

WHAT IS TITLE I?

Title I is a federally funded program that is part of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). The goal of this law is to help all students meet grade level expectations in reading and math as written in the Minnesota state standards. Our school has extra reading and math intervention teachers who can help the students who are performing below grade level in reading and/or math. This is done to be fair and equitable for all students.

The elementary schools which have over 40% of their students who get free and reduced priced meals receive Title I dollars to help all the students in the school. We are a Title I Schoolwide school, and so we write goals each year to meet the needs of our school. These goals are written with staff, family, and student voices. The resources and money that come from Title I are used to meet those goals and support student success.

HOW ARE THE FUNDS USED?

- Additional support staff to provide reading and math interventions
- Resources/materials
- Family engagement events
- Resources/training to support school improvement strategies

WHAT IS A TITLE I FAMILY-SCHOOL COMPACT?

A Title I Family-School Compact is a jointly developed agreement that explains how parents and teachers will work together to make sure all students get the individual support they need to reach and exceed grade level standards. The families and staff at University Avenue Elementary annually discuss, review, and revise this Title I Family-School Compact.

For more information about this agreement, contact your child's teacher.

PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

TITLE I ANNUAL MEETING

THURSDAY, SEPT 22

CONFERENCES

OCTOBER 3, 6

FEBRUARY 21, 23, 28

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

THURSDAY, MAY 25

TITLE I PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

OCTOBER 13

MAY 11

ADDITIONAL GROUPS/MEETINGS

MOVIE NIGHTS ~

OCTOBER 14 & FEBRUARY 10

SPRING FLING ~

MARCH 31

DANCE-A-THON ~

JANUAR 17 - FEBRUARY 3



Family-School Compact

Individual support students need to reach and exceed grade level standards.



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READING AND MATH

Minnesota's English Language Arts (ELA) academic standards are taught in all classrooms (Kindergarten through 5th grade). Anoka-Hennepin uses McGraw Hill's Reading Wonders curriculum for reading, writing, speaking, and listening instruction. When a student receives additional services, the same themes, vocabulary, skills, and strategies are taught. Students are challenged to read every day and write about complex texts. Also, students collaborate through conversations about literacy.

Minnesota's Math academic standards are taught in all classrooms (Kindergarten through 5th grade). We use Bridges in Mathematics and the connected intervention program called Bridges Intervention. It addresses all the Minnesota math standards in a fun, engaging, and accessible way for all students. The program includes:

- Hands-on activities for exploring, developing, testing, discussing, and applying math concepts.
- Presentations of math concepts with language, pictures, and movement to meet the needs of all students.
- Opportunities for students to solve math problems in many ways which helps students to build more flexible and efficient problem-solving strategies.

2022-2023 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT STRATEGIES

- Leader in Me
- Reading Interventions
- Math Interventions
- Catalyst Leadership Development

Progress on these school efforts will be reported to families in the winter and spring.

Anoka-Hennepin's elementary school program is based on the belief that all children are valuable and unique individuals, and that children learn best when the home, school and community work together.

IN THE CLASSROOM

Teachers and support staff at University Avenue Elementary School ACES develop goals to support student learning through the following:

- All staff will use a collaborative approach towards meeting the needs of all students with a focus on essential learning and data.
- As a magnet school our students learn through inquiry, collaboration, technology, leadership, and experiential learning through an Aerospace Lens.
- Each student sets and tracks personal learning goals and will participate in Leader in Me leadership learning opportunities.
- All students have access to daily reading and math interventions.

AT HOME

The school community will partner with families in providing resources on how to support student growth in reading and math at home.

- K-2 Baggie Books sent home daily.
- Read daily with your child or have them read independently. Students will track their minutes.
- Math Madness – Students complete monthly containing grade level specific math activities and return the calendar to school at the end of the month.
- Ask your child about their Learning and Academic Goals at UAE.
- Attend Family Nights with your child.

COMMUNICATION



- Grade level expectations and student progress will be explained at fall and winter conferences.
- Results of MCA, MAP, and other grade appropriate assessments will be provided at conferences and made available by logging into My Student Information on A-H Connect.

Find the following information by visiting our school website ahschools.us/university

- Volunteer opportunities
- Details about the family events that will be happening at our school
- Translations of school information



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- ☆ I am respectful
- ☆ I am responsible
- ☆ I am doing my best