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# Coffee County Schools Title I Programs

2020-2021



***Destination Graduation***  
***For College, Career, and Life***

**Title I is a federally funded program under the Every Student Succeeds Act**

**Purpose:** To help low-achieving students meet the state's challenging academic content and performance standards. The Title I program offers a variety of services which may include: additional teachers and support staff, extra time for instruction, a variety of teaching methods and materials, smaller classes and additional training for staff.

**Qualifications:** Schools qualify for funds based on economic need. All schools in Coffee County are Schoolwide Programs.

**School-wide Requirements:**

- Comprehensive needs assessment: The school must identify areas of greatest need
- School-wide reform strategies to include those that:
  - Strengthen the core academic program
  - Increase the amount and quality of learning time
  - Meet the needs of underserved populations
  - Address needs of all, but particularly low-achieving students
- Instruction by highly qualified teachers
- Professional learning for teachers
- Parent involvement strategies

**Status: There are no schools in Coffee County identified as needs improvement schools according to criteria determined by the Georgia Department of Education.**

**Parents Have the Right to Know**

- **Whether the student's teacher---**
  - has met State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
  - is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived; and
  - is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher.
- **Whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.**

**Georgia Parental Information and Resource Center (PIRC)**

Parent strategies, best practices and research

[www.georgiapirc.net](http://www.georgiapirc.net)

<http://www.gadoe.org/School-Improvement/Federal-Programs/Partnerships/Pages/Parent-Engagement-Program.aspx>

**Homeless Children and Youth**

The Coffee County School System has policies and procedures in place that identify and remove any barriers for homeless children and youth in accordance with the McKinney-Vento Act. Please contact Dr. Christina Tucker at 912-384-2086 for more information.

**As part of its assurances within ESSA-Every Student Succeeds Act program grant applications, an LEA accepting federal funds also agrees to adopt local written procedures for the receipt and resolution of complaints alleging violations of law in the administration of covered programs.**



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