Parents and Community:

You are invited to join us on Thursday, May 9, 2019 at the Catoosa County Learning Center for the Title I Parent and Family Engagement District Advisory Council for the purpose of distributing, revising, and approving the Parent and Family Engagement Policy for the 2019-2020 school year. As partners in your students education, we value your input and feedback not only at the school level, but at the District level as well. If you plan on attending, please RSVP to your Parent Involvement Coordinator, Kami Leonard by Wednesday, May 1st.





Mix-it-up Study Methods

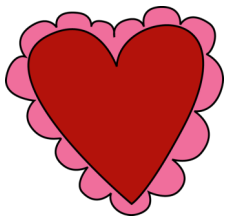
Fresh techniques will breathe new life into your child's study sessions. Share these ways to add variety and help him stay motivated.

Create a mural

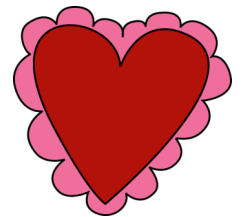
Suggest that your child hang a big sheet of paper on a wall. On it, he can write and illustrate facts, concepts, and procedures he's studying. Say his math test includes rounding numbers, he might write the rule ("If a number ends in 5-9, round up") in big orange letters across the bottom and add examples in green going sideways up the mural. Let him design a new panel for each subject. He'll have a handy study tool - and a colorful piece of art.

Play with clue cards

Encourage your youngster to make and play a card game with a study partner. He could write each concept on a separate index card and list three clues on the back. For "electric circuit," clues might include "path," "current," and "conductor." He can shuffle the cards and stack them clue sides up. Players take turns drawing a card, reading the clues, and saying what's on the other side. Keep the card if you're right - the person with the most cards wins.



Happy Valentines Day



Title 1 information can be found on our school website at

www.ges.catoosa.k12.ga.us

Please check the website for important dates, upcoming events, instructional videos, and information on how to help your child succeed!