

Title I Schoolwide Program

North Junior High School 2020-2021

St. Cloud Area School District 742 Prepare. Engage. Educate. Empower. Inspire.

Title I, Part A

Title I Schoolwide:

- Provides supplemental federal funds to school districts and schools
- Supports extra instructional services, activities, and/or materials to help low-achieving students meet state's standards in subject areas



- "Schoolwide Title I" programming is based on the idea that comprehensive reform strategies are most effective in raising achievement for all students, especially low performing students.
- It supports the implementation of a comprehensive school plan strategically designed to improve the entire school's educational program.
- Schoolwide is designed for ALL students and staff.



Schoolwide Program



Schoolwide Program Advantages

- Needs based
- Broadens reform efforts and upgrades the entire school
- Evaluation to inform instructional practices and student performance

 Encourages collaboration of staff and the school community in developing and implementing a plan that meets student needs



North Achievement Data - Goal

During the 2020-21 academic year, at least 65% of North students will achieve average growth (40 SGP) or greater in STAR Math/Reading from Fall to Spring.



What are we doing?

Communications

- We communicate with families through conferences, parent/family events, weekly family newsletters
- Written information is translated in multiple languages for families
- Communication with families for events and meetings is communicated across multiple mediums (social media, email, telephone, regular mail, Schoology, Skyward, etc.) to maximize reach and participation

What are we doing?

<u>Partner Programs</u>

- United Way
- Boys and Girls Club of America
- Dream Line (Sanneh Foundation)
- Greater Minnesota Family Services
- GEAR UP Minnesota Office of Higher Education



What are we doing?

Accessibility

- School and parent engagement is made accessible for all families by:
 - Holding events during various and extended time periods to accommodate multiple schedules
 - Providing food and beverage to encourage all families to be able to participate, especially when events and meetings occur in the evenings during traditional mealtimes
 - Providing accessible materials and resources in multiple languages for all families to participate in learning at home
 - Encouraging families to use their child's Chromebook to participate in virtual family engagement meetings

Parent-Family Involvement

Research shows that students with parent-family-school involvement experience the following:

- Positive attitude
- Better quality homework
- Increased engagement
- Increased grades & performance
- Greater likelihood of attending college



Parent Partnerships



You can help your child by...

- Stressing the importance of education daily. If it's important to you, it's important to them.
- Checking for school communications.
- Reinforcing learning at home. You are your child's "first teacher."
- Showing an interest in school, asking questions.
- Attending conferences, meetings, and events.



Thank you! You truly make a difference in your child's education.

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