



What is Title 1?

Title 1 is a federally funded program that provides support for children in all four core subjects.

Which Children Receive Title 1 Support?

Classroom teachers identify children for Title 1 services based on student performance on MEAP data, classroom assessments, and performances on GLCE (Grade Level Content Expectations). Student progress is continually monitored.

When do children receive Title 1 Services?

Title 1 services are delivered during the regular school day. Our highly qualified instructional staff work with these students in one of two ways:

1. Students receive guided instructional support during their elective hour. This support is provided in a small teacher-to-student ratio classroom by a highly qualified, certified teacher.
2. Students receive guided instructional support on core curriculum classroom work during the student's lunch hour.

Why is Title 1 important?

Title 1 funding supplements existing programs. It provides additional assistance to children who are having academic difficulties. A primary goal for of the program is to provide successful experiences that will help the child reach their academic potential.

ALGONQUIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Title I Programs (2010/2011)

Title I Reading/Math

Title I Reading and Title I Math are programs designed to help students needing additional time and instruction in math or reading. The class is offered 1st semester only. Students will be placed in Title I Reading or Title I Math for a minimum of 10 weeks. If students meet the exit criteria they will be placed back in an elective class after 10 weeks. Students not meeting the exit criteria will remain in Title I reading/math for additional 10 weeks. Students are selected based on MEAP (3 or 4), classroom grades (two or more D/E's) and teacher recommendations or based on classroom recommendations (a narrative of the cause for recommendation along with samples of student work is required).

Taught by Title I teachers

Small Setting

Individualized Instruction

Ladders to Success series used to master skills in math and reading (provided for parents to help their child at home)

Study Island online program (specifically aligned to state GLCEs)

10 week class

6th, 7th, and 8th grades students are serviced

Exit criteria is mastery of assessment provided from Study Island

PLUS Hour (Math and Reading)

PLUS Hour is a program designed to re-teach specific GLCEs individual students did not master based on MEAP results. If a student is not proficient (score of 3 or 4) on the fall **MEAP** in math or reading they will lose their elective class for the entire second semester, and be placed in PLUS Hour for the remainder of the year. This will allow the student additional instructional time during the school day.

Taught by Title I teachers

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Individualized Instruction

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Study Island online program (specifically aligned to state GLCEs)

Semester long class (second semester)

6th, 7th, and 8th grade students are serviced

Lunch Study Hall (LSH)

Lunch Study Hall is offered during student lunch times to provide additional time during the school day to complete their work. Students eat their lunch while working on completing or making up assignments from their classes.

Title I teacher will implement program

LSH is offered all year long to all grade levels: 6th, 7th, and 8th grade

Students selected based on **MEAP and classroom grades** (2 or more D's/E's)

Teachers assign LSH to students as needed



If you have any questions regarding Title I services at Algonquin Middle School, please contact:

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