

Name of District HAZLEHURST CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT	Policy Code: LAA
Name of Policy TITLE I PARENT INVOLVEMENT	<i>Issue Date:</i> (August 2003) <i>Revised:</i> September 2015

THIS POLICY COMPLIES WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF
THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT OF 2001

The Hazlehurst City School District Board of Education endorses the parent involvement goals of Title I and encourages the regular participation by parents of Title I eligible children in all aspects of the program. The education of children is viewed as a cooperative effort among the parents, school, and community. In this policy, the word "parent" also includes guardians and other family members involved in supervising the child's education.

Section 1118 of The Improving America's Schools Act of 1994 mandates that each local education agency receiving funds under Title I shall develop jointly with, agree upon with, and distribute to, parents of participating children a written parent involvement policy.

In accordance with this requirement, The Hazlehurst City School District shall adopt the following revisions to its parental involvement policy:

- (1) The parents of eligible students will serve on district and school planning committees.
- (2) Progress of the student's achievement will be reported to the parents on a regular basis.
- (3) Conferences between individual parents and teachers will be scheduled when deemed necessary by the parent.
- (4) Information concerning the Title I School-wide program will be reported to parents via letters, newspaper, radio, and/or newsletter.
- (5) Consultations with parents regarding methods for achieving the program's objectives will be made.
- (6) The Director and teachers will solicit parents' suggestions relating to the planning, development and operation of the program during parent conferences, workshops, and other meetings.

- (7) Timely responses in communication with the parents and their recommendations will be made.
- (8) A meeting in which all parents of eligible students are invited will be held during the school year. An annual planning meeting will be held in the fall.
- (9) The parental involvement program will be assessed annually via parent surveys, questionnaires and needs assessment.
- (10) Parent Compacts will be developed and disseminated at each site receiving Title I services.
- (11) Resources for parents will be made available through Title I.

LEGAL REF.: P. L. 103-382 (Improving America=s Schools Act)

P. L. 107-110 (No Child Left Behind Act of 2001)

CROSS REF.: Policies LA Parental Involvement

LAA-R Title I Parent Involvement Regulations