Greetings from Title I!

My name is Teresa Benefield, and I have the privilege of being the new Title I Director for the Paulding County School District! I am thrilled to be joining the team and further thrilled to be working with your child's school in a partnership to increase student achievement! My responsibility is to ensure federal Title I funds are used to provide the personnel, resources and support needed to see our children succeed, grow in their knowledge, and perform at or above state standards through the highest quality instruction available. I've had the privilege of teaching and being an administrator in a Title I school, and can say with confidence, the support provided through Title I is invaluable! I look forward to supporting your children and being in their schools this year. I very much look forward to meeting so many of you through family engagement opportunities and events at your child's school. Your participation, presence, and support in these opportunities is what we need to make our connection stronger. We work stronger and more effectively together! I am already celebrating the successes we will experience together this year. I look forward to meeting you!

All my best— Teresa Benefield























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School & Family Partnership: Creating Success Together Northside Elementary

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"School & Family Partnership: Creating Success Together" is an informational bulletin that is distributed quarterly to parents/guardians of all Title I students attending Northside Elementary. Please contact Karen Slate, Northside Title I Instructional Lead Teacher at kslate@paulding.k12.ga.us or 770-443-7008 for more information, requests and suggestions.

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Translation is available upon request

Dear Families,

We are excited to begin the 2019-2020 School Year! Northside Elementary is fortunate to be able to serve students through the Title I program and will be working diligently to provide students and families opportunities and resources for enabling student academic success.

Title I is a federally funded program for the purpose of improving student achievement. The primary goal of the program is to increase student academic achievement in the areas of reading and math by providing quality learning opportunities. This includes the provision of additional learning and teaching resources to support students, families, and school staff.

Student academic progress will be observed by working with classroom teachers to determine if students are on track to meet grade level mastery of reading and math content standards. Results will help to identify whether additional support would benefit students in achieving success. This support will be given to students that indicate the greatest need for additional instructional support in reading and/or math. Students will be provided with specific, targeted interventions to reinforce skills. Support will be provided in a regular classroom setting by the classroom teacher and Title I teacher.

Title I offer numerous opportunities and resources for families at our school, in the Parent Resource Center and through our school and district websites. Parent input that is provided at parent and family events and workshops, and through the Title I Spring Parent Survey, helps us identify how we can improve on working together as partners.

If you have any questions about our Title I program or would like to provide suggestions and input on what we can offer students and families through Title I, please feel free to contact, Karen Slate, Northside Elementary Title I Instructional Lead Teacher by phone at #770-443-7008 ext. 18010 or through email at kslate@paulding.k12.ga.us.

Best Wishes on a Wonderful School Year!

We Have Connections!

If you're interested in any of the following services, please visit our school website www.paulding.k12.ga.us; click on 'Select a School', or contact the school's Title I Instructional Lead Teacher if you would like more details.

English for Speakers of Other Languages

- Free classes to learn basic English
- Please call 678.460.1587 for details

Technology Support

- Free opportunity to learn basics of computer use: searching the web, using email, creating a document or PowerPoint, etc.
- Contact the school Instructional Lead Teacher

Adult Literacy

- Improve your reading skills!
- Contact Paulding County Literacy at 770.974.5531

Learning resources and games, please visit our school's **Parent Resource Center**, where everything is available to borrow for **FREE**! Open every day, from 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. located in the front lobby.



- ... your child's Lexile?
- ... your child's grade level Lexile mid-point?
- ... what your child is doing during the Differentiated Instruction Reading Block?
- ... how to support your child at home with process writing?
- ... what happens during Math instruction for your child?

These questions provide insight about how academic instruction will be designed for your child this year. Knowing these answers, will empower families to support student success and increase academic gains in student achievement. Please contact Karen Slate, ILT at 770-443-7008 to find out more about this information.