



Mayewood Middle School

# SUMTER SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## *Title I Awareness Meeting*

*August 11, 2016*

### *What is Title I ?*

*Title one is the largest federal aid program for our nation's school.*

#### *The goal of Title I Is to:*

- *Help provide the highest quality education for every child*
- *Provide extra help to students who need it the most*
- *Provide a liaison between parents and teacher.*
- *Encourages parents to be involved in their children's education.*

### *Title I Schools Work To:*

- *Set goals for improvement*
- *Measure student progress*
- *Offer Smaller classes*
- *Provides effective instructional strategies to involve parents*
- *Build a strong partnership with parents and the community*

### *What is a School-Parent Family Engagement Compact?*

*A School-Parent Family Engagement Compact is an agreement between the school, parent, and student to put forth every effort to make sure each child gets the best education possible.*

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## ***What We Believe?***

- *That every child can learn.*
- *Parents are their child's first and most important educator.*
- *Parental involvement at school is of the utmost importance.*
- *Every parent wants what is best for his/her, child/children.*

## ***Parental Involvement***

***Parents... you can influence the success of your child in school more than any teacher or federal program. By becoming an active participant in the Title I parent involvement plan here at Mayewood Middle School, you can:***

- *Serve as a role model, showing your child that you support his/her education.*
- *Volunteer your time and talents*
- *Jointly make decisions that affect their education*

## ***Who Is Involved And Why?***

- *All families of school age students in an educational setting.*
- *All students enjoy family involvement in their lives at school.*
- *Families enhance their abilities to nurture the education and well being of their children; to find new and enjoyable ways to learn and grow together.*

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## *Research Shows...*

*No matter the socio-economic status, when parents are involved, students are more likely to:*

- *Attend school regularly*
- *Earn better grades*
- *Obtain better test scores*
- *Pass courses*
- *Be promoted to the next grade*
- *Adapt to change*
- *Have better social skills*
- *Graduate on time*
- *Continue their education*

## *Family + School = Success*

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