

Ashe County Title I Schools

Blue Ridge Elementary
Principal – Joallen Lowder
336-384-4500

Mountain View Elementary
Principal – David Blackburn
336-982-4200

Westwood Elementary
Principal – Jennifer Holden
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Ashe County School District

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Parents Right to Know

Parents of children attending a Title I school have the right to know the professional qualifications of the classroom teachers and paraprofessionals who instruct their child. Contact your school or the Director of Human Resources, Roy Putman at 336-246-7175 or roy.putman@ashe.k12.nc.us

Parent Involvement

Research has shown that children are more successful when parents are involved in their education. You can help your child by volunteering, helping with homework, reading to your child and talking with your child's teacher.

Each Title I school will develop a School Parent Compact. You can help by ensuring that homework is complete and your child attends school every day.

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Title I Parent Information



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What is Title I ?

Title I is the largest federally funded program for schools in the United States. The goal of Title I is to ensure that all children have an opportunity to obtain a high quality education and reach grade level proficiency. Our district uses Title I funds for extra educational services for children most in need of educational help. Title I programs can help children do better in school and feel better about themselves.



Title I Supports...

- **Class Size Reduction**
- **Title I Tutors**
- **Instructional Resources**
- **School Technology**
- **Professional Development for Staff**
- **Parent Involvement Activities**

Title I is a federally funded program under the Elementary and Secondary School Act (ESEA)

Parent involvement information and School Board Policy can be found at www.asheschools.org (Click Parents and then Title I tab for more information)

How Can I Get Involved?

- ✓ Keep in contact with your child's teacher through telephone, conversations, or email.
- ✓ Participate in school-based events that are intended for attendance of families (e.g., open houses, concerts, fall festivals, etc.)
- ✓ Serve as a role model, showing your child that you support his/her progress in school. Your child will mirror your attitude about school.
- ✓ Keep your child's teacher informed about events in your child's life that may affect his/her performance in school.
- ✓ Support your child's extra-curricular activities.
- ✓ Discuss ideas for parent involvement with your child's teacher and parent organization.
- ✓ Get involved in the PTSO of the school and have a voice.