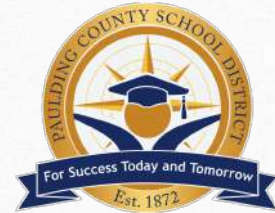


Annual Title I Parent Meeting

2020-2021

Nebo Elementary
2843 Nebo Road, Dallas, GA 30180
Virtual Zoom Meeting
Tuesday, October 13 at 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.



Engage. Inspire. Prepare.

TA parents/guardians of students attending Nebo Elementary School have been invited to this meeting.

We welcome your questions and input throughout this presentation! We want to make sure you leave informed about the Title I program and know what opportunities we provide for families to be involved.

What Is a Title I School?

✓ Title I was enacted in 1965 under the Elementary and Secondary Act

amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). It is the largest Federal Assistance Program for our nation's schools.

✓ The purpose of Title I is to ensure that all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high-quality education and to achieve proficiency on high academic standards.

✓ Title I provides federal funds through the Georgia Department of Education to schools with at least 40% of the student population receiving free and reduced meals.



Title I funds at our school are applied to:

- ✓ Supplementing programs that are already in place in schools, with the goal of providing all students with equal opportunity for achieving academic success
- ✓ Hiring additional teachers and other support staff
- ✓ Purchasing supplemental (additional) instructional materials, resources, and educational programs
- ✓ Conducting parent activities and workshops focusing on how the school and families can work together to support students in content academic areas and other opportunities parents request
- ✓ Providing professional development for teachers and staff
- ✓ Establishing a parent resource center
- ✓ Outreach to local Pre-K schools



How Nebo Elementary Participates in the Title I Program

School Goals & Programs -

- Nebo Elementary will increase student Lexile growth as measured by the 3-5 grade Reading Inventory Assessment from August 2020 to May 2021 obtaining a school-wide average of 200L growth points.
- Nebo Elementary will increase student Quantile growth as measured by the 1-5 grades Math Inventory Assessment from August 2020 to May 2021 obtaining a school-wide average of 145 Q growth points.
- Nebo Elementary will decrease the percentage of student major behavior referrals from August 2019 to March 2020 compared to August 2020 to May 2021.

Our TA Requirements

- Identifying school needs and areas requiring academic focus for improvement by reviewing student achievement data
- Setting goals for improvement, and making plans to incorporate strategies that are based on scientific research to increase student achievement
- Identifying students who will benefit from additional support
- Partnering with families in order to provide the best support possible for all students to make progress
- Providing staff with training, professional learning, resources and materials in order to enhance their teaching, and ability to work effectively with families
- Sharing of School Improvement/TA Plan

Nebo's TA Program:

Our School Improvement Plan (schoolwide/TA goals) include the following:

- District and school level professional learning opportunities for staff and teachers
- consistent county-wide assessments and classroom assessments
- Nebo participates in PBIS-Positive Behavior Intervention Supports and CKH-Capturing Kids' Hearts/Dolphin Dollars
- establish and maintain a PRC-Parent Resource Center

TITLE 1:

- Title 1 Lead Teacher
- 1 part time support Title 1 teacher
- provide required Title 1 notifications

Nebo's State's Grades Report

Curriculum Used at Nebo Elementary

- ❑ L4GA Grant Recipient for Literacy –Research based technology support to fill literacy gaps IREAD (K-2nd), Read 180, System 44
- ❑ Georgia Standards of Excellence
- ❑ District Curriculum Maps
- ❑ Math WS-3 Part Lessons
- ❑ Do the Math
- ❑ Bookworms-Balanced Literacy Program

Tests and Assessments for Students in Elementary Grades

Tests and assessments include those provided by
the teacher, the county, and the state

**Teacher - Projects, Reports, Unit/Chapter Tests,
Presentations**

County - Universal Math & Reading Screeners (MI/RI)

**State - Georgia Milestones, ACCESS, GKIDS,
Georgia Alternative Assessment**

Other assessments may apply. If applicable, our school will notify parents/guardians.

Tests and Assessments for Students in

Elementary Grades

How do these assessments measure student progress?

- ✓ Identifies areas in need of improvement, and to plan for instruction
- ✓ Provides information for teachers and parents on areas where students have mastered learning and where they may need additional support
- ✓ Provides information to plan for “next-steps” so that the student will experience continuous growth

✓ What proficiency levels is my child expected to meet?

- ✓ Teachers share specific information about student expectations/goals and assessment results during parent meetings, conferences and at the request of parents/guardians

Access previous test performance, standards, and attendance about my child using the [Statewide Longitudinal Data System \(SLDS\)](#) through the school’s parent portal (if applicable)

Georgia Milestones (Elementary)

- Designed to measure how well students have learned the skills and knowledge described in the curriculum in the areas of English Language Arts and Mathematics in grades 3, 4, & 5
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- Science in Grade 5?
 - Taken at the end of the school year
 - Provides information on academic achievement at student, class, school, system, and state levels
 - Used to diagnose individual student strengths and weaknesses as related to the instruction of the state adopted curriculum, and to gauge the quality of education throughout Georgia.

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Family Engagement Plans

PCSD Family
Engagement
Plan

1stGrade

1st grade compact DRAFT (3)

2nd Grade

Second Grade Compact - DRAFT (2)

3rd Grade

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Nebo Family
Engagement
Plan

Nebo Family-
School
Compact

Teacher Professional Qualifications

Parent's Right-to-Know

All parents have the right to request the following information about the professional qualifications of your student's teacher(s):

- ✓ Whether the teacher has met the Georgia Professional Standards Commission's requirements for certification for the grade level and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- ✓ Whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which Georgia qualifications or certification criteria have been waived;
- ✓ Whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications.

Parent & Family Engagement Opportunities

- ✓ Parent Engagement Opportunities: Open House, Curriculum Drive-Thru Night, Annual Title I Parent Meeting, Conferences, spring learning night TBA
- ✓ Volunteer opportunities
- ✓ Parent decision making opportunities/meetings/councils

We love partnering with you!

- ✓ We will promptly reply to your requests!
- ✓ To contact the school staff:
- ✓ Nebo Elementary, 770-443-8777
- ✓ Heather Powers, Instructional Lead Teacher,
hpowers@paulding.k12.ga.us

Closing and Feedback

Any questions?

Thanks!