



THE NEW AMERICA SCHOOL-NEW MEXICO

TITLE I ANNUAL MEETING



MARCH 19, 2021

WELCOME!

Our Meeting Today

- The New America School-New Mexico's participation in Title I
- Title I school requirements
- Family Engagement
- Title I contacts at The New America School-New Mexico.



Participation in Title I - ESSA, Eligibility, Program Plan

➤ **ESSA** – Every Student Succeeds Act

- Title I funding is determined according to **ESSA** regulations.
- Federally funded programs offer additional dollars to support schools
 - Title I funds are supplemental and used for schoolwide programs that address the needs of all children in the school, but particularly the needs of low-achieving students and those at risk of not meeting the common core state standards
- Title I Student Eligibility
 - Verified low income data from the state, gathered as part of enrollment in SNAP/TANF.
- The Title I Program Plan is the same as The New America School-NM 90 Day Plan, which is reviewed every 90 days by a specific Leadership Team, and determines how students will be served and is aligned with **ESSA**

QUESTIONS?



Title I Requirements at The New America School-NM

- Hold a Title I Annual Meeting
- Inform families of their right to request teacher and educational assistant qualifications
- Inform families of their right to know and be involved in the Title I Regular Budget, Title I Family Engagement budget and development of the Title I Program Plan (90 Day Plan)
- Annual revision of School Family Engagement Policy and School Parent Compact
 - Completed with the participation of families
- Inform families of opportunities to be involved in revising the APS Title I District Family Engagement Procedural Directive and Support Agreement
 - Family Engagement Advisory Council meets quarterly (times and locations will be posted on the APS website)
 - To be a part of Advisory Council contact:
Nancy Davenport @ 253-0330 x 67017

Need more details?




Title I Family Engagement

- The New America School-NM receives \$1,079 in the Title I budget for Family Engagement
- These funds come from a 1% set-aside from the APS Title I District budget. 90% of this set-aside goes to the schools to be used for Family Engagement programs
- Families have the right to be involved in how these funds are used to support the academic achievement of the students at The New America School-NM.
- Ways this money can be used are:
 - Workshops/Classes for parents/guardians related to improving your student's academic performance
 - Communication with parents
 - Supplies and equipment for a parent center
 - Childcare for meetings
 - Materials and books for curriculum nights
 - Food for parent meetings
 - Volunteer background checks
- For the 2020-2021 school year, the monies were budgeted to provide supplies and materials to increase communications with families, such as stamps, paper, postcards, envelopes, etc.



Other Title I funds at The New America School-NM for SY 2020-2021

- Additional Math teacher to help students understand math and lower class sizes.
Budgeted: \$59,660 for salary and benefits



WHO SHOULD YOU CONTACT FOR
INFORMATION ABOUT THE NEW AMERICA
SCHOOL-NM FAMILY ENGAGEMENT
OPPORTUNITIES?

Principal

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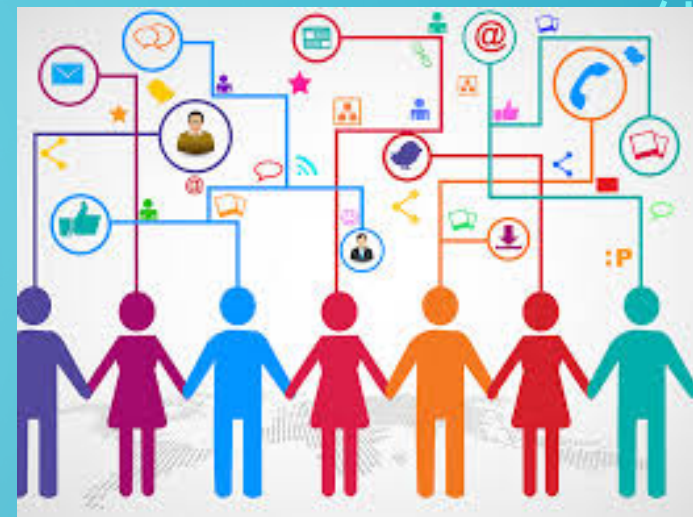
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BUILDING STRONGER CONNECTIONS



• Communication

- Call-Em All automated phone system
- Parent Letters
- NAS-NM website
- NAS-NM Facebook page
- Teachers available Monday-Thursday 7:45 am-4:15 pm
- Truancy Intervention home visits

• Ways to get involved and help your student

- Stay in contact with teachers
- Check your student's online work completion
- Be part of the Parent Committee
- Offer to help at special events when we are able to have them again
- Let us know how we can help you!!